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HEARTLAND INTERGROUPER

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www.heartlandintergroup.org

MONDAY- 9AM-1PM

TUESDAY-9AM-1PM

WEDNESDAY- 9AM- 5PM

THURSDAY- 9AM- 1PM

FRIDAY- ?

WE TOO LIVE LIFE ON LIFE'S TERMS! IT MAY BE BEST TO CALL BEFORE YOU COME!

**ANY MEETING CHANGES PLEASE SUBMIT CHANGES TO
WEBSITE:**

[Submit Meeting Changes](#) | [Heartland AA](#) (heartlandintergroup.org)



***Intergroup is STILL looking for Volunteers: MONDAYS,
TUESDAYS, AND THURSDAYS 1:00PM-5:00PM. Also, anytime
Fridays between 9AM-5PM. Thank you all for your continued
support! Contact the Office Manager to apply
officemanager@heartlandintergroup.org***

**AUGUST HEARTLAND INTERGROUP REPRESENTATIVE MEETING-
AUGUST 9th at 6:00PM**

Heartland Intergroup is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2323580422>

Meeting ID: 232 358 0422

One tap mobile

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Dial by your location

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+1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)

Meeting ID: 232 358 0422

Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2323580422>

We want to know your Sobriety Birthdays AND Group Anniversaries!

Heartland Intergroup wants to recognize greatness and remind the newcomers that IT WORKS!!!! Please send in your sobriety birthday and/or group anniversary so we can share it for that month in our newsletter!!

You can send them in via email at

officemanager@heartlandintergroup.org.

THANK YOU EVERYONE FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!

THEY ARE HERE!!!! AUGUST AA, GRAPEVINE, AND PAMPHLET OF THE MONTH!!!!

For the month of August the below books and pamphlet will be **10% off!!!!!!** If for any reason we run out of the book in the month of August we will give you a rain check and give you the sale price when it comes in! Take advantage of the books of the month for August!!

