



FOOTPRINTS

This is a time each year when we gather together with friends, to catch up on each other's lives. And to find new friends we haven't met yet. This is our celebration of recovery. Here we find the true meaning of the phrase "we are never alone". Our presence here speaks to our gratitude, showing when we care and share the NA way. We seek recovery and find a better way to live. We share how we face life's changes, living and dying. Leaving footprints on each other's hearts

March/ April 2012

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I was approached a while ago to say a few words about a member of our fellowship who has passed away. This member was involved in many of the changes we as a fellowship have grown through. God placed him in our lives to make a difference and he in turn changed the way I looked at the world. As I pondered this point I realized we all have someone who changed our perspective of life. I believe our higher power places people in our path for one reason, *to change us forever*. We never know where the message is going to come from, and usually it is from where we least expect it.

Sometimes it was the members who accepted us as we were, showing us the unconditional love our fellowship thrives on. Sometimes, it was the members who "just never seemed to get it". That member caught in the revolving door, swinging so fast we wondered if this was the last time we may see them.

To many of us, dealing with death in recovery, gets us in touch with feelings we never felt before. You know -The ability to care about another human being unconditionally for the first time can be over whelming. Feelings were sometimes the very thing we used over. Then when people who we just were beginning to trust are taken away, we become caught up in this whirlwind of emo-

tions. We may feel, "what's the use of staying clean! It just leads to more suffering".

Members reassure us "Our H.P. will not give us more than we can handle." Somehow this gives us little comfort.

It seems death comes to us in two forms in this fellowship: Members who died clean and those who have died "of the disease". Of those who have the disease, we say, "They picked up so that I didn't have to". They're actions remind me that my old life is out there anytime I want it. Yet... I often wonder



what I could have done differently. Should I have listened more? Talked more? Done anything MORE? Their struggle here has given us a better understanding

of life than we could ever had appreciated in any lifetime.

And then there are those who died clean. -They never have to worry about picking up again. They never have to face another day making that choice. Their devotion to life has given us proof it can be done. They have started this unfinished work; WE must become dedicated to advancing it. The vision of hope has been passed on to each and every one of us.

We would like to thank all of them, for giving us the new you! I liked the way they did it during the World convention in Atlanta. I'm going to pause for a few moments and would like to ask anyone who has had a person that has died by going out for more research, or that has died clean. We will take some time, So, Please use it and as the spirit moved you shout out their name.

And many-many more in our hearts; with a day, a week, a year, or multiple years of recovery, they will live in HERE forever. I've heard it said, "Some have to die so that others may live" I like to say, "We live, so that others don't have to die!" I also believe God has placed each and every one of YOU, here for a reason. All of you will leave some footprints on my heart. I don't know if you will float across my path like a butterfly or tromp thru with combat boots (You know who you are!). The trail you leave will be a part of our life from now on. This will be reflected in how we live, how we grow, and how we act toward people around us. It is my hope that none of these members need to Die in vain. We shall all have a new birth of freedom. I pray: From this point forward our Higher Power will show thru each and every one of our lives, that age-old saying "No addicts need die from the horrors of addiction without finding a better way to LIVE."



YOU STAYING CLEAN?

Hawaiian Joe transitioned August of 2011. Hawaiian Joe had been clean for 20 years. Joe got clean in Hawaii but then moved to Pinellas County, Florida. Joe believed in service and was always at his home group, Unity, on Sunday nights at 8 p.m. where he always held a service position. Joe always reached out to the newcomer and he had a special way of making that newcomer feel comfortable right away. I know, because when I was a newcomer, Hawaiian Joe made me feel at ease and welcomed me. Joe also never gave up on anyone that struggled with the disease of addiction. He would pray for that person and if he could not get in touch with that person any longer then he would always wonder how they were doing and pray that they soon returned to recovery.

Hawaiian Joe also placed principles before personalities. Even if he didn't like someone, he would find a good quality about that person. Joe also believed in making amends especially when as he would put it, "I shouldn't have ran my mouth." Joe had a sense of humor about him and a tremendous amount of love for all addicts. Myself and many other people learned a lot from Hawaiian Joe as he was quite knowledgeable about recovery and staying clean and Joe was very knowledgeable about jazz, art, and the whole gamut of life. Hawaiian Joe certainly had lived life to its fullest.

