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Literature Coordinator

Have you picked up the 2022 – 2025 Al-Anon/Alateen Service Manual yet? When I first started attending Al-Anon, I thought the Service Manual was for “super” members – especially as I attended meetings with past delegates and several people with years in the program. It wasn’t for a new member like me. I was wrong.

While the Service Manual starts with the suggested opening and closing for your home meeting and includes information on various service positions – that is just the beginning! I’m currently reading through the entire manual with some other members. We’ve only been at it for a few weeks, but I’ve already realized this is a resource I’ve been neglecting.

The next time you’re chairing a meeting – look at your Service Manual. You may find everything you need for a great meeting within the spiral-bound pages (or your e-reader). Don’t have one yet? They are available from our Literature Depots AND FREE online at the Al-Anon website.

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In Service,

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