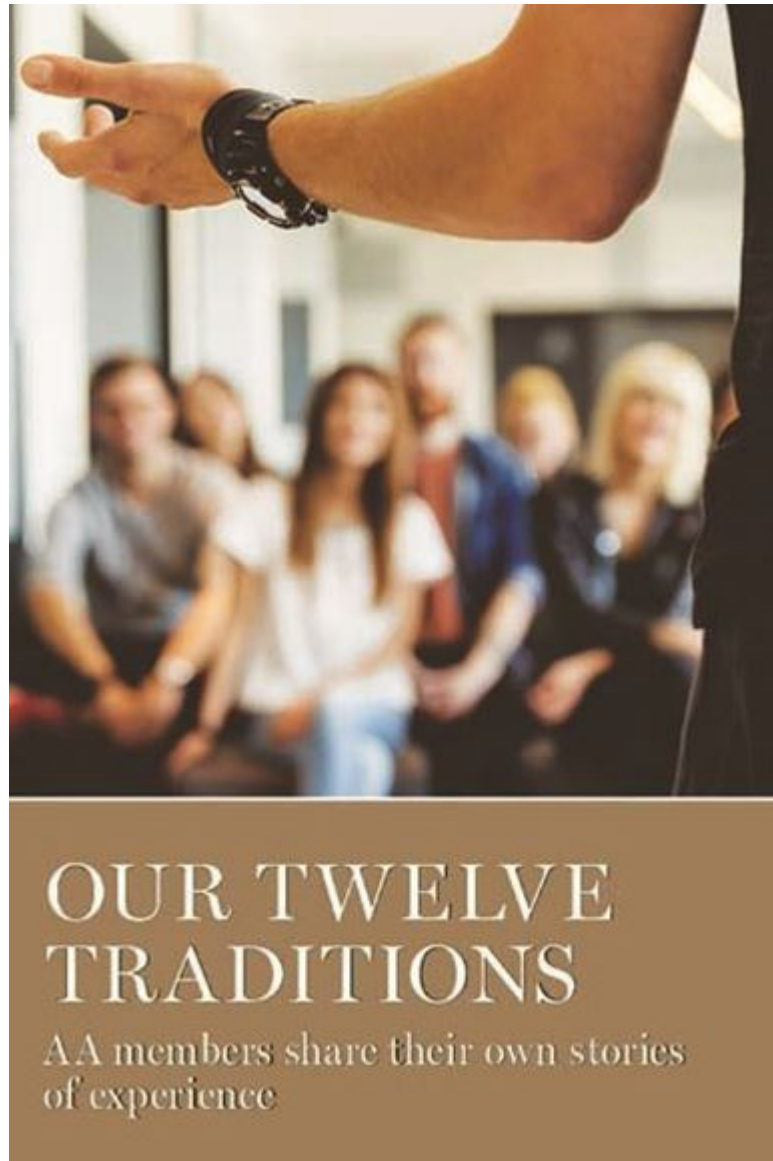


Our Great Responsibility

A SELECTION OF
BILL W.'S
GENERAL SERVICE
CONFERENCE TALKS
1951-1970

August AA Book of the Month: Our Great Responsibility
A New Publication. A selection of Bill W.'s General Service Conference

talks, 1951 – 1970. Timeless and timely, these 16 selected talks give fresh perspectives on the A.A. Fellowship in our co-founder's own words.



August Grapevine Book of the Month: Our Twelve Traditions

In this collection of stories from AA Grapevine, members write about their experiences with the core principles contained in AA's Twelve Traditions. Born of the trial-and-error experience of the Fellowship's earliest years, the Twelve Traditions provide the spiritual and practical underpinning for AA's ongoing adventure of living and working together. Seen through the eyes of individual members, the stories in this book offer groups, as well as members, workable solutions to difficult problems.

Frequently Asked Questions **About A.A.**



August Pamphlet of the Month: Frequently Asked Questions About A.A

Answers many of the common questions people have about alcoholism and A.A.: What is alcoholism? What are the Twelve Steps? How can I tell if I am really an alcoholic? Informative reading for those

seeking help with a drinking problem, as well as for their families and friends. General Service Conference-approved.

DISTRICT 3 BUSINESS MEETING- Meets the 3rd Sunday of every month at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 500 West Stuart St. Bartow, FL 33830. 1:00PM Service Workshop and 2:00PM Business Meeting. Unless otherwise announced.

***The District III Gratitude Dinner is a
GOOOOO!!!!***

Get involved with our District III Gratitude Dinner. First information meeting, to get things started will be at 2pm on Sunday August 1, 2021 at the Fellowship Hall at 401 N Lake Howard Dr. in Winter Haven. We'll start in getting committees going. Our second meeting will be after the August 16 -2pm District meeting - approximately 3:30pm - at the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church 500 W Stuart St in Bartow. Come and join in the fun!!



"AA is alive and well!" This picture was sent to us from a member who took a trip to Costa Rica. During their trip they saw this AA Meeting Club House. Just goes to show AA is still going all over this world! **"When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there"**



We still have them!!!! 2020 International AA Convention Swag Bags!! Great for those who love to collect memorabilia! You get the bag, plus all that is pictured for \$5.00+tax!! At your Heartland Intergroup Office :)

Please direct all
communications to:
P.O. Box 459
Grand Central Station
New York, NY 10163
Fax: (212) 870-3003

Date: June 29, 2021

Re: Name That Theme: 2025 International Convention

Warmest greetings to all!

Time seems to fly so quickly, yet there is so much to look forward to especially as we begin to imagine themes for the 2025 International Convention celebration of A.A.'s 90th Anniversary in Vancouver, B.C., on July 3-6, 2025. Your creative ideas are vital and will be presented to and selected by the Trustees' International Conventions/Regional Forums Committee. With the October 15, 2021, deadline right around the corner we ask you to quickly forward your ideas.

Here is a flashback of previous International Convention themes:

1965 "I Am Responsible"
1970 "Unity"
1975 "Let It Begin with Me"
1980 "The Joy of Living"
1985 "Fifty Years with Gratitude".
1990 "Fifty-Five Years — One Day at a Time"
1995 "A.A. Everywhere — Anywhere"
2000 "Pass It on — Into the 21st Century"
2005 "I Am Responsible"; 2010 "A Vision for You"
2015 "80 Years — Happy, Joyous and Free"; and
2020 "Love and Tolerance is Our Code."

Send your ideas to the International Conventions Assignment, P.O. Box 459, Grand Central Station, New York, NY 10163, or email 2025ictheme@aa.org. We look forward to hearing from you.

See you in Vancouver!!

WILSON HOUSE One Group

presents THE SUMMER BASH!

