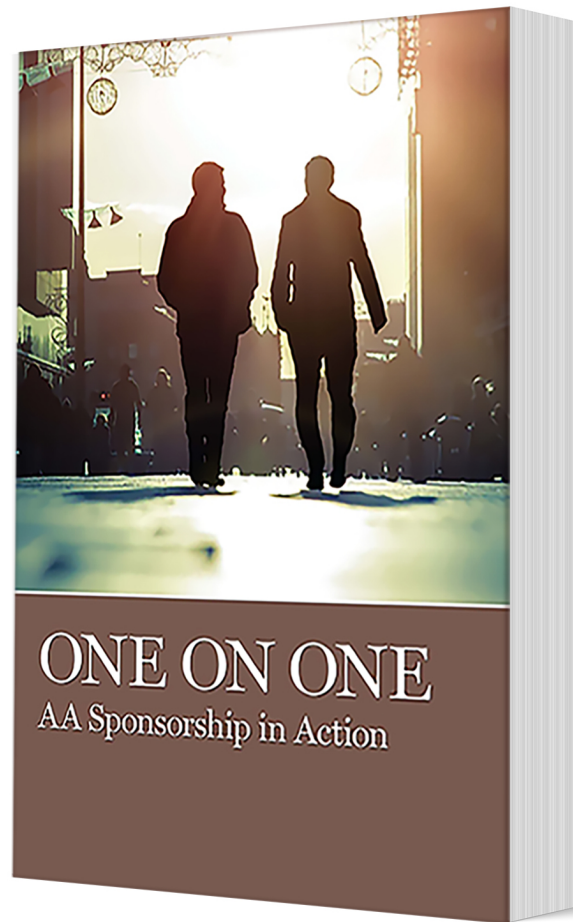
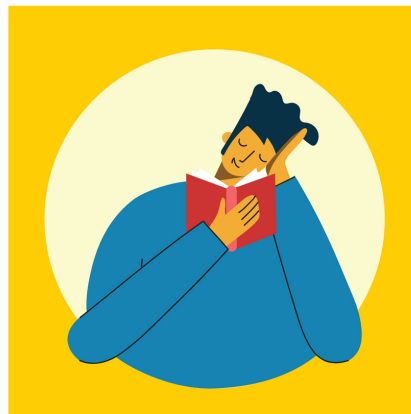


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What's New For September 2026

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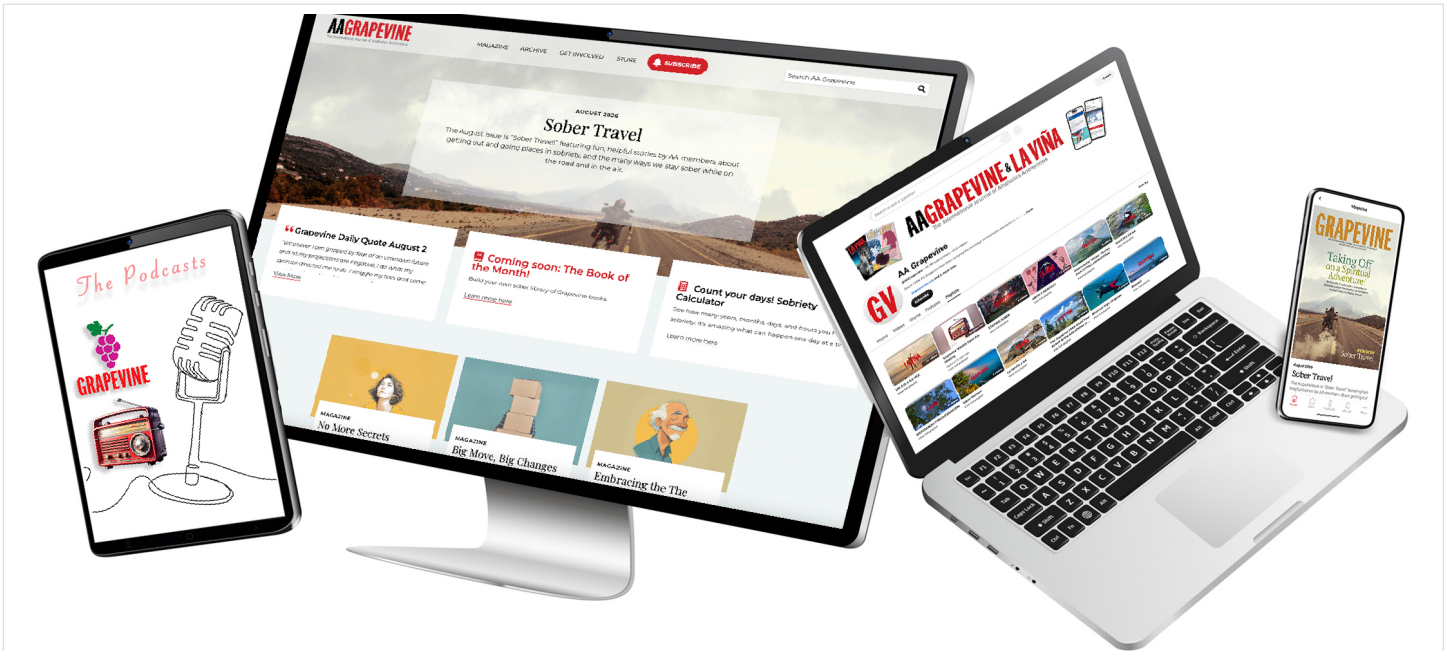


