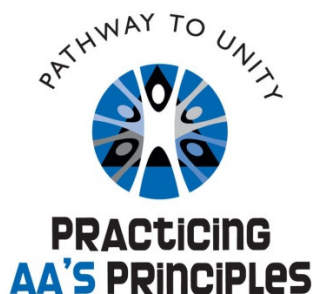


2010 ARIZONA STATE CONVENTION



September 3rd - 5th, 2010 ~ Labor Day Weekend

FELLOWSHIP – MARATHON MEETINGS – ENTERTAINMENT & MUCH MORE!

Sheraton Crescent Hotel - 2620 West Dunlap Phoenix, AZ 85021 (map to hotel on back)

602.943.8200 / 800.325.3535 - \$89.00 per night / \$109.00 for club level

Hotel Registration available online at: <http://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/StateConvention>

Please mention Arizona State Convention

<u>State Convention Highlights</u>	
Friday:	Mike F., Gilbert, AZ & Kate B., Phoenix, AZ
Saturday:	Billy N. Spring Lake, NJ & Bobby C., Philadelphia, PA Spanish Speaker: Father Emilio D "El Padre Gallo" & Luis B – "El Diablo". Al-Anon - Sarah R., Costa Mesa, CA
Sunday:	Christine H., Detroit, MI.
<i>With Al-Anon Participation</i>	

REGISTRATION FORM	
Use back for additional persons	
Name:	
Badge Name:	Registration: \$ _____ <small>\$18.00 before 8/6/2010, \$20.00 thereafter</small>
Homegroup / City:	
<small>Please Circle: AA Al-Anon Alateen Guest</small>	Personalized Coffee Mug - \$15.00: \$ _____ <small>Use the back to write how you want your name and sobriety date printed on the mug.</small>
Special Needs:	
Address:	T-Shirts - \$15.00: \$ _____ <small>Circle Size: Small Med Large 1X 2 x</small>
City:	
State:	Zip: Scholarship Donation: \$ _____
Phone:	
Email:	TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Event Registration available online at: <http://azstateconvention2010.eventbrite.com>

Please make checks payable and mail to: AZ State Convention ~ P.O. Box 42343 Phoenix, Arizona 85080

For more information, please contact

Chair: Dee P. - conventionchair@area03.org

Registration: Brenda H. - conventionregistration@area03.org

Information on Registration Fees:

Most associations like to hold conferences or conventions. However, in AA, a conference or convention is an important opportunity to share the AA experience in a broad way. There are many AA conferences held around the world. One of the most common misconceptions of these gatherings is that they are AA meetings, and since **“There are no dues or fees for AA membership...”** there should be no fees to attend.

Conventions and conferences are special events, not regular meetings. They require months of planning, preparations, and money to present. Since most events are held in hotels/convention centers, there is a charge for the use of these facilities. Along with facility charge, the hotel/convention center will require that the group purchase coffee and food. Other expenses include travel and lodging for conference speakers, printing of flyers and schedules, postage and supplies. A large event requires a substantial amount of money.

This conference/convention is self-supporting. No group monies are used to pay for this event. The cost of the event is paid through registration fees. No baskets are passed. The ideal goal for any committee of such an event is to break even; therefore, the registration fee is nominal compared to a weekend’s worth of entertainment anywhere else. Attendance is voluntary and as responsible AA members, we **“pay our own way.”**

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City:	<i>Circle Size: Small Med Large 1X 2 x</i>		
State:	Zip:	Scholarship Donation:	\$ _____
Phone:			
Email:			
Home Group / City:	TOTAL ENCLOSED:	\$ _____	

PERSONALIZED COFFEE MUG	
Name:	Sobriety Date:
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Map to Sheraton Crescent, Phoenix, AZ