Hawaiian Joe is sorely missed. One day, I know, we will all see him again wearing that big smile of his and saying, "How you doing, kid? "You staying clean?"

Yes, Joe,

I am.

Denise S.





An Angel Came Unto Me

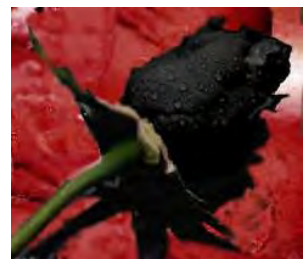
You came along when I needed a Savior
 You saw through my hard exterior
 You opened your heart and life to me
 I saw you spread love to everyone you met
 Your hands showed the scars of a life lived to serve
 Yet, You never found the freedom you deserved
 Yet you gave your all and through it all, stood tall

From A small town in Wisconsin
 To the big Cities of New York and Boston
 Back to a to a small town in Wisconsin
 You loved, cared, and gave without conditions
 Finally, Your time came to leave this plane
 The disease of addiction we all blame

But, you were so much more than a using addict
 You were a loving and compassionate Mother
 Andrew and Jack will miss you forever
 You were a true and dedicated friend
 Raven, Francis, and Stacy still wonder when
 They will be touched by you again
 You were a passionate, empathetic, Supportive Spouse
 There will always be an emptiness in my house

I give you up to God's Hands...
 And try so hard to accept His plan
 I know You and Mora are up there together
 Truly Happy, Joyous, and Free...Forever
 But, I am here missing you...Still trying to keep it together

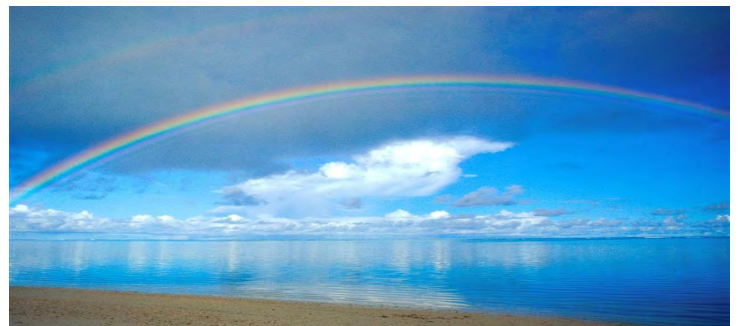
Fly on Sweet Angel...Fly On
 RIP...MY SWEET MELISSA...(MLIS)



Serenity searched for.
Admitted her powerlessness
Reservations still-
Although she let go daily
Had an honest desire
Middle Name Now
God found and she
Accepted His will for her
Yin & Yang at times
Loved Natasha and Tysha
Eternally
Last Name Now
Dared to help others
Opened her heart-
Baptized in the Spirit that
Brought her faith, and she
Surrendered finally to His Will
August 17, 1981-May 24, 2005
In Memory of Sarah Dobbs

Harry S. October 16, 1957 To August
2009

Harry had been around the NA program
for at least 25 years. Over the years,
Harry struggled to stay clean. Things
would start going well for him. Then he
would take on more. If he had a job, he
would start doing side work. If he was going
to school, he would get a job too. He kept
wanting more, and it wasn't necessarily
drugs. He wanted more money; even
though, he had enough to get by. He
wanted more love; even though, he was loved
by people in the program. He wanted more
material goods; even though, he lived com-
fortably. Doing too much was overwhelm-
ing for Harry. Harry was a hard worker,
but he took on too much, and then he took
too much to escape these overwhelming feel-
ings. Please don't end up like Harry.
Remember Easy Does It.





Ron J. March 3, 1949 to January 26, 2012

We often hear “The most important person at any meeting is the newcomer.” Ron J. lived this. He introduced himself to the newcomers. He made sure that they had his phone number. He strongly suggested that they call him the next day. He took them out to eat. He would arrange to meet them at a meeting or pick them up and take them to a meeting. He emphasized the importance of going to meetings to the newcomers. He made friends with the newcomers and truly helped them to feel welcomed in NA.

Ron often helped me with things that I was unable to do by myself. Many of the times that he helped me, he was the one to bring up the subject and offer his help; I didn’t have to ask. Sometimes while we were working on things, he taught me lessons on patience and tolerance. Those of you who knew Ron will know what I mean by that. But he also taught me how to do the projects for myself. I am grateful to have known this generous man.

