

# The Messenger



MIAMI-DADE INTERGROUP

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"We feel we are walking on the Broad Highway, walking hand in hand  
with the Spirit of the Universe."

**65th Annual Banquet  
MIAMI-DADE INTERGROUP**

**Saturday  
MARCH 21st, 2020**

**6:00pm - Reception  
7:00pm - Dinner  
8:30pm - Speaker  
Followed by Dance @ 10:00pm**

**Tickets:  
\$40.00 per person / \$400 per table (10 people)**

**Double Tree Hotel by Hilton    711 NW 72nd Ave. - 33126  
(Near Miami Int'l Airport)**

**"Came to believe that a power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity."**

STEP 2

The Big Book infers that a vital spiritual experience is necessary for alcoholics to face and be rid of the obsession to drink. (p. 27) Yet, paradoxically, we are told that belief in God was not necessary to accomplish this miracle—we need only become willing to believe. (p. 46) Indeed, I found that it wasn't necessary to define God before doing the Twelve Steps, but I began to see the result of my willingness to believe several months afterward. I experienced a release from that deadly mental obsession that had plagued me for nearly thirty years! My willingness to believe came before doing the Twelve Steps, but my belief came afterwards. The evidence was indisputable—I had been released! I had experienced a "personality change sufficient to recover from alcoholism." I had been in AA for about a year before the release took place (The Big Book uses the word recovered), so in AA Program language I had had a spiritual awakening (slow) rather than a spiritual experience (sudden) as mentioned in Appendix II. (p. 567)

The Big Book does not say that I must understand God, but it speaks of: "God as we understood Him," in Steps 3 and 11. This simply means that we each may entertain our different views of a higher power. Although I may not understand God, I can see His results, i.e.: We have over two million sober alcoholics in AA and most all of us claim that God saved them from an alcoholic pit. (Including me!)

Reverend Sam Shoemaker, Bill Wilson's Oxford Group mentor, stated: "Step two is not theological, it is evidential." The evidence is around the AA tables!

As I study the Big Book, I realize that certain words are used in a special and technical context not to be found in dictionaries. One of these words is "sanity." Sanity, in Big Book speak, is when an alcoholic can see and act on the truth in the matter of drink. Alcoholic insanity is when they cannot. Two examples: Alcoholic insanity: Jim pouring whisky into milk: "plain insanity" (p. 37) Alcoholic Sanity: Fitz Mayo who "couldn't drink even if he would." (p. 57)

Someone wrote: "The better I understand God, the less I know God." Came to believe is a decision of the heart, rather than of a conclusion of the mind." Bob S.



"I've been sober nine months, but I'm still working on a couple of character defects!"

### Alcohol - The Great Remover

Alcohol is a product of amazing versatility. It will remove stains from designer clothes, and will also remove the clothes from your back.

If by chance it is used in sufficient quantities, alcohol will remove furniture from the home, rugs from the floor, food from the table, lining from the stomach, vision from the eyes, judgment from the mind.

Alcohol will also remove good reputations, good jobs, good friends, happiness from children's hearts, sanity, freedom, spouses, relationships, and man's ability to adjust and live with his fellow man, even life itself.

As a remover, alcohol has no equal!

Patricia Dixon



"You've come to the right place, fella."



"After all these years! Married to a secret drinker!"

## Who am I to Judge Another?

By Rick R.

We all must use good judgement as we trudge the road of life  
For if we lack in this domain it often ends in strife  
Good Judgement tells us, look both ways,  
before we cross the road

For if we don't a bus may come and squash us like a toad  
It's when we're judging other people, that we go astray  
But it comes back to haunt us in a dark and shameful way  
I asked myself why I was prone to pointing out their faults

When in my mind it seems to foster negative results  
Then in a conversation with a friend who understood  
He said that shaming other people, never ends up good  
When pointing out Their faults and flaws it shows  
I'm off the beam

And that it really does expose my own low self-esteem  
Since that day I've monitored my judge mentality  
And as I reign it in, I gain my own integrity

It's not my job to point out others, when I think they're flawed  
For if I harbored that approach, I'd still be playing God.

Accepting them just as they are, is the remedy

We learn that no one's perfect and that's oh so plain to see  
When pointing out the faulty things that other people do  
The act of Judging others nears the top of that list too.

## 65th Annual

## Miami-Dade Intergroup Banquet

BIG BOOK RAFFLE!

