

Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 04 Aug 2020 05:33

Hi everyone,

First I want to say that I am humbled and honored to be in the presence of such Giborei Koach, true warriors of Hakadosh Baruch Hu.

I bh am not addicted to pornography.

I haven't been on a porn website.

But I'm getting close, and I'm here to gain chizuk not to fall into it.

Once I return to Yeshiva I'm safe, but as long as I'm home I'm in danger, and bh I haven't fallen into pornography. However it's the next step, chalila.

I bh am running a camp, so I started keeping busy, so bh have only been nichshal once in the last 3 weeks.

i want to just express my gratitude to all of you, and my great admiration for each and every one of you.

My Yetzer tries telling me "comon, porn can't be that bad, it's just the word that sounds scary" or like "it can't be so different than YouTube videos"

So I'm here to gain that chizuk.

thank you!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 05 Apr 2021 17:01

Oy.

Thats all for now.

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 06 Apr 2021 03:40

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Markz - 08 Apr 2021 03:41

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Time for another poem?

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Posted by YeshivaGuy - 08 Apr 2021 04:33

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Hatzlocha to you all and thanks for sticking with me on this journey.

YeshivaGuy

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Looking_to_improve - 08 Apr 2021 05:41

Hatzlocho for this Zman

Looking forward to hearing from you again soon.

Well done on taking a big step

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by wilnevergiveup - 08 Apr 2021 06:30

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Hatzlacha!

Most (all?) banks have telephone banking. You can look into it, it may need to be set up first with a pin etc.

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by HappyYid - 08 Apr 2021 12:00

Great big step you're taking by leaving your iPhone, hopefully in Yeshiva it will be easier for you to fight the challenge.

Hatzlacha, on the new zman too!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 16 Apr 2021 00:18

Hey guys, hope y'all are doing well.

Baruch Hashem Yeshiva is going pretty good. Not having an Iphone is an absolute gamechanger.

I have had some hirhurim here and there, but without a smartphone i can just push away the thought and it's gone.

I absolutely encourage everyone to take that step if you can.

I'll share with you guys some moments and victories from this week.

I was in a target, and the lady at the cashier was especially nice and spoke with a feminine

voice etc, I won't go into details, but I was turned on.

~~Normally~~ In the past I would be thinking about how this girl is into me etc and my mind would wander far, but I worked hard in that moment to view her as just a nice happy person.

That was very difficult but bh was matzliach.

Currently I'm using my friends computer in his room.

Last night I asked a guy to use his computer and he said sure, but upon asking him he said he didnt have a filter, and I declined using it without him or someone else around.

This was hard for me, because in my mind I knew i wouldnt be nichshal, as i didnt want to be.

But I took notice of my pounding heart and realized that there was a part of my self which did want to sin.

So even though my Seichel had the right intentions, I took precaution for my guf.

For me this is a big deal, because it means being aware of both parts to ones Self, which is a much larger discussion.

So bh things are going well, not the way I want them to be but still bh pretty good.

I text a GYE guy daily about my progress and am in touch with others offline as well.

Thank you all from the bottom of my heart for all the love, support, eitzah, and encouragement, on and off this site.

YeshivaGuy

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Striving Avreich - 16 Apr 2021 09:13

Thank you for posting this. It's great to know that you are in a better place (in both senses of the phrase) and doing well. You brought a smile to my face.

It's really great hearing you celebrating your success (and that you are having lots of them)

This should be a lesson to all of us that sometimes we just need to pick up, leave the things that are bringing us down and start living again.

Hatzlachah on the new zman

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 26 Apr 2021 00:55

Doing pretty well Baruch Hashem.

Been having moments of feeling worthless, that I have no intrinsic self worth, and that I'm simply the sum of my accomplishments and failures... Working with my therapist to work on that inyan.

Anyway, doing good b'chlall, will be b'kesher.

Hatzlocha chevra!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by EvedHashem1836 - 26 Apr 2021 01:14

great to hear from you! Good to see your climbing back up

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Lou - 26 Apr 2021 02:18

It is so good to hear from you! We know you are doing the right thing by staying away but we still miss you.

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 30 Apr 2021 20:35

Had a fall. Movin on

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 04 May 2021 01:33

fell again motzei shabbos.... Still moving on. Rough times folks, in many ways.

Hatzloha Chevra

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