I know I was not the only one that Ron helped. On February third, several of the Recovery Coast NA members organized a memorial gathering at Dave H.’s home. Sasha led a wonderful meeting where members confirmed this. We ran out of time before all of the people who wanted to share about how Ron added to their recovery and their lives were able to share. I am delighted to say that Ron’s family was presented with an Infinity medallion, sometimes called the Eternity medallion, as Ron died clean.

Ron took his responsibilities seriously. Ron moved his elderly father in with him as his father wanted to live in Florida. Ron would often have to stop doing what he wanted to be doing so that he could go home to feed his father. Ron humbly did this as he loved his father.

Ron had another passion-motorcycle riding. Ron proudly showed me on more than one occasion



that he had displayed “all three of the NA logos” on his motorcycle:

• **The classic NA**



Logo, the simple NA Symbol, and



• **the “Sunburst” NA Logo.** According

to the Florida Highway Patrol, **Ron** was riding his 2001 Road King west on Alt. U.S. 19 just before 7 p.m. Tuesday January 24, 2012 when a car turned into his path. Ron was on his way to meet some other NA members for a bite to eat before going to his home group-The Dunedin Group. Ron died on January 26, 2012. He is riding forever free waving the NA banner.

"In Remembrance of Those Loved and Lost"

Where do I begin? Well, there is the old man Henry Shaw that Jimmy introduced me to at "Life's a Beach"-my 3rd meeting; many years ago. Little did I know then he was one of the dinosaurs in our fellowship. (I should say here dinosaurs are our predecessors who have stayed clean NO MATTER WHAT!! Thru all the Joys & Sorrows we encounter on a daily basis in Recovery.) I was totally oblivious at the time about the unselfish sacrifices this man had given to Addicts like me. I still hear about his adventures to this day. He was dedicated to Narcotics Anonymous and Terra Nova when it was in its infancy as a clubhouse.

The following are addicts who have touched my life in one way or another. Jim Lamb -my gratitude for your devoted SERVICE. If there were any new Literature Proposals Jim would deliver the News to any & all home groups in & out of the Bay Area. He emphasized that anyone could submit their ideas to World Services to be evaluated & become a Part of Any Drafts being incorporated.



Then there was Hawaii Joe! The man had a photographic memory. It was absolutely remarkable the things he never forgot; a name; a place or an event and always remembered each of my children & my husband. The Spirit of Unity.

Then there was Ralph with the spirit of Commitment, I can still hear him say "I love Terra Nova". Next is E.J., quiet; though opinionated & big on working the steps! I can never forget Hector who always was there for everyone. Harry -always searching to fill the void of emptiness with jobs, school & rock n roll. I don't think he ever realized how much he was loved.

Lisa Lubin always answered the phone for "Chicken Little" at 3:30 am when I was still holding unto many reservations back then. Bill the Limo driver always with his kids. Tracey, from L.A., was the beautiful artist with the awesome accent who visited Florida every year. Lisa my best friend who taught me many things; like how to pitch a tent, enjoy an art festival or cheer at a ballgame even though they were losing. Russ was the Fix-it man.

Linda was always searching for love. Lauren whose laughter was contagious. Kevin I held you as you took your

last breath of life & Debbie I prayed for till the end. Art "the Junkie that don't do dope no more"-I met you at my 2nd meeting you were always opinionated regarding our traditions. Kenny -A gentle soul taken from us much too early. Steve Good (Always Volunteering for Ad Hoc on H&I). The tree we planted for your memorial still thrives today. Danny G.-You taught me about H&I, Respect, & how important Staying in the middle of the Boat is!

Linda Marcoux -you taught me a lot about Honesty. Ron you loved riding the iron horse & gave your all to Activities. John from New York, Unspeakable Courage- You was the 1st person to tell me I was in denial. I loved hugging you because you disliked it so much. You can't get HIV from HUGS!!! Let's not forget Stretch, Tom, and Stevie T. from Tampa, Old man Hank, Al B.-"No Matter What Club." & Dean K. - From the 191 suicides on the sunshine skyway bridge you survived in 1993. You lived out your last days in Gulfport & Jason the entertainer. Guy, The Boxer, Yours was the first funeral I ever attended. I was amazed to see so many addicts in one place, paying their respects. There were lots of tears, stories, and love. I knew then, I had found Unity. Sam H. the cab driver thank you for your commitment.

