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Tradition Covered: will be tradition 9

Begin reading: Page 101, "We meet these conditions ..."

Service Positions for August 2025:

All Service Positions (Sheets)

Position	Info	30-Oct-25
Facilitator	<u>Link</u>	Nira
Tradition	Link	Cheri
Study Leader + Recap	Link	Vishwas
Zoom Host	Link	Chris
Breakout Room	Link	
Backup	<u>Link</u>	Mikkel

SAAPP NORDIC Meeting Script Thursdays 20:00 CET

Preparations

Zoom Host: Open the breakout room

Facilitator: Post the text and link below in the chat. Please repost this several times in the beginning of the meeting since a few people usually drop in during the first minutes.

Facilitator: Open up the meeting 20:00
Welcome to the Nordic Primary Purpose group of SAA. My name is from and I am a sex addict.
Let's open this meeting with a moment of silent meditation, each in their own way, followed by the Set aside-prayer spoken in unity for those who like. The prayer will be posted in the chat.
Pause and paste the prayer in the chat
*** God, help us set aside everything we think we know about You, about ourselves,
about others, about the Big Book and about our own recovery, so we may have an

open mind and a new experience with all these things. Please help us see the truth.

To reduce background noise, please mute your microphone when not speaking.

This is an open meeting. All who have an interest in sex addiction and our program of recovery are welcome. You need not identify yourself nor your reason for being here if you do not wish to do so. We will protect your anonymity. We ask that you protect ours.

To paraphrase the Forward to the First Edition of the book of Alcoholics Anonymous: We, of Sex Addicts Anonymous, are more than one hundred men and women who have recovered from a seemingly hopeless state of mind and body. To show other sex addicts precisely how we have recovered is the main purpose of this book. For them, we hope these pages will prove so convincing that no further authentication will be necessary. We think this account of our experiences will help everyone to better understand the sex addict. Many do not comprehend that the sex addict is a very sick person. And besides, we are sure that our way of living has its advantages for all.

If you do not have an AA Big Book you can access it on-line via the link posted the chat. You can also join our Big Book fellowship on WhatsApp.

Share the following text in the chat:

*** The AA Big Book is available for online reading here:

w.aa.org/the-big-book

Join us on WhatsApp: SAA BB Fellowship:

https://chat.whatsapp.com/B6OvgQyd3WS5bXaAy7RRh5 ***

The purpose of this meeting is to learn from the Big Book how to improve how we each work the 12 Steps. Let us stay focused on finding the clear-cut directions in the passage we cover today.

In this meeting we avoid personal anecdotes or personal stories in the discussion. If you have other ideas or personal experiences that differ from the direction of the Big Book, after the meeting or in fellowship is a better place to discuss them. The study leader is responsible for keeping the meeting focused and may interrupt for that purpose.

If you have worked the Steps for sex addiction with a Big Book sponsor and had the promised spiritual awakening, we would really like to hear your insights into these directions.

If you are new to S.A.A., to this meeting or to this approach to the Steps, we want you to know that you are welcome here. We hope that you hear something that will be helpful to you. For newcomers, there is a period of fellowship after the meeting, where you can ask questions, find sponsors, and discuss other issues.
Our Study leader will ask someone to read a page or so in the Big Book. Then we will go back to the first sentence and start the study by reading one paragraph at a time.
Now I will pass the meeting over to our study leader
Study Leader
Good evening, my name is from and I am a sex addict. I will be the study leader tonight.
Study leader torright.
Now we would like to take a minute or two to introduce ourselves by first name. Also, please let us know which country you are from and if you are available to read during the meeting. If you are new to our meeting, please let us know so we can greet you accordingly.
(Study leader takes note of all the available readers.)
Now I will pass the meeting over to our breakout room host
☐i Breakout Room Host
My name is and I will host the breakout room. There, I will go through step 1 for
anyone new or struggling. It's a great opportunity to hear about the first step. There will be time for questions
afterwards.

To join the breakout room, click the icon with four little squares—usually at the bottom of your Zoom window on computers, or at the top or side on tablets or smartphones. Then click 'Join' next to the breakout room name.

