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General Service, District 30 4th Sunday of the month, 3:30PM Joshua Tree Fellowship Hall 6430 Park Blvd. Joshua Tree, CA 92252 Mailing Address: P O Box 1692 Yucca Valley, CA 92286-1962

Step

Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all.



Tradition

Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers.

Concept

The trustees are the principal planners and administrators of over-all policy and finance. They have custodial oversight of the separately incorporated and constantly active services, exercising this through their ability to elect all the directors of these entities



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Principle Eight

1 - Brotherly Love 2 - Reflection

June Office Statistics		
Meeting Info	142	
12 Step Calls	4	
Visitors	58	
Literature Sales	308	
Al-Anon	0	
Other 12 Step	1	
Miscellaneous	50	
Business	15	

Central Intergroup Office of the Desert Board of Directors	
Chairman: Jim B. Vice Chairman: Kathleen A. Treasurer: Kenneth J. Secretary: Allan G.	
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June Volunteers at Central Office

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Thank You !!

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Ongoing Office Safety

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the Office volunteers here, we wish you all safety and good health during these trying times. Thankfully, our office staff and customers, that have felt safe enough to venture out, have continually been unaffected by the prevalence of the viral infections here in the Coachella Valley. It has been comforting to all having a disinfecting station, with hand sanitizer, disinfectant wipes, masks and gloves available inside the door of the office, and none object to a temperature check before leaving the retractable belt staging area. The availability of a monitored Zoom computer terminal for those needing court card signatures, has been used by those few who have no alternative. This has been a gift for me, personally, as I have now a new Sponsee and we are actively working the Steps together.

Please visit our home page https://aainthedesert.org/ for updates given me frequently, for new Zoom information as well as the short list of meetings attempting to meet again in-person. Also on our home page, is a new link of upcoming International Zoom events (https://aainthedesert.org/international-upcoming-zoom-flyers/)

Another aspect of our ability to support the local AA community has been letting those interested in our inventory to use our Online Store. If you can, please let anyone know in your meetings that our website has the link available (https://aainthedesert.revelup.com/weborder/?establishment=1) to allow us it send what they need through the mail, or they can preorder and pick up the merchandise in the parking lot, or at the door. We have had very few customers, and likely this will continue through the year, but please let those you are Zooming with that we are here to support them in any safe way currently used.

Your Manager: David M.

Step Eight

Made a list of all persons we had harmed and became willing to make amends to them all.

I was told to use the list I had written in my fourth step to do my eighth step, so, this step went fairly quickly. In the fourth step I had told of all of family, bosses, and all of the people who had done me wrong and later in step four realized the one at fault was me.

This is a great place to begin work for the eighth step. I got out my list again and asked GOD for the willingness. After all, this step does say "be willing". This isn't always possible to do, however the step does say "willing to make amends to them all.

I suggest to open your heart when doing all of the steps, invite GOD to direct your thoughts and actions. Stay out of the results and pray. By this time in your journey God has already showed you the person you can be. When you stroll off course, ask GOD to steer you back and great things will begin to happen. Please don't make this step confusing; it is a real basic step. Make a list and be willing to ask GOD for wisdom . See you on the road of happy destiny.

And remember that if nobody has told you they love you today..... Paul Does!

Paul G Monday Men's Marauders St. Margaret's, Palm Desert

When I'm in the middle of another one of those "challenging growth opportunities" it seems like it is going to be this way forever . . . that's when it seems the most difficult time for me to remember that "it came to pass", it did NOT come to stay!

I heard someone say, "take what you like and leave the rest." My sponsor leaned over and said, "Honey, you'd better take it all, 'cause you don't know what you'll need, yet."

I came to Alcoholics Anonymous because I knew that if I drank again, it was going to kill me --- and if I didn't drink, I was going to die.

I know that God speaks through people. What I can't figure out (and don't know if I need to) is whether he uses your voice or my ears.

Tradition Eight

Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers.

This tradition cuts to the very core of A.A. To me it simply says that Alcoholics Anonymous is just one drunk talking to another to stay sober. This to me is the very essence of A.A. I have held many positions in my almost sixty years on this planet but above all I am first and foremost an Alcoholic.

Professionals in A.A. would probably destroy this program as we know it. As an Alcoholic, I need a level playing field. I need to be able to walk into a meeting (no matter where I am) and feel at home.

I went to Laughlin last weekend and attended the morning meetings at the "Bullhead City Alano Club". I only go there a couple times a year with the bowling league but the friends that I have made there remember me and I am at home there.