When I remember all of you I remember how all of you have touched my life. Sometimes I cry, sometimes I laugh, OH!! The memories!!

**But I am grateful for all of you;
with Fond Memories & everlasting
love; Jewels * BAYAREA**



In Memoriam

Linda M.

Lauren U.

Jody W.

Julie S. (WI)

Mike (Syracuse)

Reggie G. (MN)

Jessie B. (MN)



HELL HAS AN EXIT

HELL'S 7TH LEVEL

ENTIRELY READY TO HAVE GOD REMOVE ALL THESE DEFECTS OF CHARACTER

My spirits being lifted as I ascended from the previous level after showing the courage to be vulnerable with another human being sharing those secrets which for so long I vowed to never share I begin my journey in this level with a renewed sense of HOPE.

Upon the discovery of the exact nature of my wrongs in the previous level I am told by those that come before me that the nature of those things are in turn my defects of character. I am guided by those that came before me to look back at the experience of my decision to turn my will and life over to the care of God now I take it to another degree here. As I surrender to the fact that I could no longer go on managing my own life I now surrender to this God the fact that I am unable to remove these newly discovered defects of character. So again I stand in the presence of this God asking again for his help and I am reminded once again that **“at times during this journey the decision to ask for God’s help can be my greatest source of strength and courage.”**

In the previous level I was given the beginning of what I need to continue in this journey and I reflect back upon the words that were given to me upon my ascension from the previous level.... **“We carry within us the honesty it took to make our initial surrender, the faith and hope we developed in coming to believe in a power greater than ourselves, and the trust and willingness required to from us when we made our decision to turn our will and lives over to the care of God. Our hearts were touch by the humility of believing in that Power. On this Spiritual foundation we lay the principles of....”** COMMITMENT and PERSEVERANCE....

With these words I now begin my quest to ascend from this level as I look to those who come before me that offer these tools :

- ☉ Willingness: again I find myself faced with this but this time this willingness must be linked

with the next two things that are offer to me for my rise from this level of hell. These are the ones that follow.

Commitment and Perseverance: these two I must understand together as **“my willingness to make a commitment to pursue my recovery despite the continued**

- ☉ **presence of character defects in my life.”** I must not give up, even when I think no change has taken place.
- ☉ Faith and Trust: again I think of the progression that lead me to this. That progression as one of **“from HOPE TO FAITH TO TRUST.”** thus far in this journey I have been able to cling to these to help me continue when I had nothing else to cling to what a profound progression. I am thankful to those who have come before me as they continue to show me the way.
- ☉ Self Acceptance: now that I have come to believe in a Power greater than myself I can depend upon His strength to give me the courage to honestly examine my defects and assets (yes today I have assets). Although it is sometimes painful and may not seem to lead to self-acceptance, it is necessary to get in touch with my feeling. I wish to build a solid foundation on this journey and therefore need to examine my actions and motivations and begin changing those things that are unacceptable.

Looking back at my beginning of this journey I am perplexed at the changes that begin to become evident. I must continue this journey. I stand in awe and amazement in the presence of a God of my own understanding that remains my strength throughout this journey, even when I had now idea of how this was all possible.

With this great joy I ascend from Hell’s 7th level.

Samuel B.





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**RECOVERY IN
PARADISE 20**

April 27-29 2012

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OF THE FLORIDA KEYS

"The Journey Continues"



Bay Area Service Committee Meetings

Activities 6:30 1st & 3rd Wed The Place

Area Service 9:30 am 2nd Sunday, The Place

Helpline 9 am 1st Sunday @ Denny's 34th St and 50th Ave N St. Pete

H&I 8:30 am 1st Sunday, The Place

Lit/Newsletter 1st Tuesday, The Place

Policy 8:30 am 2nd Sunday, The Place

Public Relations 8:45 pm Monday before ASC, Terra Nova

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Area Help Lines for the Florida Region

Bahamas... 242-426-5245 (naflorida.net/bahamas)

Bay Area (Saint Petersburg, Clearwater, Pinellas County)...

