

My Story

Posted by Endeavouring - 24 Mar 2016 16:19

Hi,

So I had struggled with these problems for a couple of years, but fortunately my falls gradually became less frequent. By the beginning of this past autumn I had completely rid myself of lustful habits and I went clean for half a year.

Around a couple of weeks ago, I sadly fell back into my old ways and so I find myself here. I think the cause of my recent fall is that I had tons of free time with absolutely nothing to do.

With the help of Hashem and this website I hope to break free for good this time and never return to such habits again. It's not going to be a cakewalk but I've done it before so I believe anything is possible.

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Re: My Story

Posted by markz - 24 Mar 2016 18:20

Welcome!

Forgive most of the guys for not putting out the welcome mat for you!

They are busy cake-walking or something similar!

Keep on Drinking

One Truck at a Time!!!

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Re: My Story

Posted by Sasha 2 - 24 Mar 2016 21:07

Welcome welcome!

You seem like you have the right determination to succeed.

Hatzlacha!

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Re: My Story

Posted by shmulyz18 - 25 Mar 2016 01:58

[markz wrote on 24 Mar 2016 18:20:](#)

Keep on Drinking

One Truck at a Time!!!

Mark, what happened to KOT & ODAAT??

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Re: My Story

Posted by markz - 25 Mar 2016 03:22

[shmulyz18 wrote:](#)

[markz wrote:](#)

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One Truck at a Time!!!

Mark, what happened to KOT & ODAAT??

I'm sure you know what venuhepoch hoo means

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Re: My Story

Posted by cordnoy - 25 Mar 2016 06:03

Welcome.

B'hatzlachah

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Re: My Story

Posted by shmulyz18 - 25 Mar 2016 19:49

yes mark of course I do, how was your Purim?

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Re: My Story

Posted by mr.clean - 27 Mar 2016 12:48

Why exactly do u think u have a "list issue"? At what point do u say I am a male with normal male taivos? Maybe some self control work but From what you described its hard to see an "issue"?

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Re: My Story

Posted by Endeavouring - 27 Mar 2016 17:27

[mr.clean wrote on 27 Mar 2016 12:48:](#)

Why exactly do u think u have a "list issue"? At what point do u say I am a male with normal male taivos? Maybe some self control work but From what you described its hard to see an "issue"?

Just because someone is a male with normal male taivos does not mean that he doesn't struggle with lustful temptations. The pandemic of looking at lustful images and wasting seed etc. has unfortunately affected many, both those with a regular natural sexuality and those without.

Having normal male taivos is not an excuse to violate the second half of Bamidbar 15:39. Rambam wrote that one must not even derive pleasure from looking at the finger of a woman. So clearly, the fact that I gave into my flesh is an issue in itself, as it was a grave sin.

It was grave enough for Chazal to say that one's hand "ought to be chopped off" for it, so it's enough for me to consider it a problem and use this website's help.

But fair question.

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