No professionals, just people like you and me, and of course "Whiskers", the neighborhood dog, who shows up on time and stays quietly through the whole meeting. I personally would be a lost soul without this program and the friends that I have in it. It is a gift from God and I will always try to respect that.

Alcoholics Anonymous will always be a safe haven to us as long as we respect and operate within the traditions and concepts of this program.

Randy H., Thursday Night Big Book, Yucca Valley

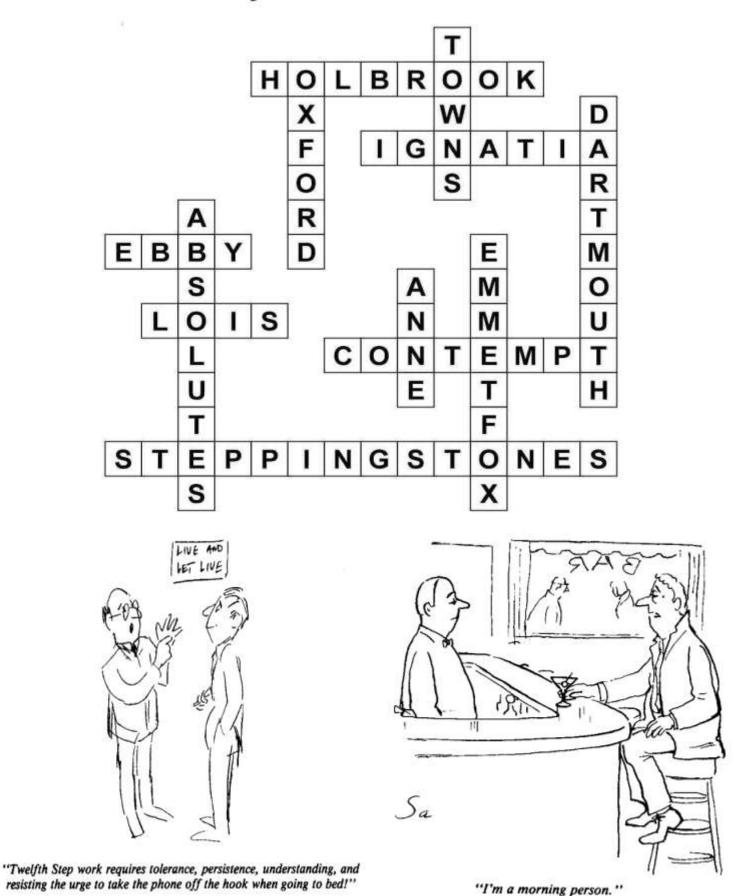
Concept Eight

The trustees are the principal planners and administrators of overall policy and finance. They have custodial oversight of the separately incorporated and constantly active services, exercising this through their ability to elect all the directors of these entities.

Concept 8 simply calls for the delegation of authority according to solid corporate management principals and can hardly be argued with. It is imperative that management reserve it's energies for high level decisions and delegate the authority to carry through with the major decisions and independently make the smaller ones. Sound management also dictates that those employees in charge of obtaining a desired end result must have an active voice in the decision making process.

Joe A. Monday Men's Marauders St. Margaret's, Palm Desert

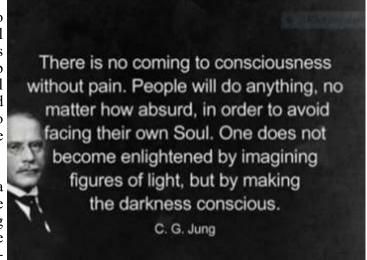
July Puzzle Solution



THE MIDDLE STEPS IN A TIMELY MANNER

Luckily, my sponsor, Carl, allowed me almost no "let me think it over" time as we approached my initial middle step process. No time for fear or hesitation was available! Only minutes after praying the Third Step request for God's help, he had me start a process I call "spontaneous writing" which provided substantive and honest Fourth Step information. I was warned not to write good things about myself because that would take too many pages. Ha!

This "Spontaneous writing" process started on a Saturday, "*at once*," per page 64 instructions," and we then completed the Step Four instructions the following Saturday. Carl then helped me actually "read and do" the Fourth Step process directly from the Big Book (PP 64-71). This process lasted about one hour.



The Step Five process of reporting my newly found character defects, etc., began just a few minutes after finishing Step Four (*First opportunity*, page 74), and Step Six began, "*then*," (p. 76) and Step Seven was prayed at "*When ready*" (p. 76). Steps Four through Seven, were completed in a few hours that last Saturday. Doctor Carl Jung has written: "*People will do anything to avoid facing their own soul*." Thankfully, my sponsor didn't give me time to back out. He followed the Big Book timetable!

