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Need to make a change after all these years Posted by AviSim - 07 Aug 2017 17:02

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Re: Need to make a change after all these years Posted by Shlomo24 - 07 Aug 2017 17:13

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Thanks for sharing. Keep coming back.

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Re: Need to make a change after all these years Posted by Markz - 07 Aug 2017 17:28

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Sorry to hear all that
Freedom is here ;-)
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Re: Need to make a change after all these years Posted by lomed - 07 Aug 2017 18:13
Welcome back Chaver,
They say that Einstein said that Sanity is doing the same thing over and over and expecting different results. You wrote a few years ago, about the same words. Obviously something will be different this time around if you want different results. So if you are comfortable please share with us, what will you be doing now differently from 3 years ago.
Please stick around with us and move lets move forward our road to recovery.
have a wonderful day.
Lomed
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Re: Need to make a change after all these years Posted by gibbor120 - 08 Aug 2017 16:32
Welcome! I'm glad you are getting help. We are here for you. Keep posting.
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