

**LET LITERATURE CARRY THE MESSAGE, TOO**

... helping A.A. members carry the A.A. message through our literature ...

*especially to members who in these unprecedented times may be unable to attend in-person meetings.*

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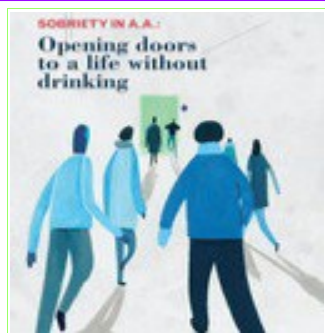
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All members who are interested are welcome to join or to attend the Literature Committee meeting on the fourth Thursday of each month at 6:45p. Literature Committee will on meet on August 26 on Zoom: Literature Committee Monthly Meeting Zoom log-in information: Meeting ID: 969 9595 9390 // Passcode: 603387

Thank you for this opportunity to serve.

With gratitude and love,  
Your friend, Jeanette C.  
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