As years pass, as I watch newcomers too often disappear between Steps Three and Four, I have become much more appreciative of the Big Book's timetable for the middle steps. I believe too much in-between time allows fear and doubt to take over; then, even the sincerest Third Step decision will often deteriorate into indecision and inaction.

Sometimes I hear: "God will show me when to start my inventory," or, "I plan to take my time and do it right"... and so on. I believe it is good to explain, at this point, that what is missed in Step Four can always be taken care of in Step Ten—even years later when they crop up.

Step Ten is continually redoing of the mid-steps of the "learning" process above! First of all, I had to learn how to do the mid-steps—only then could I actually put them into action by following these clear-cut Step Ten directions on page 84:

We continue to watch for selfishness, dishonesty, resentment and fear. (Step Four)

When these crop up we ask God at once to remove them. (Steps Six and Seven)

We discuss them with someone immediately. (Step Five)

Make amends quickly if we have harmed anyone. (Steps Eight and Nine)

Speaking of a "timely manner" as in the title of this article, I believe it is important to realize that as I go through my day, to remember that the step Ten instructions include the phrases: "at once," "immediately" and "quickly." Of course, these phrases are to be used in sensible context, for the Big Book infers that God gave me brains to use! For instance, not to phone my sponsor at work, simply, because I have some trivial concern or small problem.

Early on, I thought the above directions were to be done only before going to bed at night. Of course, that came from a mis-reading of the first full paragraph of page 86 which is Step Eleven. I now realize that Step Ten is to be done throughout each day. Living these middle steps, via Step Ten, continually provides relief from the anxiety and fear of my drinking days. But I need to remember that AA is a program of action! ~~

Bob S., Richmond, IN

"We will not Regret The Past"

A lack of memory is a common grievance. Whether recalling a name or remembering an idea that benefits our future, a good memory is certainly of value. But often, the more we try to recall a thought, the further it escapes us. And there are times when a sudden memory lapse may prevent a vital concept from being realized, which could harm our future, but have no effect on our present.

Many methods have been proposed to improve the memory—from proper diet and exercise, to the newest "Brain Pills"—all of which, seem ineffectual. So far, any significant methods for true memory retention have not been scientifically proven.

In the program of Alcoholics Anonymous, I have witnessed those, like myself, who suffer from a memory that produces unwanted images that suddenly come to our minds with the power to ruin an otherwise perfect day. But these uncontrollable memories, at times, are often pleasing. So, we might ask ourselves, when its it better to remember or to forget? Are we sensible enough to recognize what is truly worth remembering or do we have a choice in the matter?

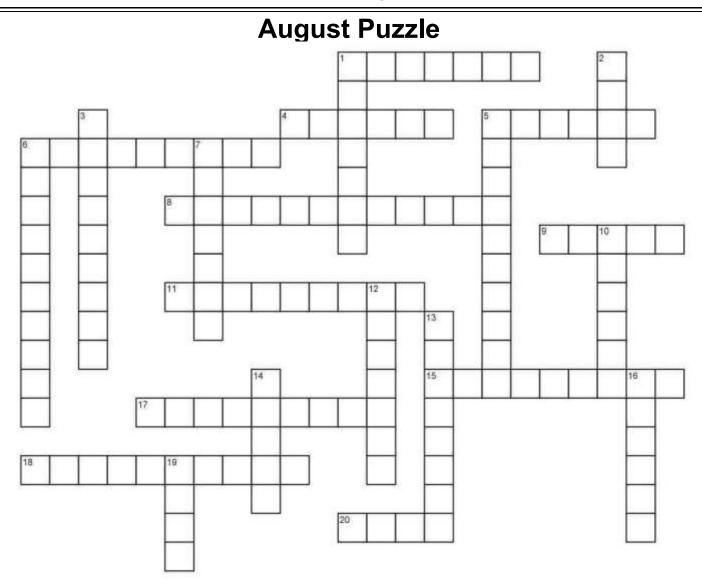
The act of forgetting is also useful to our memories. Think of all the useless information that is subconsciously stored in our minds and its effect on memory. If that information appeared every time we recalled a thought, we could never proceed forward. The bad memories that dominate our minds, spoil our days and keep us up at night, have the power to not only jeopardize our sobriety—but as recovering alcoholics—can produce life threatening occurrences. If we could channel those painful memories as a personal testimony for the alcoholic who still suffers, as well as those in recovery, we then need not forget the past. Therefore, we read in the Big Book, "We will not regret the past, nor wish to shut the door on it" (83). By working and living the twelve steps of recovery, we obtain the power, through the grace of God, to recognize this unique opportunity to help those who believe their past humiliations are to remain berried forever. Those who are new to the program need to hear the old timers recall their stories of heartache, how they got well, then came to "trudge the road of happy destiny."

