



February 4, 2020

Dear Presidents and/or Alzheimer's Coordinators,

We trust that each of you had a Merry Christmas and you are having a Happy New Year.

***Attached you will find the Instructions Sheet for the 50/50 Alzheimer's Drawing which is rapidly approaching us that will take place at our 57th State Federation Conference on April 27-29, 2020, the Hilton Garden Inn Hotel in Summerville, SC. If you are no longer the Chapter President or Chapter Alzheimer's Coordinator, please forward this instruction sheet to the newly elected person.***

Also, please let each Chapter Alzheimer's Coordinator know that the New Alzheimer's Coordinator Manuals dated September 2015 are on the NARFE website to be downloaded for their use. The National Alzheimer's Committee is in the process of making some changes soon.

Let me give huge thanks again to all the Chapters for your assistance in helping us to reach our previous National Goal of \$13 Million by January 31, 2019. ***Our new National Goal is \$14 Million by December 31, 2020, and we can do it with your help. Also, thanks to those Chapters that participated in the recent 2019 Walks to End Alzheimer's disease. We raised Nationwide \$74,581.00 which is very good and up \$7,400.00 (11.02%) more than in December 31, 2018.***

***Please refer your Chapters to see the Alzheimer's Article in the December 2019 Magazine that just came out with the new 2019 Grants that were awarded at our NARFE Alzheimer's National Committee Annual Training, which was held September 11-12, 2019, Chicago, IL. Please use this information to encourage the members to give more toward this dreadful disease that is affecting so many people.***

Thanks again for all you did this year to help us reach our National Goal and I look forward to seeing you at our SC Federation Conference on April 27-29, 2020. However, should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Attachment: Instructions Sheet for 50/50 Drawing for SC Federation Conference, April 27-29, 2020, The Hilton Garden Inn Hotel, Summerville, SC.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR ALZHEIMER'S 50/50 DRAWING

This year at the April 27-29, 2020, South Carolina Federation 56th Annual Conference at the Hilton Garden Inn, Summerville, SC, we will have a 50/50 drawing for Alzheimer's disease Research. Alzheimer's Research will receive 50% of the total ticket sales; 1<sup>st</sup> prize will be 50% of the remaining sales; 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize winners will split the remaining 50% with each winner getting 25%.

Please sell tickets for this drawing in your chapter meetings before the conference in April 2019. We will also be selling tickets at the Convention. You do not have to be present to win.

### Please follow these instructions:

1. Sell tickets at chapter meetings—\$1.00 each, 6 tickets for \$5.00, 15 tickets for \$10.00.
2. Have the buyers legibly write their name and chapter number on the back of the tickets sold before returning them to you. The use of address labels is encouraged and is an easier way to go. Remember, you do not have to be present to win.
3. Place all tickets sold at chapter meetings in a zip lock bag and label it with your chapter name and number. (EXAMPLE: Spartanburg #560). Please bring the sold tickets to the Conference in the zip lock bag. Tickets sold at the convention will be combined with all your tickets before the drawing and funds recorded as sold at Conference in addition to the tickets that were already previously sold at your meetings.
4. Keep the drawing money separate from any other regular Alzheimer's donations. Place it in another labeled zip lock bag with Chapter Name/number and Form 1 to the Conference.
5. Turn both zip-lock bags over to me at the Conference, only if you bring other funds.

**WOW, we did IT!!!** Thanks to all the chapters for your support in our reaching the **\$13 Million National Goal**. However, the **new Goal is \$14 Million by the end of 2020** with your continued help and support. We need to work hard to complete our **NEW GOAL**.

Good luck—you can be a winner! 15 tickets for \$10.00 is a real bargain. Remember, 1/2 of all money collected goes for NARFE Alzheimer's Research!

Please remind your Chapter Treasurer that all regular donations for Alzheimer's disease Research Funds from your chapter should reach me by March 20, 2020, so I can close the books for the 2019-2020 year. Also, to make awards to various Chapters for the highest amount of funds raised during this year. Thanks for all your assistance in the matter.