

THE ABSOLUTION SOLUTION WOMEN'S MEETING CHAIR SCRIPT

(Feel free to use your own phrasing)

Service Opportunities:

- How it Works
- Tradition Corresponding to the Month (Short Form)
- Day Counts AND Welcome Newcomers
- 9th Step Promises
- Chat Announcements AND Verbal Announcements

Remember: Ask all to Mute prior to opening the meeting

It's time to welcome everyone to The Absolution Solution Women's Meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous. This is a closed meeting. My name is _____ and I am an alcoholic.

Let us now have a moment of silence for the alcoholic who still suffers inside and outside of these rooms, followed by The Serenity Prayer.

God/Creator/Higher Power,

Grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change.

Courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know
the difference. *Amen (Optional).*

Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of people who share their experience, strength, and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. There are no dues or fees for AA membership; we are fully self-supporting through our own contributions. AA is not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, organization, or institution; it does not wish to engage in any controversy; it neither endorses nor opposes any causes. Our primary purpose is to stay sober and help others to achieve sobriety.

If you are counting days or celebrating a sobriety milestone, please put your day count in the chat, and _____ will be reading those for us shortly, I have asked _____ to tell us How it Works!

I have asked _____ to read the short form of the tradition corresponding to the month.

Here at The Absolution Solution, we live by the Responsibility Statement, and it Reads:

I am responsible.

*When anyone, anywhere, reaches
out for help, I want the hand of A.A.
always to be there.*

And for that I am responsible.

*****ONLY READ IF THERE ARE NEWCOMERS*****

If any women would like to be added to our Women's What's App Support Group, please contact Ta'lor directly. Also, we are all here to support each other so please do not hesitate to reach out to any of the women that are in this meeting to ask for contact information for sober support. If there are any women who are willing to offer sponsorship there will be a green check mark at the top right corner of their square, reach out to them directly.

All the links will be posted in the chat as well as the email address to contact for attendance verification right before the top of the hour.

In the unlikely event that we get a Zoom bomber we work quickly to remove them. Please pay them no mind. We are here for our own recovery.

If you have been or you are currently drinking or are under the influence, we ask out of respect for the group that you please keep your video off, refrain from sharing, and just listen. We are glad that you are here today, and hope that you stick and stay.

Please keep all comments in the chat focused on positivity and encouragement. If you are being made to feel uncomfortable, notify any of the Co-Hosts in the chat.

If you haven't added your day count to the chat, please do so now, and _____ please come in to read our day counts and welcome any Newcomers for us today.

DAY COUNT READER or CHAIR: Ask all to **Unmute to celebrate**-----Congratulations everyone counting days, I am Grateful that everyone is here today!! Let's all keep coming back and taking it one day at a time.

Now _____ has volunteered to come in and share any A.A. related ANNOUNCEMENTS with the group.

Please respect others while they are sharing, and do not cross talk which is defined by unmuting yourself after another person's share to comment on or to provide feedback on what they have shared. If you would like to receive feedback or connect with this person, stick around for fellowship after the meeting. Please make sure you are muted during the meeting to prevent distractions while others are sharing.

If you would like to share, you can raise your virtual hand by going to the reactions tab at the bottom of your screen, located in the heart or smile, and click on the option to Raise Hand. Before sharing we do ask that you identify yourself. Please be mindful of the sharing time because everyone will have a chance to share. Please be mindful of the hands up and **Keep the sharing time between 5-7 minutes. We will pray out at the top of the hour for those who only have the hour to give, but we will continue with shares if hands are still raised.**

If anyone attending the meeting is struggling or would like additional support after the meeting closes, we encourage you to stay after the meeting for fellowship. After we pray out, the parking lot will be open, and you have the option to raise your hand. By raising your hand this allows everyone in the room recognize that you could use some extra support.

Today, I have selected a reading/topic from _____.

CHAIR: OPENING LEAD (Speak until hands go up OR 5-10 minutes)

After Opening Lead State: (REWORD OF OWN LIKING)

You are more than welcome to share on the reading, or on anything that is weighing on your heart. This is a loving safe, open-minded space for everyone to share their Experience, Strength, and Hope.

*****Call On and Unmute Raised Hands*****

(Read Half Past the Hour)

In accordance with AA's traditions, we accept 7th tradition donations digitally, through Venmo and CashApp. Please click on the links in the chat and add "Donation" in the note. Just search "the absolution solution" Please be sure to change your settings to private to keep anonymity. Your donation helps us keep the light on and the door open for those like us. If you have questions, please ask any of the Cohosts in the Parking Lot after the meeting. ~~Excess money will be disbursed to District, Area, Central Office, and GSO. Please pay forward this remarkable gift if you can, but if you can't, the only thing that matters is that you are here today showing up for yourself by attending this meeting. We hope that you Stick and Stay. (optional)~~

*****Continue Calling On and Unmuting Raised Hands*****

We are now at the end of the hour. To everyone who did security and service work, we appreciate you for helping us keep this room a loving safe place for everyone to share. Thank you for attending The Absolution Solution Online Women's Meeting. Keep coming back!!

Remember that: what you hear here, and what you see here, when you leave here, let it stay here. Here, here!

I've asked _____ to read our 9th step promises.

Everyone is welcome to stay after the meeting for fellowship. Before everyone leaves the meeting, I ask people to stick around because we will take a few minutes to fill the chair schedule for upcoming meetings. If you're able to be of Service, please stay so we can secure those commitments.

The room will stay open for about **20 minutes for Fellowship.**

Now, Let's now take a moment of silence for the still suffering alcoholic inside and outside of these rooms and then we will pray out (**CHAIRS CHOICE**).