As a warning, our sponsors caution us against the anticipation of future calamities. Those alcoholics who await disaster before an event ever happens, will receive little pity from others, but instead, will only experience self-torture. But to fear the future is still more reasonable than to lament the past.

When we fear something that hasn't happened yet, we still can avoid it, but when it comes to regret, we can never change the past. Regrets then never go away. They only form a new subject of regret; for "tomorrow and tomorrow that creeps in this petty pace from day to day. And all our yesterday's [make us fools that light the way] to dusty death." Everyday has its own purpose where God has assigned what He would have us do. We cannot let constant worries intrude our present. God did not create us to carry the heavy load of both yesterday's and today's troubles at the same time.

Ultimately, to forget or to remember at our own discretion, are equally beyond our authority. But trust in our Higher Power and the program of Alcoholics Anonymous, allows us the courage to recall our stories as a testimony where others can obtain the needed faith to believe in the process of our fellowship.

Dr. Tee



ACROSS

- 1 Freedom From
- 4 Crossing the River of _____
- 5 chapters in the Big Book
- 6 press, radio and films
- 8 our life when we got to AA
- 9 He Sold Himself
- 11 Dr. William D.
- 15 Saturday Evening Post
- 17 Our magazine
- 18 He sent a telegram of good wishes A.A.'s 2nd International Convention
- 20 One of the co-founders of AA in Canada in 1944

DOWN

- 1 Freedom From
- 2 happy, joyous and _____
- 3 Step one
- 5 spiritual
- 6 ____ Was the Answer
- 7 Little Angel of A.A.
- 10 AA predecessor
- 12 Physician, Heal
- 13 Started AA in Cleveland
- 14 appendices
- 16 Bill was offered a job at his lab
- 19 The Housewife Who Drank At



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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITY

June 2020

PROFIT AND LOSS

\$-1,012

Net income for June

\$10,990 Income

\$12,002

Expenses

	TOTAL	
	JUN 2020	JUL 2019 - JUN 2020 (YTD
Revenue		
Contributions - Conventions	432	10,617
Contributions - Groups & Individuals	6,455	73,469
Gratitude Dinner	25	3,323
Interest Income	0	107
Sales	4,078	71,505
Total Revenue	\$10,990	\$159,021
Cost of Goods Sold		
Cost of Goods Sold	3,433	48,187
POS Inventory Adjustment	(163)	(1,881
Total Cost of Goods Sold	\$3,270	\$46,306
GROSS PROFIT	\$7,720	\$112,716
Expenditures		
Accounting Services	500	6,000
Computer Expense	367	4,928
Credit Card Fees	123	1,301
Education & Training		1,156
Insurance - Health	406	4,768
Insurance - Liability	287	2,918
Insurance - Worker's Comp		911
Newsletter Expense	4	1,380
Office Expense	643	8,836
Outreach		114
Payroll Expenses	5,273	53,158
Plant Expenditures	503	1,095
Reimbursement - Mileage		318
Rent		13,689
State Filing Fees		60
Storage	178	2,064
Utilities	448	5,661
Total Expenditures	\$8,732	\$108,356
NET OPERATING REVENUE	\$ (1,011)	\$4,360
NET REVENUE	\$ (1,011)	\$4,360



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BUDGET VS. ACTUALS: FY 2019-2020 - FY20 P&L July 2019 - June 2020

