



Below is the layout of the first part of our new book, *Our Common Wealth*. We need oral histories that fall in these nine chapters. If you are interested in contributing your story, or your homegroup's story, contact the TIC Archivist, Bob H., at ticarchivist@tidewaterintergroup.org (757-227-2696), or the Archives Committee chair at archives@tidewaterintergroup.org (757-770-0483).

1. **1940s:** AA Migrations (How AA arrived at various places in Virginia and how it spread); 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.
2. **1950s:** Service in AA and Carrying the Message (12 traditions, delegates, service structure evolution); women's meetings; 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.
3. **1960s:** BIPOC History (African American groups segregated vs unsegregated history); 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.
4. **1970s:** LGBTQ; separation of VA Conventions and Assemblies; 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.
5. **1980s:** Influence of Treatment Centers and the Courts (changing meeting formats and the influence of treatment centers, "open discussion" and court-ordered AA participation); *My Name is Bill W.* movie; 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.
6. **1990s:** Internet and first online meetings; 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.
7. **2000s:** Availability of cell phones; 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.
8. **2010s:** Safety in the rooms; 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.
9. **2020s:** COVID - 19 Pandemic; Updated preamble; 2 oral histories and a couple of group histories.

Note: There is also a contest for the book's cover art. If you would like to enter, a link to a flyer announcing the contest is posted to the TIC homepage as well as to the Archives Committee's page on the TIC Event Calendar.