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Dick B. is an author, historian, Bible student, recovered A.A., and active recovered member of the fellowship of Alcoholics Anonymous. He has sponsored more than 100 men in their recovery and devoted 18 years of his life to unearthing and reporting the long-ignored historical treasures of A.A. history. As of March, 2008, Dick had published 32 titles on early A.A. history and had been acclaimed by many as the leading A.A. historian. He still has several works in progress and speaks widely.

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