

"All the Cool Kids do it"

A teenage boy's guide to alcohol

Hello! My, you're getting becoming more of a man

Hello! As a teenager you are facing many changes.

Soon you will have developed into a man

Hello! My name is Steve, and I am sixteen years old. I am rapidly changing into a man. Physically, my body is developing and muscles and becoming much stronger. I am ~~beginning~~ starting to make decisions all on my own. Some times I sit outside and wonder about religion. Is there a God, and who's this Jesus person anyhow? How do I fit into the picture?

Steve is a typical sixteen year old high schooler. He just got his license. He plays <sup>on the</sup> golf for team and belongs to the Key Club. He is beginning to question the nature of religion. Most of the time Steve is very confused. He has every right to be. ~~Steve will probably never figure out~~ <sup>about</sup> He is asking all sorts of questions, but getting no answers. Steve went to his father and asked him about some questions.

His father just laughed and said, "You'll have the rest of your life to figure that out. Enjoy yourself while you're young." Steve felt better. His dad always could explain things so that Steve would understand them. "I was such a silly head for worrying about such matters at my age."

\*Bye, bye problems!\* and with that ~~a heavy load~~ all his problems magically flew away. All but one, that is.

Steve knew that there was one decision he was going to have to make before he grew up. That decision was about alcohol.

Deciding to drink alcohol is the most important decision a teenager can make. This pamphlet will try to explore the options so that you can make that decision all on your own. Ready to go on a little ride? Well then, climb on All aboard! First step is to take <sup>The quiz. Don't worry, you can't</sup> ~~a self inventory.~~ get an F on this exam!

## Self Inventory

The decision to drink

Let's take a look at yourself. A very important part of the decision to start drinking stems from self esteem. Answer these questions honestly.

yes no

I am not a popular athlete

I have acne

I drive my mother's mini van

My Saturday night is playing poker

I ~~never~~ use the internet

The X-Files is my favorite show

Van Halen is better off with Sammy Hagar

I own a "Co-Ed naked" T-shirt

I ran for Student Govt and lost

Did you answer yes to any of these questions? Of course you did. We just want to ~~show~~ hold a mirror up to you to show you your weaknesses. The first stage is acceptance. Your life has become uncool.