888-779-7117 / 727-547-0444 (bascna.org)

Big Bend Area (Tallahassee)..... 877-340-5096 / 850-224-2321 (bigbendna.org)

Chain O' Lakes Area (Leesburg, Eustis, Tavares, Clermont, Groveland) 352-319-5617 (colana.org)

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Gold Coast Area (Fort Myers, Ft. Lauderdale, Port Charlotte, Cape Coral)888-524-1777 (goldcoastna.org)

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Greater Pensacola Area (Pensacola, Ft. Walton Beach)... 850-496-1673 / 850-723-4813 (pensacolana.org)

Gulf Coast Area (Port Charlotte)..... 866-389-1344 (nagulfcoastfla.org)

Heartland Area (Lakeland, Polk County, Highlands County, Hardee County)863-683-0630 (naflheartland.org)

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Nature Coast Area 352-464-4135

North Dade Area 866-935-8811 (northdadearea.org)

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..... (tampa-na.org)

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.....(treasurecoastareana.com)

Uncoast Area (Alachua, Branford, Gainesville, High Springs, Lake City, Live Oak, Newberry, Old Town, Worthington Springs) 352-376-8008 / 866-352-5323 (uncoastna.org)

Around The Area



Point of Freedom Group Speaker Meeting

Every Wednesday at 8:00 PM, March 14
The Place/5540 Park Blvd/ Pinellas Park, FL 33781

Work The Steps Or Die... Group - 12 Step Workshops

Next Meeting Saturday, March 17, 2012/10:00am – 4:00pm
Serenity United Methodist Church/2750 5th Ave. North
St. Petersburg, FL 33713

Relax And Recover Group - 6th Annual Good Day Sunshine

Saturday, March 24, 2012/Step Discussion Meeting at 10:00am
Food, Music & Fun/Speaker Meeting at 1:30pm
Northeast Park/4650 East Bay Drive/Largo, FL 33764

Serenity In Addiction Group - S.I.A. Unity Day

Sunday, April 15, 2012/ 10:00am to 5:00pm
Games, Live DJ, Raffles, Free Food and more...
Speaker Meetings at 1:00pm and 3:00pm
Taylor Park (Shelter 3)/1100 8th Ave. S.W. /Largo, FL 33770

Defeating Our Addiction (DOA) Group - Pot Luck Dinner

Last Thursday of every month. Please feel free to bring a covered dish.
The dinner starts at 7:00pm and there will be a Speaker Meeting at 8:00pm.
Fellowship Hall/Gulfport Presbyterian Church/5313 27th Ave South
Gulfport, FL 33707

Acceptance And Change- Speaker Meeting

Meets every Friday 8:00 pm/ Speaker Second Friday April 13th
Community United Methodist Church of Oldsmar (Manahan Hall)
207 Buckingham Avenue, Oldsmar, FL 34677

Save Your Ass Group Annual Picnic/20th Annual

Saturday, April 14, 2012/ Pavilion # 7
Food, Music & Fun at 10:00 am - 6:00 pm/Bring a dish
Fort Desoto Park, St. Petersburg, FL 33764

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Around The Region



Narcotics Anonymous®



Florida: 30-March-2012 - 1-April-2012/Space Coast Area Convention Vision of Hope 4

Hosting Service Body: *Space Coast Area/Box 100181; Palm Bay FL 32010*

Venue: *Crown Plaza Oceanfront Resort, 2505 North A1A, Indialantic / 321.777.4100*

Event Info: 321.368.3211 / **Event Registration:** 321.205.6746 /

Speaker Tape Info: 321.213.1800 / www.spacecoastna.org

Georgia: 15-March-2012 - 18-March-2012/Georgia Regional Convention 31

Hosting Service Body: *Georgia Region/Box 7184; Macon GA 31209*

Venue: *Marriott Atlanta Gwinnett Place, 1775 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth*

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george.argo@grcna.org: 770.596.1437 / www.grcna.org

Tampa Funcoast

March 17, 2012

- Forest Gump Night/Forest Gump Night /**Time: 7:00 PM**
Oak Grove Church of God Habana Ave 7pm til 12am \$3.00 Per Person For More Information Contact: Jennifer P. 928- 3010 at 7:00 PM

March 24, 2012

- Speaker Jam/Basketball Tourn.Speaker Jam/Basketball Tourn.
Copeland Park, 11001 N 15th St Tampa, FL 33612 on March 24th 2012 There is no cost to hear speakers. Registration per team \$100.00 Price to watch games \$5.00/includes hot dog combo Contact: William C (702) 604-2355 Justin M (813) 787-5175 Shawn B (813) 527-5139

March 30, 2012

Women Spiritual Retreat /**Time: 12:00 AM**

Women Spiritual Retreat Dates are March 30 - April 1, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NA is not affiliated with any of the facilities listed.

