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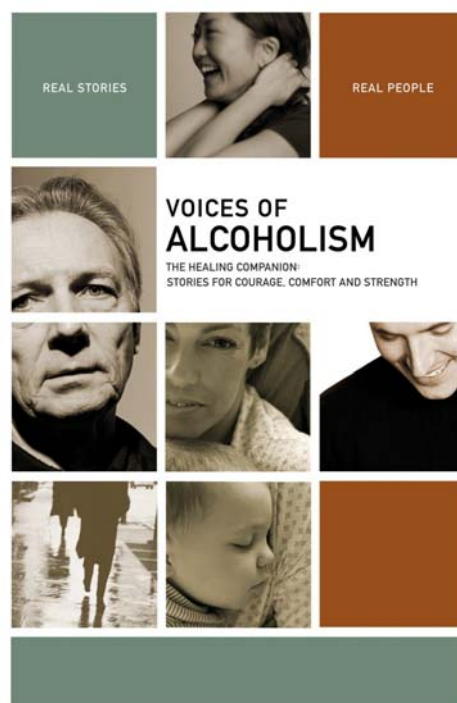
***Voices of Alcoholism* offers insight, compassion and support for alcoholics and their loved ones**

“Poignant, insightful and distinctive... highly recommended.”—Library Journal on other anthologies from The Healing Project

CHICAGO: More than 100 million Americans self-medicate with alcohol and other substances. 100,000 Americans die each year from alcoholism and alcohol abuse, and some 40 percent of fatal automobile crashes are alcohol-related. However, the social stigmas associated with this nation-wide epidemic often prevent victims and their families from seeking help or speaking out.

Voices of Alcoholism: The Healing Companion: Stories for Courage, Comfort and

Strength (LaChance Publishing, April 2008) edited by The Healing Project shares more than 40 stories of people who have suffered the effects of alcoholism—including the personal accounts of alcoholics as well as their parents, spouses, children and other loved ones. These tales of courage, strength and compassion offer insight into the challenges of facing addiction, as well as the shame and isolation experienced by victims of alcoholism.



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Voices of Alcoholism is the latest addition to the “Voices of” series of anthologies edited by The Healing Project, a non-profit organization created to establish a place for those suffering from life-threatening and chronic diseases to share their stories, while also creating a community of support for them and their loved ones. *Voices of Alcoholism* focuses on breaking the silence shrouding the disease of alcoholism and the devastation it brings to families of all walks of life.

Voices of Alcoholism is filled with unforgettable and remarkably candid accounts of the effect of alcoholism on everyone—not just the alcoholic—from the first drink through the challenges of achieving a lasting recovery. With a comprehensive resources section for those seeking current information on treatment and recovery, this heartfelt, emotional and informative volume affirms the strength of the human spirit.

The Healing Project is a not-for-profit organization founded in 2005, dedicated to creating a community of support for those challenged with chronic and life-threatening illnesses.

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