

Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 04 Aug 2020 05:33

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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 Hashem Help Me - 26 Aug 2020 14:32

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva  
Posted by YeshivaGuy - 26 Aug 2020 18:18

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Amen. Shkoyach, bezras Hashem!

My currents goal is to be clean until Succos (especially since I'll be going back home then and time to take up arms for the fight). And we'll take it from there.

Ill keep posting. Thanks for the chizuk!!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva  
Posted by YeshivaGuy - 26 Aug 2020 18:21

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Also, a Question, what do u mean by graduate?

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Hashem Help Me - 27 Aug 2020 03:04

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[YeshivaGuy wrote on 26 Aug 2020 18:21:](#)

Also, a Question, what do u mean by graduate?

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There comes a point where one stops panicking when he gets an urge. That "monster" that was hiding in the closet and was oozing out of the door frame, will have been defined as being what it is - an urge to act out. Simple. It will lose that larger than life feeling. Secondly one realizes that he is a good person even if he is plagued by desires and urges from time to time. So it is not that the *taiva* becomes less. It does not really change, but it becomes accepted as normal. It therefore is not given so much attention and therefore passes quicker with distractions, reaching out to a chaver, etc.

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 30 Aug 2020 04:43

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17 days clean. Motzei Shabbos is always hard, got taiva now to masterbate, but not gonna give in cuz I know I have support from u all.

Shkoyach!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 30 Aug 2020 12:25

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Left shachris early to take nap before Seder. Bad idea...

Big taiva now, and struggling, very close to the point where the zera comes out, got aroused...

At any other time I would just give in.

But not here. Not now.

Not sure why I'm fighting so hard, I think "is it such a big deal? Does it really matter?"

I assume it does and I won't give in

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Grant400 - 30 Aug 2020 12:31

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You do know why you are fighting so hard. But right now you're mind isn't allowing you to comprehend it do to the urge. Remind yourself your original reasons. Remember how much happier you are when clean.

Never forget how amazing you are. You are destined for great things my friend. We are rooting for you and becoming inspired. Hang in there, and shtieg away!

Grant

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Im Tevakshena Kakasef - 30 Aug 2020 17:01

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Hope you pulled through o.k.

Look back now and you'll see clearly why you were fighting, and you'll also feel a real satisfaction in the fight you gave. 20 20 vision in hindsight.

Much Beracha

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 30 Aug 2020 17:48

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Yup I did bh. I'm looking back now bh, shkoyach

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by tikkunhabrit - 30 Aug 2020 21:08

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 30 Aug 2020 23:16

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Thanks, I mean like, I don't allow myself any access to YouTube or anything when I'm the one in control (like in Yeshiva).

And though I don't have a laptop I'll comment on ur eitzah anyway, it seems like it can be turned on or off whenever u want, in which case it seems pretty pointless...

Anyway, thanks for the eitzah! Much appreciated, hatzlocha!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by YeshivaGuy - 30 Aug 2020 23:57

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It's amazing how much taiva I have, really incredible.

I want to just do it so bad...

Guess I gotta go to Night Seder early!

Its funny how my Yetzer hara seems to be pushing me to become a Talmud Chacham!

I know HaShem sees me and is proud, it's just hard especially when my roommates aren't in the room...

anyway, Thanks everyone!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva

Posted by Im Tevakshena Kakasef - 31 Aug 2020 10:16

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This is great! But it seems to block everything for me. Like, even now on GYE it doesn't show the reply / past buttons. Still really useful to know.

And Yeshiva Guy, you're doing great. Keep it up!

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Re: Make it to Yeshiva  
Posted by wilnevergiveup - 31 Aug 2020 11:56

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If you have a decent filter, you should be able to do this more efficiently through your filter settings.

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