



# WABASH VALLEY INTERGROUP

## Newsletter

**See page 2 for an article about the upcoming 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Memorial Golf Outing.**



*Step Nine: "Made direct amends to such people whenever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others."*

Good judgment, a careful sense of timing, courage and prudence – these are the qualities we shall need when we take Step Nine.

After we have made the list of people we have harmed, have reflected carefully on each instance, and have tried to possess ourselves of the right attitude in which to proceed, we will see that the making of direct amends divides those we should approach into several classes. There will be those who

ought to be dealt with just as soon as we become reasonably confident that we can maintain our sobriety. There will be those to whom we can make only partial restitution, lest complete disclosures do them or others more harm than good. There will be other cases where action ought to be deferred, and still others in which by the very nature of the situation we shall never be able to make personal contact at all.

From Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions page 83.

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### **SOBRIETY ANNIVERSARIES AUGUST 2011**

- Cathy H – 22 years (in July)**
- Jay – 24 years**
- Chris A – 14 years**
- Dennis E – 12 years**
- Dave K – 9 years**
- Lisa W – 8 years**

- Bill P – 2 years**
- Mike R – 1 year**
- Tina K – 1 year**

**Email your sobriety date:** [contact@terrehauteaa.com](mailto:contact@terrehauteaa.com)

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

September 16-18, 2011  
**16<sup>th</sup> Annual Traditions Campout**  
Lincoln State Park  
Lincoln City IN

September 23, 2011  
**21<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Dinner – TGIF Al-Anon Group & SHITS AA Group**  
Presbyterian Church  
Farmersburg IN

October 1, 2011  
**5<sup>th</sup> Annual Memorial Golf Outing**  
Idle Creek Golf Course  
Terre Haute IN

October 7-9, 2011  
**29<sup>th</sup> Annual Columbus Men's Workshop**  
Columbus Youth Camp  
Columbus IN

October 15, 2011  
**112 Group 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fall Workshop**  
Presbyterian Church  
Bedford IN

I have been asked to speak about the upcoming "Golf Outing" which supports the Terre Haute Men's Recovery Workshop in May of each year.

I would like to take this time to share a change in what the golf outing represents. When Tess K. died in 2007 - I very selfishly ran a golf outing on Sept 29, 2007 which would have been our 20 year wedding anniversary -family and AA family supported this in a tremendous fashion and we were able to donate over 2,000 dollars to St Ann's Clinic (where Tess was a volunteer). The next year we donated again to St Ann's, then to the victims of the flood in 2009. Last year and going forward we are using the donations to support the Men's Workshop. Here is the change - the golf outing will be named "The Memorial Golf Outing" -- as Tess herself would say " I am not here for a popularity contest" - there are many people in our recovery community whom have passed and left us with a lot of great memories! Just to name a few: T J - Bob Jones -and many, many others. Therefore it's just "The Memorial Golf Outing". These folks have left us with many memories which sustain our sobriety each day.

We will read a list each year of those who we want to be remembered, so - I need all your help - please send in the names of those whom have passed on and left you with memories that keep us sober today. We will read that list each year at the golf outing. Please join us this year – October 1, 2011.

Don K

(Please email names for memorial list to kane.don13@yahoo.com)

**CONTRIBUTIONS AUGUST 2011**

**To Correctional Facilities:**

- Thurs AA Greencastle = \$37.97
- Living Sober Greencastle = \$12.50
- Friday Night Meeting = \$17.00
- Linton 12 Steppers = \$5.00
- Young at Heart = \$55.00
- ????????? = \$18.14
- Wabash Valley Group = \$7.00
- Serenity at Seven = \$95.00
- Weds BB Greencastle = \$36.00
- Sunday AA Greencastle = \$40.00
- Just for Today = \$29.86

**To Intergroup:**

- New Beginnings = \$11.50
- Greencastle = \$40.00
- Intergroup Meeting = \$10.00
- Primary Purpose Group = \$25.00
- Linton 12 Steppers = \$20.00
- Grapevine = \$50.00
- Diane L = \$95.00
- Tuesday Newcomers = \$48.00
- Thursday Noon BB = \$54.29

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