

# Electronic CAL Fact Sheet

## ***Having Had a Spiritual Awakening . . . e-book (eB-25)***

This beautiful book features member sharings, photographs, and artwork from around the globe, reflecting the diversity of Al-Anon members' spiritual experiences. No longer in print, *Having Had a Spiritual Awakening...* is now available exclusively as an e-book through your electronic book provider at \$9.99. 190 pages.

(In June 2012, the Policy Committee reported to Conference members that after lengthy discussion it concluded that using a third party vendor to sell electronic CAL is not a violation of the Traditions or policy.)

## ***How Al-Anon Works audio book (eA-22)***

This audio version of Al-Anon's basic book is available through your electronic media provider as a downloadable MP3 file at \$24.99. It is 16 hours and 19 minutes long, narrated by anonymous Al-Anon members whose willingness to participate in this service project made the audio book possible.

## ***How Al-Anon Works e-book (eB-22, eFB-22, eSB-22)***

Due to a combination of business and technology issues, the e-book version of Al-Anon's basic book is only available from the Apple iTunes store at this time. It can be read on Apple computers and iPhones. The e-book available in English, French, and Spanish, and is priced at \$14.99. 416 pages.

This announcement was made with the approval of Al-Anon's Policy Committee, which recognized at its October 2013 meeting that there was no other way to announce the availability of this e-book without stating specifically where the e-book could be acquired. This announcement is informational only, and is not an endorsement of Apple computer and its products. Other e-book vendors may offer an electronic version of *How Al-Anon Works* at a later date.

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The cost of an annual electronic subscription is \$11. Individual electronic copies are available for \$1.49. Subscribers can read this electronic version on Nook e-readers. With a free Nook app, the magazine can also be accessible on iPads, iPhones, iPod touch handhelds, Android phones (version 2.1 and later), Android tablets, Windows PCs, Mac, and via Web browsers.

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