



WABASH VALLEY INTERGROUP

Newsletter

New meeting list directory coming soon...



Several new meetings have been established in Terre Haute and the surrounding cities in the past few months. It is wonderful to see our community grow.

these new lists to be available very soon.

In Love and Service,
Wabash Valley Intergroup

However, the number of meetings has outgrown the capacity of our current meeting list format. Your Intergroup is working on a new program, in an easier to read format. Look for

UPCOMING EVENTS

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

June 2, 2012
Illiana Mini Conference
Terre Haute IN

June 23, 2012
3rd Annual Big Book Bash
Lieber State Recreation Area

SOBRIETY ANNIVERSARIES IN APRIL

Larry M – 37 years

Don K – 28 years

Mary Ellen W – 24 years

John P – 23 years

Terry A – 20 years

Debbie W – 10 years

Don O – 4 years

John T – 4 years

Email your events or your sobriety anniversaries to:

contact@terrehauteaa.com

STEP FIVE

“Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being the exact nature of our wrongs.”

From Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions page 37

What are we likely to receive from Step Five? For one thing, we shall get rid of that terrible sense of isolation which we’ve always had. Almost without exception, alcoholics are tortured by loneliness. Even before our drinking got bad and people began to cut us off, nearly all of us suffered the feeling that we didn’t quite belong. Either we were shy, and dared not draw near others, or we were apt to be noisy goodfellows craving attention and companionship, but never getting it—at least to our way of thinking. There was always that mysterious barrier we could neither surmount nor understand. It was as if we were actors on a stage, suddenly realizing that we did not know a single line of our parts. That’s one reason we loved alcohol too well. It did let us act extemporaneously. But even Bacchus boomeranged on us; we were finally struck down and left in terrified loneliness.

When we reached A.A., and for the first time in our lives stood among people who seemed to understand, the sense of belonging was tremendously exciting. We thought the isolation problem had been solved. But we soon discovered that while we weren’t alone any more in a social sense, we still suffered many of the old pangs of anxious apartness. Until we talked with complete candor of our conflicts, and had listened to someone else do the same thing, we still didn’t belong. Step Five was the answer. It was the beginning of true kinship with man and God.

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- Tuesday Newcomers = \$40.00
- Mecca = \$10.00
- A Vision for Women = \$60.00
- Thursday Big Book = \$45.70

- Greencastle Candlelight = \$22.00
- Monday Men’s Stag = \$5.00
- VCPL Grapevine = \$25.81
- Wabash Valley Group = \$3.45
- Serenity at Seven = \$40.00
- A Vision for Women = \$30.00
- WTH Big Book = \$21.00
- VCPL 12&12 = \$29.50
- Primary Purpose = \$5.00

To Corrections:

- Tuesday Newcomers = \$5.00
- Greene Co New Beginnings = \$16.00
- Greene Co New Hope = \$6.00
- Jasonville Beginners = \$7.00
- Anonymous = \$6.00

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HELP WANTED

Men needed to 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

Women needed to carry the message into Vigo County Work Release. One year continuous sobriety, background check and letter of endorsement required. Contact Terri S at 812.241.7268.

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