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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 Vehkam - 23 Dec 2022 03:46

YG you continue to amaze and inspire. I hope you appreciate the greatness you are achieving despite the confusing circumstances. May hashem continue to guide you on the correct path.

I see that I've arrived late to the party. My opinion doesn't really matter much at this point, but it might help you with V'hosar Satan M'lfaneinu Umai'achareinu. I imagine it was probably brutal to have a girl you're interested in be in your house waiting to schmooze and to not seize that opportunity. Especially as it seems to be a potential option for you as a shidduch. However, I think you made the healthiest decision by waiting it out. If you are meant to be it will happen. If not, it would have set you up for more potential heartbreak. It would have made her departure much more difficult. If she gets engaged before you it will be horrific. I know many people who have experienced something like this and it's excruciating. While you may be kicking yourself for not talking to her, it was a great decision. You insightfully predicted a possible scenario of marrying someone else and having this relationship haunt you. It's not for sure going to happen, but marriage is a delicate entity, and it's best to avoid putting yourself into a situation where you'll be wondering "what if"? You made an amazing choice.

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 23 Dec 2022 06:49

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Nah now the party gets started!

Ya I've had that already with a different girl...

We b'chlall never spoke, was more of a thing that my friends, even rebbium were making jokes about for years and years, and then she got married and I even had to go to the wedding...

When they were under the chupa I was mamash going through absolute hell beyond anything, after a they walked down though I eventually gave my "reshus" if that's worth anything since I didn't wanna be mashpia on them any kitrugim etc...

lve got no shortage of stories guys, I can keep you all entertained for years!
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Re: Make it to Yeshiva Posted by Human being - 23 Dec 2022 06:52
How the heck do you find so much strength YG?
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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 23 Dec 2022 06:59

After my (super crispy and geshmak) schnitzel feast: Wanted to work out. Bugged out abit that I didn't work out this week/gained some weight.

Masterbated/watched bad YouTube vid.

Recovered the shiksas number I had deleted.

Spoke for hours over messaging, masterbated again, bad YouTube clips.

After she had made it clear that she's 100% down to meet me and she's legit 15min away (and pretty etc), and after entertaining that and possibly making a time and place etc, I broke it off totally.

I explained everything to her, no need to go through on here.

I deleted number and finally went through the backup and deleted all of that permanently so I can't recover it.

I'm not thinking about GD, religion or anything like that. I'm thinking about trauma.

Prospect of meeting up etc brings up flashbacks for me and it's horrible.

All of this has taiva but I think mainly about escaping the trauma work I'm in.

I must must must fix my gym matzav so I can work out daily. Legit my lifeline to be sane, self confident, and not watch porn.

Sorry that tonight's "tzadik" didn't have the holiest night you all that he did.

Gut Chanuka,

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Human being - 23 Dec 2022 07:09

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by FighterWithFire - 23 Dec 2022 07:11

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Starting a petition to have YeshivaGuy change his name to "YeshivaWarrior." Should be self-explanatory.
YG, your resilience here is incredible. Yosef Hatzaddik is beaming with Nachas in Shamayim. Keep fighting, and know that we-and more importantly, Hashem-are with you every step of the way.
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YeshivaGuyNo No No No No! This is not about perfection! We think you are strong (like incredibly strong) for fighting the fight. For battling. For getting up and pushing through every day despite the trauma inside. The fact that you get up in the morning just to fight and work through another day is so strong of you. This is not about the days and nights, streaks and levels. This is about the direction we are heading in. You seem to be out there every day heading forward, even though you path takes you over steep inclines and deep cliffs. Even though you have a backpack that has pounds and pounds of rocks in it making every step so much harder. Cramps, leg pain, dehydration, loneliness, broken bones, migraines... yet you get get up every day either way to continue you way forward. You are so strong, yes even tonight.

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by OivedElokim - 25 Dec 2022 23:14

@YG-you are an inspiration. Recent events in my personal life-of which you are aware-have made me recognize that to an even greater degree.

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By that metric you're a monster of a man. Keep it up bro...

I love you!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Eerie - 26 Dec 2022 05:51

Dear YG, after all that went on on that crazy night, your emotional roller coaster, you reached

out, you stayed back because you felt it was right, you had such heartache later, you even fell, but then you did NOT follow the path that the YH had undoubtedly charted for you from the beginning of the night, and on that same night you stood up to a massive nisayon, and actually deleted the contact that he had so badly wanted you to have...and you say it was not a holy night? I beg to differ. I don't like posting dvar Torahs on the forum, but it is just too good to skip. In slonim, I believe, they say a vort that the reason why Yosef hatzaddik is considered the ultimate '???? ??????' is because the nature of all people is that when the YH is on fire, our urges on on full throttle, and we fall even a little bit, to stop there and not fall further is almost impossible, it is excruciatingly difficult. Yosef lost ten drops, he was young, energetic, and everything in him screamed, "just do it, you fell today anyway, tomorrow you'll start your next streak", but Yosef did not listen to that voice, he stopped in the middle of a fall, picked himself up, and walked out. Someone who can stop, while he's falling, and not let himself be convinced to just enjoy tonight, that's the greatest warrior against the YH that exists. My friend, that describes exactly what you've done. I beg to differ, my friend, and I rest my case. Keep trucking! And keep making us all very proud!

Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 06 Jan 2023 05:08

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Really very surprising. Not someone who's ???? ?????? ?? ?????, will stay with my current rebbium.

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Gut Nacht

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Posted by Vehkam - 06 Jan 2023 13:17

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i have had conversations with rebbeim that rubbed old wounds... took work to figure out why i was so miserable from those conversations. Noone is perfect. BH you have current rebbeim that are more sensitive to you.

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Posted by sleepy - 06 Jan 2023 16:11

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Human being - 11 Jan 2023 20:34

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Dear Rav Sleepy, i ask as a friend and with love, what is your "mehalech?" Has it worked for you? Because it seems that your mehalech doesn't work for 99% of the guys here, especially @yishivaguy as he clearly states. Hashem is perfect he doesn't need science to back us up,

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and he doesn't "disagree" with science either. He is perfect. If something works or doesn't work doesn't depend on what a specific rebbi that i had 14 years ago said or not. It depends on whether Hashem decided it should work or not work. If it works to get him closer to Hashem then that's what Hashem wants. Hashem doesn't want us to do things that bring us farther away from Hashem even if a rebbi we once had tells us that its the right thing to do.

I'm curios to know your mehalech and how its helped you.	