

Alt. Chair Report  
2016 Winter Assembly  
December 10, 2016

Since our Fall Assembly the event that stands out for me was our Big Book Conference. We had 6 committee meetings in those 6 weeks to finish up the preparations for our Conference. Seeing where the event was to be held for the first time with the walk through with some of the people from the Church was like seeing the Conference before it happened.

Attending the Conference, listening to the speakers, attending the panels, the Lunch, seeing and recognizing our Committee members in their blue tee shirts when we needed help finding something. There seemed to me an extra sense of gratification to see all the work that District 41 put into the event come together. Thanks also to our Districts that brought in our panel members. The ones that I attended were very good.

At our Wrap up meeting it was brought up, that the room we had set for our Spanish speaking members never got used. Also our Translator was sick and wasn't able to attend. I guess that's something we will need to address for future Conferences.

Participated in the General Service Workshop in Lombard Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>. Attendance was good.

Have been attending our 2017 Big Book Conference meetings with our host District 71. We have a good start.

Have been attending 2017 Spring Assembly Planning meetings. Wasn't able to make the last meeting. Still got a report from one of the Co-chairs.

Thank you for your service

Steve M.

Alt. Chair