

2008 Illinois State AFG Convention

October 24-26, 2008

Morton, IL

**** BASKET RAFFLE ****



We need volunteer groups to create gift baskets to raffle off at this year's convention. These baskets have been a big hit at previous conventions with the funds raised going towards the seed money for next year's convention.

How your group can help:

Think of a theme for your basket to tie it all together:

Some examples are:

- Spa/relaxation (candles, lotions, bath salts)
- Pets (dog, cat, etc)
- Al-Anon literature (pamphlets, books, bookmarks, book covers)
- Cooking (cookbook, recipes, spices, utensils)
- One for the guys
- Chocolate lovers
- Sports (general or a specific sport or team)
- Tea/Coffee Drinkers
- Halloween (since it is that time of year and Morton is the pumpkin capital of the world!)

Collect Items for your basket. One idea is to keep a box at your meetings and members can bring items to the meeting. Remember to KEEP IT SIMPLE! We aren't asking that you go out and spend money on extravagant items. Be creative – re-gift something that you did not want or couldn't use.

Assemble your basket. Again reuse! Find a basket you don't use anymore. Assemble all your items. Please include at least one Al-Anon program item, such as a book, an issue of The Forum, or something with the Serenity Prayer on it. Please wrap the whole basket in cellophane to keep the items from falling out.

What to do when you are finished:

Please bring the completed baskets with you to the convention registration table on Friday Oct 24th or early on Saturday Oct 25th. The baskets will be raffled off after the quilt at the convention on Saturday night.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact:

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