Florida Regional
Convention of NA
Subcommittee

Meets

Sunday April 15th

Tampa Marriot Waterside
700 S. Florida Ave
10:00 am - 12:00 pm

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Around The World



Narcotics Anonymous®



World Events

World Service Conference dates: April 29 - May 5, 2012/ **Woodland Hills, CA**

WCNA-35: 29 August – 1 September 2013 **Philadelphia, PA**

Belgium

Other: 7-April-2012 - 8-April-2012/ First Farsi Belgium Convention/

Hosting Service Body: *Farsi Antwerpen Groups/*

Venue: *Merksemdok/Emiel Lemineurstraat 72/Antwerpen /0032497320158*

Event Info: hamayesh_na@yahoo.com/**Event Info:** 0032497320158

www.na-belgium.org

Canada

Alberta: 18-May-2012 - 20-May-2012/Chinook Area Convention 25

Hosting Service Body: *Chinook Area*

Venue: *Delta South Hotel/135 Southland Drive Southeast/Calgary/877.278.5050*

Event Info: 403.437.6917/**Event Info:** 403.461.6917/**Event Registration:** 403.669.8362

www.chinookna.org

Alberta: 25-May-2012 - 27-May-2012/Edmonton Area Convention 27

Hosting Service Body: *Edmonton Area*

615-7 Sir Winston Churchill SQ NW; Edmonton AB T5J 2V5

Venue: *Sands Hotel & Conference Centre/12340 Fort Road/Edmonton/780.474.5476 / 888.444.3402*

Event Registration: eanacregistration@hotmail.ca www.eana.ca/

British Columbia: 13-April-2012 - 15-April-2012/Victoria Convention 7

Hosting Service Body: *South Vancouver Island Area/Box 8284; Victoria; BC Canada V8W 3R9*

Venue: *Juan de Fuca Rec Center/1767 Old Island Highway/Victoria*

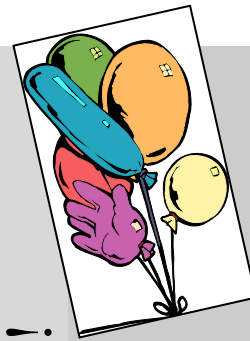
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BAY AREA ANNIVERSARIES

Jan.14	Steve M (Point of Freedom)	7 Years
Jan. 15	Jennifer S. (Point of Freedom)	3 Years
Feb. 14	Sheri S. (Welcome Home)	4 Years
Feb. 15	Eliceo A. (Point of Freedom)	9 Years
Feb. 20	Ashley T [Owl] (Stairway to Recovery)	2 Years
Feb. 23	David B. (The Dunedin Group)	7 Years
Feb. 25	Earlene K. (Sunshine Group)	29 Years
Feb. 28	Alison Z. (Point of Freedom)	11 Years
Mar. 1	Tanya M. (Women & Recovery)	2 Years
Mar. 2	John S. (Welcome Home)	11 Years
Mar. 4	Billy M. (No Pain No Gain)	6 Years
Mar. 3	Perry (The Dunedin Group)	1 year
Mar. 3	Kevin G. (Serenity In Addiction)	2 Years
Mar. 3	Jeremy J. (Defeating Our Addiction)	3 Years
Mar. 5	J.W. H. (Work the Steps or Die...)	33 Years
Mar. 6	Wilson (Welcome Home)	16 Years
Mar. 7	Robert V. (Welcome Home)	3 Years
Mar. 7	Gary F. (Defeating Our Addiction)	11 Years
Mar. 7	Terrie E. (Dopeless Hope Fiends)	19 Years
Mar. 8	Neal B. (We Found A Way Out)	18 Month
Mar. 9	John S. (Dopeless Hope Fiends)	4 Years
Mar. 9	Sarah W. (We Found A Way Out)	1 Year
Mar. 10	Jenn L. (We Found A Way Out)	18 Month
Mar. 11	Louis P. (Welcome Home)	21 Years
Mar. 12	Linda T. (H.O.W. Group)	18 Month
Mar. 12	Sheila C. (Dopeless Hope Fiends)	5 Years
Mar. 13	Kristie A. (Welcome Home)	5 Years
Mar. 13	Taylor R. (Welcome Home)	3 Years
Mar. 14	Ron P. (Welcome Home)	2 Years
Mar. 15	Mark M. (Dopeless Hope Fiends)	3 Years
Mar. 17	Ken W. (No Pain No Gain)	1 Year
Mar. 17	Jeannie H. (Life's A Beach)	22 Years
Mar. 19	Dovey M. (Defeating Our Addiction)	3 Years-
Mar. 20	Ginger C. (We Found A Way Out)	1 Year



