



WABASH VALLEY INTERGROUP

Newsletter

Your Intergroup needs your help!



There are several new meetings in the Terre Haute area, which is wonderful news. However, we have outgrown our meeting list format. While we prepare to design and print new lists on larger paper, we need for you, our members, to help us verify that the information we are publishing about your group is correct. Please take a few moments to check that contact

information and meeting details are correct on both the website and printed lists, and then contact your intergroup representative with any changes.

Thank you!

In Love and Service,
Wabash Valley Intergroup

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 21, 2012
Crawfordsville's 63rd AA Anniversary
Danville IN

April 27, 2012
13th Annual Unity Days
Jasonville IN

April 28, 2012
Putnam County AA Golf Outing
Cloverdale IN

April 28, 2012
61st AA Anniversary
Putnam County
Greencastle IN

May 11-13, 2012
Wabash Valley Men's Spring Workshop
Jasonville IN

June 2, 2012
Illiana Mini Conference
Terre Haute IN

SOBRIETY ANNIVERSARIES IN MARCH

- Larry M – 37 years
- Mike N – 18 years
- Cecil H – 7 years
- Kevin C – 5 years
- Marcy B – 4 years
- Chris W – 4 years
- George J – 4 years

Email your events or your sobriety anniversaries to:

contact@terrehauteaa.com

STEP FOUR:

“Made a searching and fearless moral inventory of ourselves.

Creation gave us instincts for a purpose. Without them we wouldn't be complete human beings. If men and women didn't exert themselves to be secure in their persons, made no effort to harvest food or construct shelter, there would be no survival. If they didn't reproduce, the earth wouldn't be populated. If there were no social instinct, if men cared nothing for the society of one another, there would be no society. So these desires—for the sex relation, for material and emotional security, and for companionship—are perfectly necessary and right, and surely God-given.

Yet these instincts, so necessary for our existence, often far exceed their proper functions. Powerfully, blindly, many times subtly, they drive us, dominate us, and insist upon ruling our lives. Our desires for sex, for material and emotional security, and for an important place in society often tyrannize us. When thus out of joint, man's natural desires cause him great trouble, practically all the trouble there is. No human being, however good, is exempt from these troubles. Nearly every serious emotional problem can be seen as a case of misdirected instinct. When that happens, our great natural assets, the instincts, have turned into physical and mental liabilities.

Step Four is our vigorous and painstaking effort to discover what these liabilities in each of us have been, and are. We want to find exactly how, when, and where our natural desires have warped us. We wish to look squarely at the unhappiness this has caused others and ourselves. By discovering what our emotional deformities are, we can move toward their correction. Without a willing and persistent effort to do this, there can be little sobriety or contentment for us. Without a searching and fearless moral inventory, most of us have found that the faith which really works in daily living is still out of reach.

Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions pages 42 and 43

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Tuesday Newcomers = \$27.00
Linton 12 Steppers = \$10.00
Beginner's Group = \$31.00
Men's Action Group = \$75.00
Primary Purpose = \$10.00
SHITS = \$100.00
New Hope = \$10.00
Brazil Wednesday = \$30.00
Young at Heart = \$60.00
Esteban R = \$17.81

To Corrections:

Just for Today = \$30.00
WTH Beginner's Group = \$27.00
Greencastle Thursday Night = \$48.26

SHITS = \$100.00

Greene County (all mtgs) = \$51.00
Tuesday Newcomers = \$6.00
Serenity at Seven = \$95.00
Greencastle Sunday = \$20.86
VCPL Grapevine = \$30.00
Monday Men's Big Book = \$13.50
Thursday Noon Big Book = \$7.00
Thursday Men's Stag = \$9.80
Primary Purpose = \$8.64
VCPL 12 & 12 = \$24.46
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HELP WANTED

Men needed to help carry the message into the Federal Corrections Center in Terre Haute. One year continuous sobriety, background check and letter of endorsement required. Contact Dale H at 812.249.5298

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