Dinner Includes:

Ribs, Chicken, Potato Salad, Baked Beans, Dessert, Coffee and Soft drinks are included! There will also be a 50/50 raffle. As always your support is greatly appreciated! Tell your friends! The more the merrier!

Speakers:

There will be two (2) speakers for this eating meeting. Tammy M. and Shawn C. will share their experience, strength and hope! The speakers will start at 1:00 PM and 1:30 PM respectively.

Donation:

\$8.00 at the door. All proceeds to benefit the Wilson House

Questions:

Please call (863) 859-7503 with any questions you may have. Otherwise we hope to see you then!

*Where there is
despair may we bring
hope*

Where & When:

Trinity United Methodist Church
Fellowship Hall, 715 Cornelia Ave,
Lakeland FL

Sunday August 15th from 12:00 –
3:00 PM





PROGRAM & ACTIVITIES

Family Workshops ■ Young People Meeting ■ Golf Tournament
 ASL Interpreting ■ LGBTQ Meetings ■ 5k Run/Walk
 Ice Cream Socials ■ Dances and Entertainment ■ Marathon Meetings
 Spanish Speaking Meetings ■ Grapevine ■ Archives Room
 Old Timers Meeting ■ Meditation Meetings ■ Al-Anon
 Convention Merchandise ■ Photo ops with our CoFounders Bill & Dr. Bob ■ Yoga



Guest Speakers:

Steve V. - Jacksonville, FL
 Heather G. - Louisville, KY
 Polly P. - Jacksonville, FL
 June G. - Los Angeles, CA
 Robyn G. (AFG) - Winston-Salem, NC
 Ron B. - Riverview, FL
 Charlie C. - Los Angeles, CA
 Ken D. - Los Angeles, CA

Host Hotel Information

Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverside
 225 East Coastline Dr. ■ Jacksonville, Florida 32202
 (904) 588-1234 ■ 1-800-492-8804
<https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/JAXRJ/G-AAFL>

Rates:

Standard King/Double \$134.00

Suites \$149.00 to \$259.00

Discount Rate Code: G-AAFL

Rates will be honored 3 days before and 3 days after the convention dates, based on availability.

All rooms are subject to state and local taxes.

This Hotel Is Non-smoking

Designated smoking areas will be provided.

Advance Deposit of first night's room and tax are due at time of reservation.

Check-in 3 P.M. — Check-out 12 P.M.

Parking Rates: \$12/day Self Parking
 \$17/day Valet Parking

THE AGE OF MIRACLES IS STILL WITH US

**64th
FLORIDA STATE
CONVENTION**

August 5-8, 2021



**64th Florida State Convention
JACKSONVILLE 2021**

Name _____ Name to be printed on name tag _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____ Email Address _____

Sobriety Date ____ / ____ / ____ Special Needs ____ Type: _____

I would like to Volunteer _____ The committee/area of interest I have is _____

I am a: Past Delegate ____ Delegate ____ Past Trustee ____ Trustee ____ AA ____
AI Anon ____ Visitor ____

REGISTRATION AND SPORTS

Description	Price	Qty	Sub Total
Registration	\$35		
Scholarship Donation	\$5		
Friday Ice Cream Social	\$15		
Saturday Ice Cream Social	\$15		
Friday Banquet (Circle one) Chicken Fish Beef Vegan	\$45		
Saturday Banquet (Circle one) Chicken Fish Beef Vegan	\$45		
Weekend Package: registration Fri & Sat Banquet (Pick above), Fri & Sat Ice Cream Social	\$145		
Golf Tournament	\$85		
5k Run/Walk	\$20		







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SUBTOTAL \$

Banquet registrations by mail must be received no later than August 2, 2021
Hotel registration by mail must be received no later than July 5, 2021
Refer to 64th Florida State convention.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
64th Florida State Convention
PO Box 57442
Jacksonville, FL 32241

MERCHANDISE

Description (Select Color)	Price	Qty	Sub Total
Tee: S M L XL  Circle One	\$10		
Tee: XXL XXXL	\$12		
Performance Polo: S M L XL  Circle One	\$25		
Performance Polo: XXL XXXL	\$27		
NeckWallet/Lanyard  Circle One	\$5		
Tote Bag  Circle One	\$10		
Lapel Pin 	\$5		
11oz. Coffee Mug 	\$5		

SUBTOTAL \$

Additional Merchandise & Packages Available. Exclusively Online at
64.FloridaStateConvention.com

PAYMENT INFORMATION

CHECK/MONEY ORDER ☐ CASH ☐

Credit cards are accepted online or in person only. Please do not send
you credit card information through the mail.