1948 - FIRST EDITION "BIG BOOK"

12th Printing

Winning ticket to be drawn at  
Banquet

Doubletree Hotel by Hilton on  
March 21st, 2020

NEED NOT TO BE PRESENT TO WIN

1 ticket for \$5.00 or

3 tickets for \$10.00

## Our Own Concept of a Higher Power..... All You Need is an Open Mind

By Rick R.

When we are born, we come into the world untainted and perfectly innocent. From that time on, we are influenced by everything we experience in life, good and bad. If we are loved and nurtured, we may develop feelings of trust and safety, but if, as it sometimes happens, we get our hand slapped when we pick up something from the coffee table, it may trigger an attitude of defiance and resistance. These two opposites are just examples of the many conflicts we encounter in a lifetime. We are conditioned to think and react in a certain way as the result of the influences we are exposed to. Newcomers in Alcoholics Anonymous, and even some seasoned veterans, often find it hard to grasp a concept of "a power greater than ourselves." This is probably the biggest hurdle we in AA must face in our search for a happy and meaningful life. Once we come to terms with the concept of a higher power, it becomes much easier to proceed with the rest of the program. The word God means something different to just about everyone that is having difficulty with it, and if God alone was the answer, why do priests and ministers come to AA for solutions; why not just go to church? Alcoholics Anonymous is here for all alcoholics that want to get sober regardless of their approach to faith. Anyone that thinks that we are trying to convert someone into a religion or out of a religion is simply misguided. The Big book and the 12X12 have many comments explaining this, but unfortunately this old conditioning, bolstered by the EGO, seems to block some of us from breaking down the resistance on this subject, or some members may just fake it to appear to be going along with the program, but never getting the results. If we denied the possibility of a God of the different religious groups, they could not have AA available to them, and if we made it a requirement that we picked one of those beliefs, atheists would be left out.

If a person believes that he doesn't have a higher power, I might remind him/her that alcohol was more powerful or else why would they need AA. With this in mind, I might suggest that they may only need to find a power greater than alcohol to begin with, then, as it says in the 12X12 "To acquire it, I had only to stop fighting and practice the rest of A.A.'s program as enthusiastically as I could." As I look back on it now, I realize that, that was exactly the way I found my way through this dilemma. I find absolutely no conflict in any approach that one discovers on his own, only that he practices the rest of the program with enthusiasm. What it seems to imply is that if we trust the process and, just do the suggestions, you will find a suitable understanding of a power greater than yourself that you can do business with. I'm still not sure what or who (if you like) I am asking for guidance from but I'm open minded about these things, and I must let everyone find their own brand of enlightenment, without prejudging anyone else's approach on this matter. I believe that changing my perception was what put me firmly on the road to recovery. The only thing that I must resist is my EGO, and the way I do that is by living by sound and unselfish principles many of which are discussed in AA meetings It's not that complicated. If I don't get caught up in the debate and just follow the simplest suggestions, it all works out just fine.

Therefore, Step Two is the rallying point for all of us. "Whether agnostic, atheist of former believers, we can stand together on this Step." (12x12 Pg.33)



Le dice un borracho a su amigo:

- Sabés qué?, le hice una broma al del colectivo.

- ¿Por qué? - Porque le pagué y no me subí.

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- ¡Una cuerda, por favor! ¡Una cuerda! -  
grita uno desde el centro del río.

Y en la orilla habían dos borrachos y uno le dice a otro:

- ¡Mirá que estúpido! ¡No se conforma  
con ahogarse, que ahora quiere ahorcarse!

### ¿CÓMO? ¿NO HAY PRESIDENTE?

Cuando se les dice que nuestra sociedad no tiene presidente con autoridad para dirigirla, ni tesorero que pueda exigir el pago de cuotas... nuestros amigos se quedan asombrados y exclaman, "Eso no puede ser así"...

DOCE PASOS Y DOCE TRADICIONES, p. 139

Cuando por fin llegué a A.A. no podía creer que no había tesorero que pudiera exigir el pago de cuotas". No me podía imaginar una Comunidad que no exigiera contribuciones económicas a cambio de servicios. Fue la primera -y hasta la fecha la única- experiencia que tuve de recibir "algo por nada". Ya que no me sentía abusado o engañado por los A.A., me era posible abordar el programa sin prejuicios y con mente abierta. No querían nada de mí. ¿Qué tenía que perder? Doy gracias a Dios por la sabiduría de los cofundadores que conocían tan bien el desdén que tiene el alcohólico a ser manipulado.

