



## ***Here is What's New? in our February 2024 Edition:***

### **Advocacy Help:**

**Know Your Rights When You Fly:** As Congress begins its election-year session, HLAA continues to advocate for legislation and regulations that support the rights of millions of Americans with hearing loss. We're currently working to improve air travel accessibility in reauthorization of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA). Please CLICK on the following link: [Advocacy Help](#)

### **Guidance Articles:**

**Everything You Need To Know About Hearing Aid Batteries:** Hearing aid batteries power your advanced hearing aids. Here's everything you need to know about hearing aid battery sizes, lifespan, storage, brands and purchasing.

Please CLICK on the following link: [Guidance Articles](#)

### **Are You New To Hearing Loss?:**

**Are Hearing Aids Now Golden?** The Golden Bachelor broke new ground in positioning hearing aids as not just devices for improving communication, but also for making people sexier! Please CLICK on the following link: [Are You New To Hearing Loss?](#)

### **My Story:**

**Author Katherine Bouton Opens Up About Going Deaf:** In her new book, Katherine Bouton describes how she learned to cope with hearing loss and why we need to do more to address this widespread but misunderstood problem.

Please CLICK on the following link: [My Story](#)

## Layperson's Guide:

**A Poignant Memoir Of Hearing Loss And Music:** John Cotter's memoir "Losing Music" is full of unanswered questions. The cause of his loss may be Meniere's disease, but no one really understands Meniere's and he may not have it. His disabling vertigo may be related to migraine, or it may not be. His tinnitus drives him crazy, then goes away, and inevitably returns. Please **CLICK** on the following link: [Layperson's Guide](#)