	TOTAL		
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	OVER BUDGET
Revenue			
Contributions - Conventions	10,617	11,940	(1,323)
Contributions - Groups & Individuals	73,469	63,404	10,065
Gratitude Dinner	3,323	9,784	(6,461)
Interest Income	107	107	0
Sales	71,505	82,075	(10,570)
Total Revenue	\$159,021	\$167,310	\$ (8,289)
Cost of Goods Sold			
Cost of Goods Sold	48,187	54,563	(6,376)
POS Inventory Adjustment	(1.881)		(1,881)
Total Cost of Goods Sold	\$46,306	\$54,563	\$ (8,257)
GROSS PROFIT	\$112,716	\$112,747	\$ (31)
Expenditures			
Accounting Services	6,000	6,000	0
Computer Expense	4,928	5,002	(74)
Credit Card Fees	1,301	1,410	(109)
Education & Training	1,156	1,118	38
Insurance - Health	4,768	4,776	(8)
Insurance - Liability	2,918	2,757	161
Insurance - Worker's Comp	911	952	(41)
Newsletter Expense	1,380	2,400	(1,020)
Office Expense	8,836	7,800	1,036
Outreach	114	360	(246)
Payroll Expenses	53,158	52,500	658
Plant Expenditures	1,095	1,200	(105)
Reimbursement - Mileage	318	1,200	(882)
Rent	13,689	18,252	(4,563)
State Filing Fees	60	60	0
Storage	2,064	1,920	144
Utilities	5,661	5,040	621
Total Expenditures	\$108,356	\$112,747	\$ (4,391)
NET OPERATING REVENUE	\$4,360	\$0	\$4,360
NET REVENUE	\$4,360	\$0	\$4,360

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CONTRIBUTIONS - GROUPS & INDIVIDUALS June 2020

	TOTAL	
	JUN 2020	JUL 2019 - JUN 2020 (YTD
10th Step Group Palm Desert		542.25
12 & 12 La Quinta		178.79
12 and 12 Men's Stag R.M., Monday		743.00
164 Group - WED - Palm Springs	343.10	1,046.62
3-7-11 Step Meeting	2.00	2.00
3rd & 11th Step - SUN Palm Desert		1,010.68
559 Meeting Hall	25.00	300.00
6AM Pierson - K I S F Desert Hot Springs		150.00
7-11 Meditation Sunday P.S.		155.00
9am Staying Connected (Zoom)		590.00
AA Center For Change		21.71
Alkies Only Bermuda Dunes		115.00
An AA Big Book Group - Sunday - Desert Hot Springs		100.00
Anonymous No Group Given	2,044.00	14,332.58
As Bill Sees It -10AM-M Fel. Hall P.D.		596.31
As Bill Sees It Desert Hot Springs		50.00
Attitude Adjustment Rancho Mirage		516.00
Attitude Adjustment-M-F P.D. Santa Fe Square		1,408.50
Attitude Adjustment-M-S , Palm Desert PDCC	290.00	3,440.00
Attitude Adjustment-MON		200.00
Big Book Quotes		80.00
Big Book Study - Wed Palm Springs		502.58
Birthday Contributions	88.00	1,148.60
Black Sheep Group	200.00	1,646.00
Book Study-FRI Cathedral City		280.00
Candle Light Meditation-F Palm Desert		420.00
Cathedral City 12 &12 Book Study-TUE		54.25
CDM Men's Stag-TUE		479.00
Central Intergroup Cathedral City		325.50
Central Office Fundraising Event Gratitude Dinner		20.00
Covert IHOP Mens Stag		200.00
Daily Reprieve-Daily Palm Desert		1,143.71
Desert Men's Big Book Stu Palm Desert		270.00
District 9 General Service	1,000.00	1,000.00
Dolls of Valley Palm Desert		100.21
Double Winners AA Meeting		117.00
Fellowship Hall		65.00
Female Friends Yucca Valley		60.00
Fresh Start Group		50.00
Fri Nite Hi-Desert Group		150.00
Great Events Yucca Valley		248.00
Groovy Group Palm Desert		407.50
Group '48-MON- Palm Springs		240.00

