

## **Leader's Format Spiritual Awakening Saturday 9:30am**

**\*\*Before the meeting starts – please choose a person to read AA's Preamble and a person to read either A Vision For You, or The Promises\*\*\***

Good morning, my name is \_\_\_\_\_ and I'm your alcoholic leader for the month. I have asked a friend to read AA's Preamble.

This meeting is a Big Book study, we read the first 164 pages of the Big Book until 9:55am. During this time of Zoom meetings, we invite people with Big Books readily available who would like to read to raise their hand in the participant's area to be unmuted and read 2 paragraphs. If we run out of hands, we will start at the beginning of the participants who have their hands raised. Readers are encouraged to say "pass" when they have finished reading. If the anniversaries have taken us to 9:55, then the leader will share for 5 minutes and open the sharing at 10:00am. At 10:25 I will ask if anyone has a burning desire. If you have not been called on, this is the time when you may raise your hand in the participant's area, so that you can be un-muted and share either a positive or negative personal experience that may lead you to a drink.

PLEASE BE AWARE: A TIMER WILL SOUND AT THREE MINUTES TO REMIND YOU TO WRAP UP SO MORE PEOPLE CAN SHARE, will the timer please demonstrate.

(On the last Saturday of the month, the Leader chooses a story from the Big Book, then at 9:55am shares for 5 minutes and opens the sharing at 10:00am.)

(At 10:25am)

Does anyone have a burning desire?

(Closing after burning desire)

Thanks to everyone for sharing and congratulations to all token takers. I've asked a friend to read either A Vision for You or The Promises.

(Then)

Remember, who you see here, what you hear here, when you leave here, let it stay here. Although this meeting is over, if you still have a need to share, please speak to someone after the meeting. We want to help you with your recovery.

After a moment of silence for the still suffering alcoholics, both in and out of these Zoom meetings I will unmute you and close with the Serenity Prayer.