# 39th Annual Sunshine of the Spirit High Desert Convention

with Al-Anon Participation



June 6 - June 8, 2025 Holiday Inn Victorville, California

# PLANNED SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

#### Friday, June 6, 2025

1:00 pm Registration Opens Hospitality Room Opens 2:00 pm "In the Can" Participation Meeting 3:00 pm Al-Anon Marathon Meetings Begin 4:00 pm AA Marathon Meetings Begin 5:00 pm General Service Meeting 7:00 pm Opening Speaker Meeting Speaker: Darren P, Santa Barbara 8:45 pm Al-Anon Marathon Meetings End 9:00 pm Friday Night Dance 9:30 pm Registration Closed

Hospitality Room Closed 12:00 am AA Marathon Meetings Close

#### Saturday, June 7, 2025

8:00 am Registration Opens Hospitality Room Opens 9:00 am Birthday Meeting Al-Anon Marathon Meetings Begin 10:00 am Long Timers Meeting 11:00 am AA Marathon Meetings Begin Seating Begins for Al-Anon Luncheon 11:30 am Al-Anon Luncheon Begins Speakers: Mike D (AA) & Shari D (Al-Anon), Lake Jackson, TX 12:00 pm Pool Party and Lunch 2:00 pm H & I Meeting Speaker: Tye H, Covina 5:30 pm Seating Begins for Banquet 6:00 pm Banquet/Magician Speaker Meeting 7:30 pm Speaker: Ronald W, Los Angeles

8:45 pm Closing Al-Anon Marathon Meeting Ends Saturday 80's Band Entertainment 9:30 pm 10:30 pm Registration Closed Hospitality Room Closed

12:00 am AA Marathon Meetings Close

#### Sunday, June 8, 2025

8:00 am Registration Opens Hospitality Room Opens 9:00 am **Business Meeting** 9:30 am Registration Closed Hospitality Room Closed 10:00 am Sobriety Countdown/Spiritual Speaker Meeting Speaker: Sharon C, Los Angeles 11:00 am **Hotel Check-Out Time** 12:00 pm Awards, Raffles, and Closing





#### REGISTRATION SCHOLARSHIPS

We offer registration scholarships to newcomers and other members of the AA Fellowship in need who might not otherwise attend the convention. Would you like to donate one or more scholarships? If so, indicate how many on the form to the right.

#### THANK YOU!

#### Why Do I Have to Pay?

While there are no dues or fees for membership in AA, there are many conferences around the world and the most common misconception of these gatherings are that they are AA meetings, and "there are no dues or fees for AA membership." However, Conventions and Conferences are special events, not regular meetings, and not supported by Alcoholics Anonymous.

There are many expenses and months of planning for this event, which are all paid for through the cost of registration. No baskets are passed. As responsible AA members, we pay our own way. Therefore, as a reminder, you MUST be a registered guest of the Convention to attend the Friday Night Opening meeting, the Saturday Night Speaker meeting, and the Sunday Morning Spiritual meeting in addition to all ticketed events.

#### REFUND/CANCELLATION POLICY

No refunds or cancellations. Tickets and badges will be picked up at the registration desk. All ticket orders will be handled on a 1st come, 1st served basis. Seating is limited, so please purchase tickets early.

# REGISTRATION AND TICKET REQUESTS 2025 Sunshine of the Spirit - High Desert Convention

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Preregistration Opens January 15, 2025 Pre-registration Closes May 16 2025

