## DELEGATE REPORT FALL COMMITTEE OCTOBER 27<sup>th</sup>, 2012

## Hello Committee

Good morning everybody, I was not at last weeks Big Book Conference. I was honored to be at the wedding of my son and new daughter-in-law. Since our last Committee Meeting, my activities have been: August 5<sup>th</sup>, District 22, GSC Delegate Report, August 10, 11,& 12, Additional Forum in Mt. Vernon, August 18<sup>th</sup>, Concepts Workshop, hosted by Chicago, District 7 in Schererville, Indiana, August 24, 25, & 26, Illinois State Conference in Springfield, September 1<sup>st</sup>, AA talk at Joliet Alano Club, September 15<sup>th</sup>, Fall Assembly, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, GSC Delegate Report at The Woman to Woman Group in Bourbonnais, September 29<sup>th</sup>, attend and speak at Hispanic Mini Conference, hosted by District 79, in Rockford, October 15<sup>th</sup>, had a conference call with the current Grapevine Board and Grapevine Conference Committee.

It has been almost exactly six months since returning from the 62<sup>nd</sup> General Service Conference, and my life has been very busy and full. And I do see it slowing down as the year ends, so I would be open to attend your Group or District Meetings, to talk about the Conference, Self Support, or other topics at hand.

Currently looking at General Service Board Reports, Trustee Reports, and correspondence with our East Central Regional Trustee, and my thoughts move to our Pre-General Service Conference Workshop and the 63<sup>rd</sup> General Service Conference. Though I am a first year Delegate, and we participate for two years, it is obvious that last years Conference was much more easy going that that of some past years. It appears that some items of discussion from the 62<sup>nd</sup> Conference, some work in progress by the General Service Board, and the first year of a three year Conference Inventory, that we will be busy in April 2013. I hope to have as much information possible to you, as the new year comes, and am asking early for Committee, Group and individual participation at the 2013 Pre- General Service Conference Workshop.

This Monday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, is the final day for submission of resumes for the position of Publications Director at GSO. Also, November 15<sup>th</sup>, is the deadline for submission of resumes for Appointed Committee Members, one for Public Information, and one for Corrections. They would be in your e-mail from me on October 3<sup>rd</sup>. If you want me to resend, let me know.

Attached to this e-mail, are the inventory questions to be asked at the General Service Conference over the next three years, Conference Inventory Plan, a request for sharing, from the Trustees' Public information Committee, regarding the short form of Tradition Eleven, and a correspondence from our GSO Forums Coordinator, seeing if people want to host a Local Forum. Note that our 2013 Regional Forum is in Ft. Wayne Indiana, and 2015 is in Milwaukee Wisconsin.

If you, or others you may know have interests in submitting an agenda item for the 63<sup>rd</sup> General Service Conference, it is strongly suggested to get it in by mid December. Sooner would be better.

THANK YOU Rich

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