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Editor's Note~ by Jerry D

Open-mindedness!

Welcome to this edition of this Newsletter.

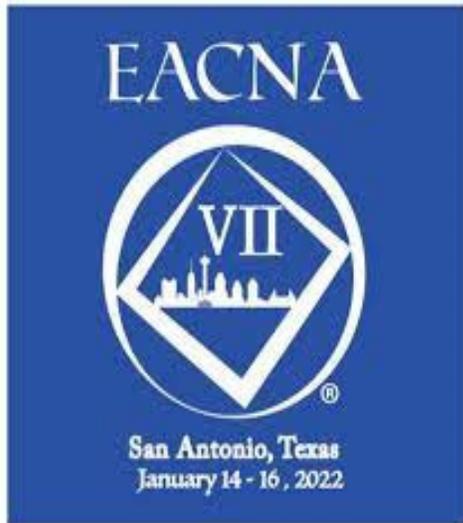
I am glad that you are able to join me

Open-mindedness leads us to the very insight that has eluded us during our lives. It is this principle that allows us to participate in discussions without jumping to conclusions or predetermining right or wrong. We no longer need to make fools of ourselves by standing up for non-existent virtues. It is said that a mind is like a parachute, it only works if it is opened. We can not graft a new idea on to a closed mind. Honesty & Willingness work hand-in-hand together with Open-mindedness. When I first came to Narcotics Anonymous, these Spiritual Principles were Greek & foreign to me. Before I could become Open-minded, Honesty miraculously turned into Self-honesty for me to admit to the idea that I was addict while I was in denial of the disease of addiction. Give yourself a break and keep fanning the flame of desire & continue to grow Spiritually!

Sponsorship

How Sponsorship gave me the guidance I needed

An Addict I am, call me Esteban. Y'all suggested that I get a Sponsor that would guide me through the process of working the Steps I didn't want to hear it! I was on paper and had only 6 months left on parole and then I would be through with parole, accountability, NA and everything that came along with the program. But, little did I know that as I kept going to meetings and being an eye witness to the miracles that were happening to the members of the fellowship, I started to draw hope from their experiences. I got off paper and took suggestions that we being offered to make meetings regularly, get a Sponsor, work the steps, start being of service and don't use no matter what! I am extremely grateful NA has a working & effective tool called Sponsorship. It has been through the therapeutic value of s Sponsor helping a Sponcee that I've been able to learn about Spiritual Principles contained in each step and how to apply them in all areas in my life and in all of my affairs and at home.



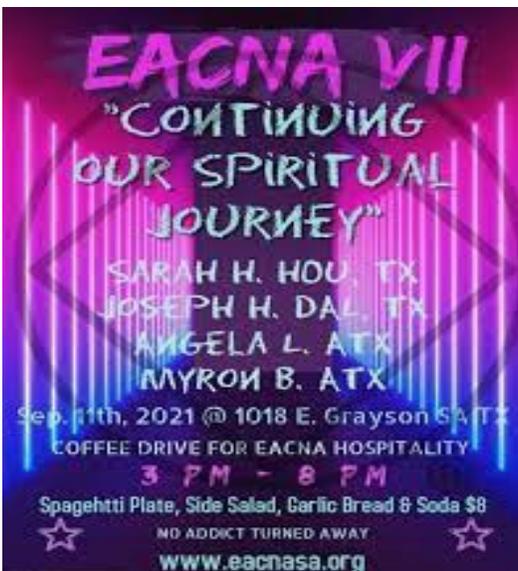
Hotel Information:

San Antonio Colonnade Hotel

9821 Colonnade Blvd

San Antonio Tx. 78230

Room Rates : \$109.00 + tax



Come on out and support your Local Area Convention Event Support Function! We will be having great food ,fun and fellowship! Our Convention is right around the corner! We are excited to see each and everyone one of you all.



TRRCNA 2023 Theme Contest

The 23rd Tejas Bluebonnet Regional Convention of Narcotics Anonymous will be held in the Southeast Texas Area, in Beaumont Tx, February 24-26,2023 and we your help! Please submit your 2023 theme ideas along with your name and phone number to themes23@trbcna.org You can find a list of past themes at trbcna.org/themehistory. Winning theme will be selected at our next TRBCNA 23 Committee Meeting on December 11th,2021. Winner will receive a free basic registration to TRBCNA 2023. For