#### IF REGISTERING MORE THAN 2 PARTICIPANTS, COMPLETE ADDITIONAL FORM(S), STAPLE TOGETHER, & RETURN IN SAME ENVELOPE

REGISTRANT #1 (Please PRINT. *	REGISTRANT #2 (Please PRINT. * Indicates REQUIRED fields)									
Last Name* First Name*				Last Name*		First Name*				
Address*	City*	State*	Zip*	Address*		City*	State*	Zip*		
Phone*	Email (option	nal)		Phone*		Email (o	ptional)			
Type of Registration (Circle Appropr	riate)* AA AI-	Anon Alatee	en/Child Guest	Type of Registra	tion (Circle Approp	oriate)* AA	Al-Anon Alat	een/Child Guest		
Name to Read on Badge* Hom	ne Group or C	ity*	Sobriety Date	Name to Read o	n Badge* Ho	me Group o	or City*	Sobriety Date		
This registrant will participate in the following events (check all that apply and include in totals on form below):				This registrant will participate in the following events (check all that apply and include in totals on form below):						
☐ Friday Night Dance ☐ Pool Party/Lunch				☐ Friday Night Dance ☐ Pool Party/Lunch						
☐ Saturday 80's Band Entertainment	☐ Saturday 80's Band Entertainment									
☐ Al-Anon Luncheon Meal Choice (Circ Pasta with Grilled Chicken Vegetarian: Pasta with Grilled Veggi	☐ Al-Anon Luncheon Meal Choice (Circle One): Pasta with Grilled Chicken Vegetarian: Pasta with Grilled Veggies									
☐ Saturday Night Banquet Meal Choice (Circle One): Chicken Piccata Stuffed Pork Chop Vegetarian: Fettuccine Alfredo				☐ Saturday Night Banquet Meal Choice (Circle One): Chicken Piccata Stuffed Pork Chop Vegetarian: Fettuccine Alfredo						
REGISTRATION AND EVENT TICKETS  All participants must pay the registration fee to attend ALL meetings (except marathon meetings) and ticketed events.  *ALL REGISTRATION PRICES INCREASE BY \$5.00 AFTER MAY 16, 2025  COST PER QUANTITY TICKET TOTAL				CONVENTION T-SHIRT PREORDER  Convention t-shirts may be preordered (see samples on back page). Indicate the style and size you would like to order.  TANK TOPS ARE PREORDER ONLY  T-shirts will be available for pick-up at the Registration Table during the convention.  PRICES: Men's Tank Top and Women's Tank - \$20.00; Men's T-Shirt and Women's V-Neck T-Shirt - \$25.00						
Pre-registration Adult (ends May 16, 2025)  Pre-registration Alateen/Child (ends 5/16/25 Ages 17 and under  Registration Scholarship Donation	QOANTI I	\$30.00 \$10.00 \$30.00	=	<b>STYLE</b> Men's Tank	SIZE (Circle One) M L XL 2X 3)	MA	OW COST \$20.00	<b>TOTAL</b>		
Friday Night Dance		\$10.00	=	Women's Tank	M L XL 2X 3	4X	\$20.00	) =		

Make checks payable to: Sunshine of the Spirit

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Men's T-Shirt M L XL 2X 3X 4X \$25.00 =

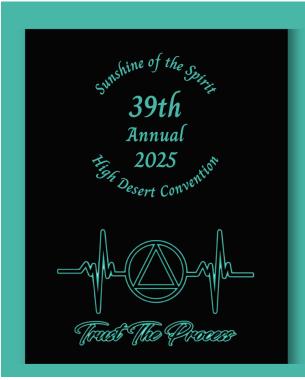
Women's V-Neck T-Shirt M L XL 2X 3X 4X \$25.00 =

Mail no later than May 16, 2025 You may register at the convention

Mail To: Victor Valley Convention Committee P.O. Box 1894, Apple Valley, CA 92307

	QUANTITY	COST PER TICKET		TOTAL
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Pre-registration Alateen/Child (ends 5/16/25 Ages 17 and under		\$10.00	=	
Registration Scholarship Donation		\$30.00	=	
Friday Night Dance		\$10.00	=	
Al-Anon Luncheon # of Pasta w/Grilled Chicken meals # of Pasta w/Grilled Veggies meals		\$38.00	=	
Saturday Afternoon Pool Party & Lunch (1 plate per ticket)		\$25.00	=	
Saturday Night Banquet/Magician # of Chicken Piccata meals # of Pork Chop meals # of Fettuccine Alfredo meals		\$60.00	=	
Saturday 80's Band Entertainment		\$10.00	=	
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#### 2025 CONVENTION T-SHIRT SAMPLES





## **HOTEL INFORMATION**

Holiday Inn Victorville 15494 Palmdale Road Victorville, CA 92392

760-245-6565

Reach out to Holiday Inn for room rates
Make your reservations directly with the hotel
by calling 760-245-6565 and reference
the upcoming AA Convention.

### For more information call:

AA Chairperson: Robert P 818-469-0735 Al-Anon Chairperson: Michelle C 909-938-4204

See updated information at sunshineofthespirit-highdesertconvention.com