Congratulations celebrants! Cheers for your dedication!

MEETINGS IN

NEED OF SUPPORT

Acceptance and Change

(Oldsmar Community UMC)

Always Here

(Terra Nova)

Just for Today

(Terra Nova)

Morning Serenity

(The Place)

New Attitudes

(St. Paul's)

No Pain No Gain

(West Care)

Primary Porpoise

(Calvary)

Serenity In Addiction

(Serenity Club)

Spoons R4 Coffee/Lighters R4 Candles

(Terra Nova)

Trust the Process

(G. Port Presbyterian)

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LIFE'S IN

SESSION

NEEDS SUPPORT

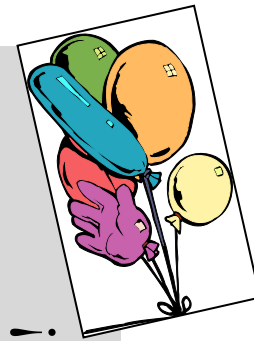
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Bay Area Anniversaries

Mar. 20	Valerie C. (No Pain No Gain)	3 Years
Mar. 21	Bob B. (Welcome Home)	24 Years
Mar. 22	Justin C. (H.O.W. Group)	2 Years
Mar. 22	Cat C. (Sunshine Group)	3 Years
Mar. 22	Erik G. (Happy & Free)	23 Years
Mar. 22	Josh E. (Never Alone)	1 Year
Mar. 23	Brian Y. (H.O.W. Group)	2 Years
Mar. 23	Dave L. (New Attitudes)	1 Year
Mar. 23	Pete C. (Welcome Home)	25 Years
Mar. 23	Ryan (The Dunedin Group)	1 Year
Mar. 24	Ashley D. (We Found A Way Out)	1 Year
Mar. 29	Megan H. (We Found A Way Out)	1 Year
Mar. 30	Teisha T. (We Found A Way Out)	1 Year
Mar.31	Samuel B. (TBD)	6 Years
Apr. 1	Mel B. (Just For Today)	12 Years
Apr. 2	Leah R. (Welcome Home)	4 Years
Apr. 4	Sandy R. (H.O.W. Group)	13 Years
Apr. 15	Joanne P. (Welcome Home)	3 Years
Apr.15	Denise F. (We Found A Way Out)	18 Years
Apr. 17	Kevin M. (We Found A Way Out)	17 Years
Apr. 21	Lasette G. (We Found A Way Out)	1 Year
Apr. 21	Mallory J. (We Found A Way Out)	1 Year
Apr. 21	Rob R. (Welcome Home)	3 Years
Apr. 21	Hilary O. (TBD)	17 Years
Apr. 22	John St. (Welcome Home)	5 Years
Apr. 22	Nancy B. (TBD)	3 Years
Apr. 24	Shane F. (Welcome Home)	3 Years
May 1	Craig (Welcome Home)	20 Years
May 3	Mikey F. (We Found A Way Out)	2 Years
May 5	Lisa H. (H.O.W. Group)	5 Years
May 6	Arlene D. (Sunshine Group)	7 Years
May 9	Tracy W. (Welcome Home)	19 Years
May 11	Fawn J. (11 th Step Beach Mtg.)	19 years



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**SERENITY IN
ADDICTION
GROUP
NEW MEETING
FRIDAYS
8:00 PM - 9:00 PM
OPEN
DISCUSSION
631 TURNER ST
CLEAWATER, FL**

