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Sweet Sixteen

Dear Mary:

Thanks for always being there for me and the rest of the employees, thanks for always filling in for me when I was sick or away. Thanks for always looking out for the best interest of the Club in all of the things that you did for us. Thanks for feeding us when we were hungry, sometimes out of your pocket! Thanks for the love and compassion that you always displayed to folks that needed it the most and showed that they needed it the least. Thanks for always making things seem just a little more bearable. I miss you already! Love Tony

Mary Garcia has left the Club after Sixteen Years of the most loyal, dedicated service. Thanks form all of us and I'm sure that I speak for the board as well. As they have elected her member of the month.

Only in our United States

Can a pizza get to your house faster than an ambulance.....do drugstores make the sick walk all the way to the back of the store to get their prescriptions....do people order double cheese burgers, a large fry and a diet coke.....do we leave cars worth thousands of dollars in the driveway and leave useless junk in the garage (HINT)(we will be having a yard sale soon)....do we use answering machines to screen calls and then have call waiting so we won't miss a call from someone we didn't want to talk to in the first place.

The Wall behind the Badge Board

The wall has been blank behind the badge board for some time now, I would like our members to suggest a type of tribute to be put on the wall. Thanking those that have come before us and have been willing to see that the doors stay open to the Alano Club of San Jose. Those literally putting their money in the place of there vocal functions. Please send you ideas to Tony Baron at the Club or call me at home 251-4912. Chester has said he would help with the project! Chester Can Do!

<u>The Dance</u>

Saturday, May 15th

We sure would welcome your participation!

Would You Like To Help A Bit More? Want To Give Some Back? Then Consider This:

We have immediate openings on the following volunteer committees:

The Board of Directors has decided to put some committees in place to better our Club.

<u>Steering Committee</u> (Strategic Planning for the Club). Thomas Graham, Manny Tomaz

Activities Committee (Activities Planning for the Club)......Cora Stewart

Membership Committee (Maintenance of Member Base) Manny Tomaz , Mike Austin,

<u>Finance Committee</u> (Financial Planning) Thomas Graham, Manny Tomaz

Facilities Committee...... Frank Peralta, Steve Holloway

You and the Club and the Newcomer could benefit from your participation.

Board Member.....Must have one year of continued participation in a 12 Step program and a good sense of humor, willing to work long hours for no pay what so ever! Dedicated to your recovery and the recovery of others. Board Meeting 5/20/99 we will hold the election. Interested, contact a member of the Board.

These Great and Wonderful Club Members will be Celebrating a Milestone Soon!

Glen S.	5-1-96	Chuck M.	5-2-96	Fernando M.	5-2-98	Felix L.	5-4-94
Steve H.	5-6-85	Joe B.	5-7-61	David N.	5-10-98	Maryann W.	5-11-78
Ed R.	5-11-91	John C.	5-14-71	Gregory M.	5-16-88	Jaime R.	5-24-91
Frank P.	5-24-93	Bruce F.	5-25-98	Norris P.	5-26-91		

Congratulations!