-Como Lo Ve Bill - Feb. 28



### Los temas de la revista en el 2020

¡Lleva el mensaje de AA a través de la revista!

Encuentra motivación en los temas que te sugerimos haciendo clic aquí, pero recuerda que puedes escribir sobre el tema que desees, siempre y cuando sea un mensaje de tu experiencia en AA.



### ESPERANZAS Y EXIGENCIAS

Graba en la conciencia de cada individuo el hecho de que se puede poner bien a pesar de cualquier otra persona. La única condición es que confíe en Dios, y haga una limpieza de su interior.

ALCOHOLICOS ANONIMOS, p. 91

En nuestras reuniones a menudo tratamos del tema de las esperanzas. No tiene nada de malo esperar progresos de mí mismo, buenas cosas de la vida o buen trato por parte de otra gente. Lo malo está en dejar que mis esperanza se conviertan en exigencias.

No lograré ser lo que quiero ser, y las situaciones se desarrollarán, porque la gente de vez en cuando me fallará. La única pregunta es: "¿Qué voy a hacer al respecto?" ¿Sumirme en la ira o en la lástima de mí mismo? ¿Vengarme y hacer que la situación vaya de mal en peor? O, ¿confiaré en el poder de Dios para traerme bendiciones a los días en los que me encuentre? ¿Le preguntaré a qué debo dedicarme a aprender? ¿Sigo haciendo las debidas cosas que yo sé hacer, sea lo que sea? ¿Me tomo la molestia de compartir mi fe y mis bendiciones con otras personas?

-Como Lo Ve Bill - Feb. 14

### Convención Internacional - Detroit, Michigan Julio 2 al 5 de 2020

Para el otoño de 2019, se dispondrá de información sobre la inscripción para la Convención y reservaciones en hoteles. Se proporcionará a la información necesaria en los paquetes de inscripción, que también estarán disponibles en otoño de 2019. El paquete incluirá una lista de números telefónicos a que llamar para informarse en concreto sobre el alojamiento, el programa, etc.

Se facilitará la información por correo postal a los grupos, oficinas y contactos de A.A. alrededor del mundo, así como por el sitio web.



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***Yes, I want to participate in the Faithful Fiver Club!***

Contribution information: Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly: \_\_\_\_\_ Quarterly: \_\_\_\_\_ Annually: \_\_\_\_\_

(Note: No A.A. member can contribute more than \$3,000 per year)

I am a new Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Returning Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Check Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I would like my name to be added in "The Messenger." \_\_\_\_\_ No, I would like to remain anonymous

**For Credit Card recurring contribution information please call the office at: 305.461.2425**

"Each day that your Group participates in the work of our local A.A. services, whether through those who "Contribute their Time" or Group Contributions, or Sobriety Contributions, something wonderful happens in A.A. When a newcomer calls us and finds your meeting, it is indeed a miracle. Your contributions show that you care about the services we as a fellowship provide and continued hope for the newcomer that reaches out for help. Words cannot fully express the deep gratitude about the energy that your A.A. Group devotes into carrying the message of hope to the still suffering alcoholic."



**FAITHFUL FIVER FRIENDS** are fellow A.A. members who contribute \$5.00 a month to the Intergroup Office as an act of gratitude. Their generosity help us to carry the message of A.A. to the still sick and suffering alcoholics throughout the year! THANK YOU TO OUR FAITHFUL FIVER'S....Your contributions are very much appreciated.  
**9 Anonymous.**

### COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

#### **GS DISTRICT 10 Monthly Business Meeting**

1st Tuesday of the month  
at 7:30pm at the  
CG Congregational Ch.  
3010 De Soto Blvd., CG  
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#### **GS DISTRICT 10 Corrections Committee**

4th Thursday of the month  
@ 8:00pm at  
Sabal Palm Room  
10102 SW 107th Av., 33176  
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#### **Miami FCYPAA Host**

2nd & 4th Sunday of the month  
@ 1:30pm at the  
Lambda Miami Dade Club  
28 NE 54th St.  
Miami, FL 33137  
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#### **Archives Committee**

4th Tuesday of the month  
@ 6:30pm - Sunset Room  
6999 N. Waterway Dr.  
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#### **Remote Communities**

3rd Sunday of the month  
@ 10:00am at Little River Club  
51 NE 82nd Tr.  
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#### **Accessibilities**

2nd Saturday of the month  
@ 11:00am West Dixie Club  
1636 NE 148th St.  
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#### **GS DISTRICT 10 Grapevine Committe**

