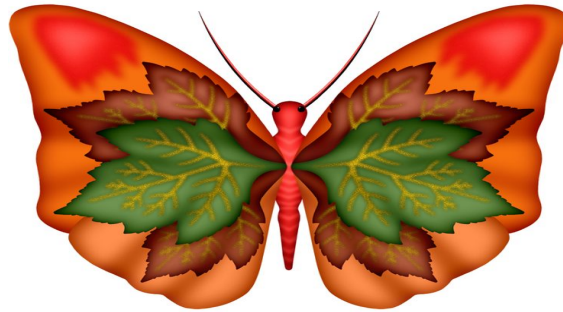


SPEAKER

MEETING



OCTOBER 31ST 2023

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PEST: 230PM, CST: 430PM, EST: 530PM

SPEAKER: JAN T. PEORIA IL.

JAN HAS MORE THAN A HALF CENTURY IN THE AL-ANON PROGRAM.

HER AND HER HUSBAND HAVE OVER A CENTURY COMBINED IN RECOVERY PROGRAMS. HAVING BEEN MARRIED FOR 57 YEARS JAN'S SERVICE IN THE PROGRAM HAS MIRRORED MUCH OF THAT TIME. THEY HAVE BUILT A LOVING LIFE AROUND THEIR FAMILY AND THEIR "PROGRAM FAMILIES".

JAN BEGAN IN GROUPS CENTERED ON STEPS, TRADITIONS, AND CONCEPTS AND CONTINUES TO THIS DAY TO WORK A PROGRAM BASED ON THESE FUNDAMENTALS. SHE ATTENDED HER FIRST SERVICE MEETING IN SEPTEMBER 1972. SHE PARTICIPATED IN THE FIRST ILLINOIS STATE CONVENTION IN 1975. SHE HAS SERVED IN ALMOST EVERY SERVICE POSITION AND IS THE "WALKING ENCYCLOPEDIA" OR MAYBE TODAY'S WIKIPEDIA OF THE AL-ANON PROGRAM.

SHE HAS BEEN A GIFT TO THE PROGRAM AND THE COMMUNITY SHE SERVES.