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What's New in Print and Online



Grapevine: Current Issue Spotlight:

September's featured section is all about "Sponsorship" It's full of helpful, personal and often humorous stories by members about the joys and challenges of AA sponsorship.

Submit Your Story! Upcoming Topics...

Fun in Sobriety! — Been on any fun sober trips? Camping, skiing, skydiving, dancing, collecting, acting, reading, cooking, volunteering? What about service events, new hobbies, game nights, sober vacations? Share your sober adventures! (Stories due Oct 1, 2026)

Emotional Sobriety — How has your life changed after being in AA for a while? How have you learned to use the Steps and tools of AA to gain serenity and peace? Share some examples of emotional sobriety in your life today. (Stories due Nov 1, 2026)

Annual Prison Issue — Did you find AA in prison? What is sobriety like inside? What are meetings like? Are you involved in correspondence service or prison sponsorship? We are especially looking for stories by women in long-term custody. (Stories due Dec 1, 2026)

Important: We're looking for your experience with each individual Tradition! (Pick a particular Tradition and share your experience!) We run one every month! **We also need your jokes!**

Note: Feel free to send in a story of any topic at any time, as long as it relates to drinking, sobriety, meetings, Steps, and other AA topics!



La Viña: Current Issue Spotlight:

This month's featured section is AA in Service (Servicio en AA)

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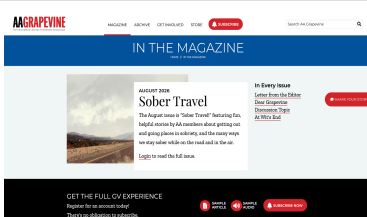
November/December — The Joy of living (La Alegría de Vivir)

January/February 2027 — Newcomers (Nuevos)

We'd love to hear your experience with a specific Step or Tradition! (You can choose one Step, one Tradition, or share about both.) Just a reminder that you can send us a story anytime about drinking, sobriety, meetings, or any AA topic. And **we'd love to receive your jokes, too!**

Coming soon! New Book: Despertares espirituales (Spiritual Awakenings)
New Book: Nuestros Doce Pasos (Grapevine Translation) Now available!

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Area Chair / GVR Corner

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Grapevine Travel / Remote Events

August 21 — 23

September 4 — 6

September 18 — 20

Eastern Canada Regional Forum

Hispanic National Convention

Southeast Regional Forum

Boucherville, QC.

Omaha, Nebraska

North Hills Raleigh, North Carolina



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Also, if you take anonymously protected event photos, we'd love to post them on the [GV Display Gallery](#).

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