1st Wednesday of the month  
@ 7:15pm  
Upper Room  
822 NE 125th St. # 111  
North Miami, FL 33161  
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#### **GS DISTRICT 10 Literature Committee**

2nd Tuesday of the month  
@ 8:00pm  
Iglesia Metodista Unida  
133 Ponce de Leon Blvd.  
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Meetings at the  
**CORAL ROOM**  
1100 Ponce de Leon, CG  
305.446.9558  
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#### **GS DISTRICT 10 PI/CPC**

4th Saturday of the month  
@ 3:00pm  
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**Treatment Committe**  
3rd Saturday of the Month  
@ 3:00pm  
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**For more information go to  
[www.district10miami.org](http://www.district10miami.org)**

## HOMESTEAD GROUP

### 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

**FEBRUARY 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

Coffee Social: 5:00pm / Dinner: 6:00pm

Speaker Meeting @ 7:30pm



**Guest Speaker**



**\$10.00** per ticket

Fun, Fellowship, 50/50 Raffle, Music!

**Desserts WELCOME!**

## INTERGROUP BENEFIT!



Location:  
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14601 SW 248th St.  
Homestead, FL 33032



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**TRADITION TWO**

"For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority... a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience.

Our leaders are but trusted servants... they do not govern."



## NOVEMBER

### PRIMARY PURPOSE

Jose 1  
Rose 6  
Jay 10  
Mike 10  
Izzy 32  
Linda 40

## DECEMBER

### HOMESTEAD

Kennith F. 1  
Bruce H. 1  
Sean T. 1  
Rich H. 9  
Miki S. 9  
Morgan C. 27

### PRIMARY PURPOSE

Steve 1  
Sam 1  
George 1  
Nelson 4  
Pat R. 11  
Sheldon 14  
Steve 16  
Kathy 19  
Susan 34

## FEBRUARY

### LITTLE RIVER

Cindy T. 2	Judy J. 24
Tony G. 2	Xavier 27
Antonio T. 4	Eva T. 28
Owens B. 6	James S. 29
Ralph J. 12	Docc 30
Darryl B. 16	Ralph J. 30
Clifton 17	

## SOUTH DADE

Kelly M. 2  
Erin B. 2  
V. 3  
Ann 4  
Ivan 9  
Nellie 9  
Karen 9  
Bryan S. 9  
Chris M. 11  
Alexandra 14  
Richard V. 20  
Peter C. 22  
Jack C. 31  
Mike M. 36  
Victoria 37

## LITTLE RIVER

Nicholas B. 6  
Stephanie H. 9  
Kenneth T. 12  
Carlos M. 16  
Bruce R. 20  
Herbert W. 20  
Mamie K. 31  
Keith O. 48

## HOMESTEAD

Sully 1  
Luis P. 1  
Andi M. 7  
Luisa R.  
Michael H. 15  
Tall Mike 21

### PRIMARY PURPOSE

Mary 1  
Mike 2  
Ibrahim 2  
Ray 4  
Tony 4  
Ivan 5  
Malika 5  
Humberto 6  
Angela 6  
Cory 8  
Alex 8  
Dan 9  
Robert 10  
Andres 11  
Linda 16  
Eric 25  
Aly 25  
Eva 27  
Iggy 28  
Lewie 29  
Vinnie 31  
Charlie 33

## JANUARY

### SOUTH DIXIE

Maria F. 1  
Erin B. 2  
Kelly M. 2  
Marco F. 6  
Lynn A. 14  
Rita C. 24  
Gerry C. 36  
Russell S. 39

### PALMETTO BAY

Ann C. 1  
Richard A. 6  
Amos L. 8  
Joanna J. 10  
Marlene K. 20

### SOBER WAY OUT

Ronald G. 4  
Johnny S. 8  
Connie M. 9  
Stephanie H. 9  
Robert B. 14  
Kenneth T. 15  
Patrick R. 16  
Mechelle L. 16  
Herbert W. 20  
Eudely R. 21  
David Mc B. 23  
David H. 23  
Yasaar M. 27  
Mamie K. 31  
Michael L. 35

### CORAL GABLES

Linda 1  
Pedro 1  
Camilo 1  
William 2  
Paul 2  
Edward 2  
Jack M. 2  
Gisel 4  
Camille 4  
Emily 6  
Daisy 7  
Meryl 9  
Mark B. 12  
Ken T. 12  
Miguel P. 13  
Tom 14  
Joel H. 18  
Jeannie 19  
Nitza P. 23  
Shawn 27  
Pamela D. 30