Study Leader
Before we begin our Big Book study we will review a Tradition. This week's Tradition is Tradition
I will ask Could you read the long form and the short form of tradition
and share your insights. We ask you to keep it to a maximum of 3 minutes please.
We will begin our study on page That will be in Chapter
 Do a recap from last week's reading Ask a person on your list to read a page in the book. Then ask a new person to read the first paragraph again and after that open up for comments. Continue like this until the meeting is over. Before opening up the first paragraph for comments, read "and a friendly reminder to everyone that we only comment on the precise instructions of the paragraph. We save all personal shares, stories and check-ins for after the meeting in fellowship. If you're new to the big book meetings and have not yet recovered from sex addiction by working the 12 steps using the big book with a sponsor, we encourage you to not comment and instead just listen and learn how these meetings work."
Note to Study Leader: When opening each paragraph for comments, please precede it with this comment: "Let's open that paragraph up for comments on the precise instructions it contains and how it relates to sex addiction. If you like to share, please use the raise hand function. You can find it on the bottom of your screen. When you are done, please take it down."
** Interruption / Reminder text: **

'No big deal, just reminding anyone who's new here of the format — we try to stay away from personal experiences and just focus comments on the precise instructions

of the paragraph.'

Note to Facilitator:
Facilitator: Close the meeting 20:50
Reading from the last few paragraphs on page 164:
"Our book is meant to be suggestive only. We realize we know only a little. God will constantly disclose more to you and to us. Ask Him in your morning meditation what you can do each day for the man who is still sick. The answers will come, if your own house is in order. But obviously you cannot transmit something you haven't got. See to it that your relationship with Him is right, and great events will come to pass for you and countless others. This is the Great Fact for us.
"Abandon yourself to God as you understand God. Admit your faults to Him and to
your fellows. Clear away the wreckage of your past. Give freely of what you find and join us. We shall be with you in the Fellowship of the Spirit, and you will surely meet some of us as you trudge the Road of Happy Destiny. May God bless you and keep you until then".
Share the following text in the chat:
*** You can make your donations via PayPal:
https://paypal.me/Nordic2024 \$1 ~ 10 NOK avg. exchange rate ***
Read the following:
Our Seventh Tradition states that "every group ought to be fully self-supporting,
declining outside contributions". We use the contributions to pay for our website,
Zoom account and other expenses of the group. Please give your contribution via the
PayPal link posted in the chat. I'll give you a moment to contemplate and if you so
desire, give a contribution.
Pause for about one minute
To quote page 84: "We suddenly realize that God is doing for us what we could not do
for ourselves."

Is there anyone who would like to carry some hope to the one who still suffers by
sharing a milestone they recently celebrated? Use the "raise hand" button to be
recognized and we'll call on you.
Pause
As S.A.A. members the most important symbol of our willingness is a desire chip. A
desire chip signifies our desire to stop our addictive sexual behaviors for good and for
all, though we stay sober just one day at a time. Is there anyone here that would like
to begin their journey to sobriety this evening?
Pause
Real recovery takes place in working the Steps with a sponsor. If your sponsor is
unavailable, if you don't have a sponsor or if you are looking to change sponsors, we
believe we can help. If you have taken these steps by the directions in the Big Book
and had a spiritual awakening, please announce your names and phone numbers so
those looking for help will know whom they can call. Please write your info in the chat.
Only available sponsors present themselves at this point. If you are available only for
10 steps and fellowship, please give your numbers during fellowship.
Pause
Are there any S.A.A. related announcements?
Pause
Let's have a moment of silence for the addict who still suffers followed by the Third
Step prayer said in unity for those who wish, or a prayer of your own choosing said in
silence.
Pause briefly and post the following text in the chat and read it out loud.
*** God I offer myself to thee, to build with me and to do with me as Thou wilt.
Relieve me of the bondage of self, that I may better do They will. Take away my
difficulties, that victory over them may bear witness to those I would help of Thy
Power, Thy Love, and Thy Way of life. May I do Thy will always! ***
Pause Pause
The last Thursday of the month is a Business meeting. Please hand it over to
the person holding the Business meeting and remind the people in the meeting
that we will have fellowship for about 10 minutes before the business meeting,

and then a longer fellowship will follow as soon as the business meeting is concluded.

Now it's time for fellowship. This is an open meeting. We have no way of knowing who is here. Please bear that in mind when you give out personal information.

This is a good time to ask questions. If you're available for fellowship and 10 steps you can share your numbers in the chat. Feel free to leave at any time. Are there any newcomers with questions?

Update the stopping location for tradition and reading at top.

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