GRAND TOTAL \$

Labor Day Party



- **When:** Saturday September 4, 2021 @ 10:00 AM
Until: 7:00 PM
- 2720 East Main St Lakeland, Fl.
- Plenty of Food and Beverages
- 50/50 drawing to be held at the end of the 5:30 meeting.
- Do not have to be present to win
- Live Music and Drawings throughout the day!
- AA meetings @ NOON and 5:30 PM
- Come celebrate Labor Day Weekend @ the 2720 CLUB

Sponsored by AA Groups of the 2720 Club

Leave your Lunch Home



Lunch will be Provided

- **When:** Wednesdays - Starting 7, 2021 @ Noon - 1:00PM
-
- **Where:** 2720 East Main St Lakeland, Fl.33801
-
- Food and beverages

Provided by: [Plug in The Jug](#)

Join us for Lunch and a Noon time
meeting @ the 2720 CLUB



A Spiritual Retreat given by & for A.A.s and Al-Anons

October 15, 16, & 17, 2021

March 18, 19, & 20, 2022

October 14, 15, & 16, 2022

Meals and accommodations provided by:

The Benedictine Monks

St. Leo Abbey Retreat Center

88701 State Road 52

St. Leo, FL 33574

\$186/person * (double occupancy) \$226/person * (private room)

*The cost of the retreat includes a semi-private room with bed linens and towels, 5 meals, snacks, beverages, and retreat activities.

The retreat includes meditation instruction and three meditations.

Payment is required with your registration. Registration confirmations are sent to the email address provided. Fees are not refundable but, are transferable to a substitute attendee for the same retreat. No monies are handled at the retreat center.

Please make checks payable to "QUEST" and mail with registration form to:

Quest Retreat

PO Box 665

Largo, FL 33770

For more information, visit www.questretreat.com, call Rick @ 787-639-8035, or email us at katiequestretreat@gmail.com

Register early. There are only 50 spaces available.

Name: _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Smoker

Address: _____ ☐ AA ☐ Al-Anon

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

Retreat Date: _____ Donation \$ _____ Amount Enclosed \$ _____

☐ Private Room ☐ Double Occupancy - Preferred Roommate: _____

Only One Person Per Form. Please Print Clearly.

The Abbey Retreat Center is located at 33601 Florida 52, St. Leo, FL 33574

- Enter the main campus entrance.
- Follow the roundabout.
- Exit the roundabout on Edward Court.
- Proceed to Bowman Drive.
- Turn right on Grove Street.
- Park along Grove Street.
- Follow the posted signs to the entrance.



Addresses for Contributions:

General Service Office

Box 459 Grand Central Station
New York, NY 10163
Payable to: AA General Service Office

Area 15 Treasurer

Area 15
P.O. Box 311

Safety Harbor, FL 34695
Payable to: Area 15 Treasurer

District III Treasurer

PO Box 92
Avon Park, FL 33826
Payable to: District III Funds

Heartland Intergroup

4204 S. Florida Ave, Suite H
Lakeland, FL 33803
Payable to: Heartland Intergroup



SAVE THE DATE!

SSAASA 6

Hosted by Area 15 South Florida

November 19-21, 2021

**Tampa Airport Marriott
4200 George J. Bean Parkway
Tampa, Florida 33607**

For information, please contact:
Joann B. at Register.ssaasa6@gmail.com
Sharon G. at ssaasa6outreach@gmail.com
Shelby B. at ssaasa6volunteer@gmail.com

***Southern States Alcoholics Anonymous Service Assembly
More information forthcoming!***

You can book your hotel, please keep in mind it will be your responsibility to cancel your room reservation if the event is cancelled or becomes a virtual event.

Tampa International Airport Marriott, 4200 George J. Bean Parkway, Tampa, FL 33607
Room Rate: \$139.00 for Standard Rooms: Single, Double, Triple or Quad and “when available” 2 days prior and 2 days after the event. **ROOMS MUST be booked by Tuesday October 26, 2021**

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?>

[id=1610053519101&key=GRP&app=resvlink](https://www.marriott.com/booking?resvlinkid=1610053519101&key=GRP&app=resvlink)

or by calling the Tampa Airport Marriott at (855) 516-1090 mention group code
“SSAASA 6”



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