## Group Conscience/Business/Service Meetings

Brickell Group/3rd Thursday @ 1:05pm  
Brickell Circle/3d Saturday @ 8:15pm  
Coral Gables Group/3rd Thursday @ 7:00pm  
Good Morning Group/3rd Friday @ 11:00am  
Happy 1060 Group/3rd Sunday @ 11:45am  
Happy Hour Group/ 3rd Thursday @ 6:35pm  
Homestead Group/3rd Tuesday @ 7:00pm  
Lincoln Road YP/3rd Sunday @ 7:00pm  
Little River Group/2nd Sunday @ 7:00pm  
Miami Young People/3rd Saturday @ 7:00pm  
Mix Nuts Group/1st Monday @ 9:30pm  
New Beginner's # 2/2nd Thursday @ 7:30pm  
Night Owl Group/2nd Sunday @ 7:00pm  
North Miami Group/Last Wednesday @ 7:15pm  
Palmetto Bay/3rd Wednesday @ 6:35pm  
Primary Purpose/Last Wednesday @ 6:45pm  
Quinto Paso/1st Monday @ 7:00pm  
Sabal Palm/3rd Thursday @ 7:00pm  
Sober Way Out/3rd Sunday @ 7:00pm  
Something Happens/1st Saturday @ 10:00am  
South Dade Group/3rd Wednesday @ 7:00pm  
South Dixie Group/2nd Sunday @ 12:15pm  
Sunset Group/2nd Friday @ 7:00pm  
West Miami Group/3rd Tuesday @ 7:00pm  
We Stopped in Time/1st Monday @ 9:35pm  
Young, Sober & Free/Last Sunday @ 8:05pm

## Group Anniversaries

Almeria Group/Last Tuesday @ 7:30pm  
Coral Gables Group/Last Monday @ 8:00pm  
Grupo Central/Last Sunday @ 1:00pm  
Good Morning Group/Last Friday @ 10:00am  
Happy 1060 Group/Last Sunday @ 10:45am  
Happy Hour Group/Last Friday @ 5:30pm  
Homestead Group/Last Thursday @ 8:30pm  
Key Biscayne Group/Last Friday @ 8:30pm  
Killian Pines Group/Last Friday @ 8:00pm  
Lincoln Road YP/Last Sunday @ 7:00pm  
Little River Group/Last Wednesday @ 8:30pm  
Miami Springs Group/Last Monday @ 7:30pm  
Miami Young People/Last Saturday @ 8:30pm  
Mixed Nuts Group/Last Monday @ 8:30pm  
North Miami Group/Last Friday @ 8:30pm  
Palmetto Bay Group/Last Saturday @ 5:30pm  
Plymouth Group/Last Wednesday @ 7:00pm  
Primary Purpose/Last Saturday @ 8:30pm  
Sabal Palm Group/Last Sunday @ 7:00pm  
Shamrock Group/Last Tuesday @ 8:30pm  
Sober Way Out/Last Friday @ 8:30pm  
Something Happens/Last Saturday @ 9:00am  
South Dade Group/Last Friday @ 8:30pm  
South Dixie Group/Last Saturday @ 7:30pm  
Sunset Group/Last Friday @ 7:30pm  
West Miami Group/Last Friday @ 8:30pm  
We Stopped in Time/Last Monday  
Young, Sober and Free/Last Sunday

## MEETINGS IN RUSSIAN

Do you know any Russian-speaking friend, who has drinking problems?  
Please invite them to our new 7pm  
Sunday Russian-speaking  
Alcoholics Anonymous meeting.



**12 STEP HOUSE**  
205 SW 23rd St.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

[www.russianaa.com](http://www.russianaa.com)  
[russianaa.florida@gmail.com](mailto:russianaa.florida@gmail.com)

## Take Me To Your Sponsor

Sobriety can be tough sometimes, which is why recovering alcoholics can always use a good laugh. In AA, members learn to not take themselves too seriously, to be happy, joyous and free. Luckily, sobriety can be pretty darn amusing.



**TAKE ME TO YOUR SPONSOR**  
Best Jokes & Cartoons from AA Grapevine

Do you want to know.... How can you help? How can you do service? Come to our next monthly meeting of Miami-Dade Intergroup which will be held on **Thursday - March 12, 2020 @ 8:00pm Iglesia Metodista Unida- 133 Ponce de Leon - 33135 This is a great opportunity to do service!**  
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