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	TOTAL	
	JUN 2020	JUL 2019 - JUN 2020 (YTD)
Happy Hour Book Study Palm Desert		240.20
Hi Desert Speakers Group		151.00
How Is Your Now La Quinta		45.34
Jaywalkers Men's Stag Palm Desert		417.00
Just the Black Print Big Rancho Mirage		2,394.58
Keep It Simple Group Palm Desert		1,154.93
Ladies Nite Out Palm Desert		321.19
Living In The Solution Yucca Valley		30.00
Living Sober Book Study Palm Desert		167.00
Living Sober Palm Springs	85.38	1,117.63
Living Sober Rancho Mirage		352.00
MCAGCC Twentynine Palms		25.00
Meditation Meeting 1000 Palms		125.00
Meet & Potatoes 12 & 12		120.00
Men's Mauraders Palm Desert		840.00
Mon. Women's Meeting Yucca Valley		8.00
Monday Daily Reflections 29 Palms		30.00
Monday Women's 1PM Yucca Valley	200.00	200.00
Morongo Valley Paradise Group		100.00
New Freedom Palm Desert		200.00
No Rules La Quinta	1,054.00	1,765.62
Ole Time Sunday AA Meetin Jill's Garage Sun City (deleted-1)		183.60
One Day At a Time Palm Desert		147.50
Over 50 12&12 Step Study	203.79	603.47
Oxy-Moron Group Palm Springs		50.00
Palm Desert 7 AM Attitude Adj.		2,196.00
Palm Desert Saturday Speaker's		202.95
Participation - THU - Twentynine Palms		10.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Bare Bones		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Came to Believe		80.08
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Free Spirit		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Half Measures		240.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Into Action		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Keep It Simple - THU		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Meditation Meeting-THU		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Noon Discussion - FRI		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Q.& A. Sunday		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Sane Saturday		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Saturday's Survivors		320.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Serenity Sunday		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Sober Out'a The Book		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Speaker Q & A-TUE		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Spiritual Awakening		80.00

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	JUN 2020	JUL 2019 - JUN 2020 (YTD)
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Step Study-WED		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Sunday Morning		80.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City Unorthodox Meeting		200.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City We Agnostics-SUN		200.00
Perez Plaza Cathedral City What's Good About Today?		80.00
Perez Plaza Meeting Room/One Day at a Time Mon		100.00
Playing With A Full Deck Palm Desert		164.00
Primary Purpose Bermuda Dunes		75.00
Primary Purpose Blythe		250.00
Q.& A. Meeting-SAT- Perez Plaza Cathedral Cit		80.00
Rebel Group - SUN - Palm Desert		247.51
Road Runners Bermuda Dunes	231.45	680.98
Rock Bottom-TUE Twentynine Palms		30.00
Rule 62 THU Noon		158.30
Rush Hour Group		200.00
Santa Rosa Big Book Thump Coachella	152.35	827.88
Santa Rosa Group Palm Desert	70.00	287.00
Santa Rosa Messengers Coachella		304.00
Saturday Speaker Coachella 7pm		20.00
Seniors in Sobriety		150.00
Serenity Seekers Palm Desert		720.00
Singleness of Purpose		340.00
Sisters Under the Skin Palm Springs		95.00
Smoking Jackelope Men Stag	50.00	350.00
Sobriety Capitol of World Indio		277.75
Sobriety Sisters Palm Desert		100.00
SOLCALYPAA3 N/A		93.00
Solid Solutions- TUE		76.00
Solutions in Sobriety Palm Desert		434.06
Speakeasy Group 530 Fri Palm Desert		160.00
Spirituality in Recovery		336.77
St. Paul's Tuesday Night Men's Stag		970.00
Step Sisters Palm Desert	81.00	1,210.50
Stepping Stones Palm Desert		501.27
Study for Sanity Palm Desert		142.50
Sun City Ole Time Big Book Study		560.80
Sunday Serenity Group		701.95
Sunny Dunes 5th Tradition Group		8,405.34
Sunrise Celebrators Palm Desert		994.45
Sunset Group Joshua Tree		150.00
TGIF Group Yucca Valley		48.00
The First 164 Pages		730.77
The Original Men's Stag		213.00

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	JUN 2020	JUL 2019 - JUN 2020 (YTD)
There Is Hope Desert Hot Springs	11-17-17-17-17-17-17-17-17-17-17-17-17-1	50.00
Thurs. 7PM Attitude Adj.		800.00
Thursday Yucca Valley Lesbian Step Study	134.91	134.91
Twilight Step Study Palm Desert		15.01
Vets for Vets Palm Desert		170.00
Wed Nite Women's Discussion Heritage Palms	90.00	256.02
Wednesday Night Serenity Joshua Tree		30.00
Winners Meeting Palm Springs		150.00
Women in the Solution 29 Palms		88.00
Women of Palm Springs		300.00
Women's Meeting Palm Desert	110.00	110.00
Women's Q & A Palm Desert		105.50
Yucca Valley Alano 24/7 (deleted)		100.00
Yucca Valley Thursday Noon Brown Bagge		30.00
TOTAL	\$6,454.98	\$73,469.07



[&]quot;John went into orbit last night. Now he's having trouble with reentry."

I've been afraid all my life. I just didn't know that. I just thought I was pissed.

Sponsor to Sponsee: "The eighth step does NOT say, 'Made a list of persons to whom I am willing to make amends.' Let's take another look at that list!"