

# GRAPEVINE News

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## What's New For August 2021



### 2021 Carry The Message Project

Learn three easy ways to give [here!](#)  
Or visit our YouTube channel at  
[youtube.com/aagrapevine](https://youtube.com/aagrapevine).



### Follow Grapevine and La Viña on Instagram!

We are happy to announce that following the 2021 General Service Conference action, AA Grapevine, Inc. launched Instagram accounts on July 7 for both the the AA Grapevine and La Viña magazines.

To follow us on Instagram,  
use these addresses:

[@alcoholicsanonymous\\_gv](https://www.instagram.com/alcoholicsanonymous_gv)  
[@alcoholicosanonimos\\_lv](https://www.instagram.com/alcoholicosanonimos_lv)



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### Grapevine Rep Resources Page

You can download GVR service resources, tools, forms, postcards, and much more! Please visit  
[aagrapevine.org/gvr-resources](https://aagrapevine.org/gvr-resources)



### Try the ePub edition of AA Grapevine magazine

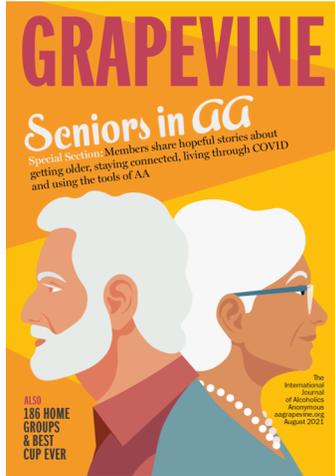
It replaces the old Grapevine APP. [store.aagrapevine.org](https://store.aagrapevine.org)

### Subscribe To The Grapevine YouTube Channel

Check out the videos available at [youtube.com/aagrapevine](https://youtube.com/aagrapevine)



## What's New in Print and Online



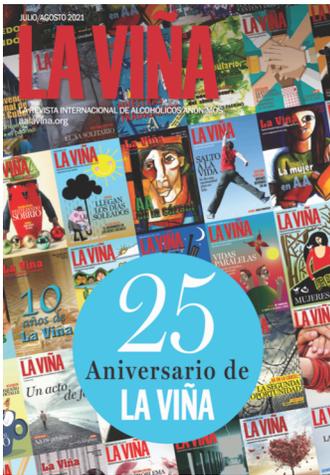
### Grapevine

#### Current Issue Spotlight:

This month's Featured Section is "**Seniors in AA.**" AA members share powerful stories about the joys and challenges of getting older in sobriety. Issue includes resources for seniors. Also included are stories of hope by members during the current **COVID-19 crisis.**

#### Submit Your Story for Upcoming Issues:

- **Adversity in Sobriety** — Tell us how you got through a tough time in sobriety. What AA tools did you use? How did your sponsor, the fellowship or prayer help? Share how you got through it. (stories due August 15, 2021)
- **Emotional Sobriety** — Over time, how have you learned to use the tools of AA to gain serenity and peace? Share some wonderful examples of emotional sobriety in your life today. (stories due Sept 15, 2021)
- **Important:** We're looking for stories of experience with each Step and each Tradition! (Pick a Step or pick a Tradition and write about your experience!)



### La Viña

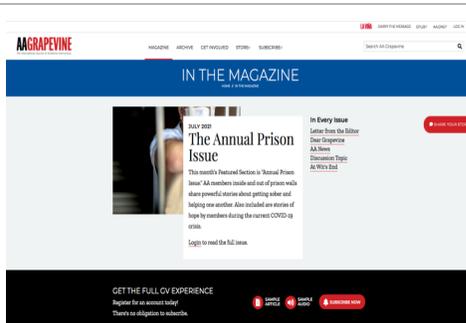
#### Current Issue Spotlight:

This month's Special Section is "**La Viña's 25th Anniversary.**"

#### Submit Your Story for Upcoming Issues:

- **Acceptance** — (Stories due July 30, 2021)
- **Newcomer issue** — (stories due September 30, 2021)
- **The Three Legacies** — (stories due by October 17, 2021)
- **Important:** We are always looking for stories on **individual steps and traditions!**

Visit **La Viña** online store, [click here!](#)



### AAGrapevine.org

Make your plans and add your events to our online calendar at [www.aagrapevine.org/share](http://www.aagrapevine.org/share)

Grapevine is always looking for stories, photographs, and illustrations. Please visit [www.aagrapevine.org/share](http://www.aagrapevine.org/share) to learn more about how you can participate with Grapevine.

To listen to a free La Viña audio story (in Spanish), visit: [www.aalavina.org](http://www.aalavina.org).

## Area Chair/GVR Corner



Please let us know at [EA@aagrapevine.org](mailto:EA@aagrapevine.org) if your Area is planning any online virtual events.



If you attend area events we'd like to know!  
Also, if you take anonymity-protected photos at events, we'd love to post them on the

**GV Display Gallery**

Please send the information and photos to  
[EA@aagrapevine.org](mailto:EA@aagrapevine.org)

## Grapevine On The Road

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all staff and board travel have been suspended until further notice.

## Did You Know?

In 1975, the Grapevine Conference Committee recommended: "Delegates communicate with the publishers of A.A. newsletters in their areas and urge them to use Grapevine blurbs, discussion topics, or other notices in the Grapevine regularly in their newsletters."

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