

My journey

Posted by naftoly18 - 18 Mar 2025 11:20

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Re: My journey

Posted by BenHashemBH - 18 Mar 2025 13:11

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[naftoly18 wrote on 18 Mar 2025 11:20:](#)

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Shalom Brother,

Sorry to hear you are in a tough spot, but glad you feel a push to fight.

Help will always be given at GYE to those who ask for it.

Perhaps reach out to user HashemHelpMe (HHM) at [michelgelner@gmail.com](mailto:michelgelner@gmail.com)

There are some amazing folks in Lakewood and I'll let them introduce themselves.

Hatzlacha Rabbah

I don't know that I fit the description of what you are looking for, but happy to be in touch and help in any way that I can.

[BenHashemBH@gmail.com](mailto:BenHashemBH@gmail.com)

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Re: My journey

Posted by proudyungerman - 18 Mar 2025 14:48

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Welcome to the warmest family in the world!

Here you will find true care, concern, and warmth.

Here you will learn that you CAN break free!

As has been mentioned, there are many tools here to help you in this fight. Some of them you may be familiar with, some may be new.

There is the F2F Program, the [Vaad Program](#) (click [here](#) for an explanation of what the vaad is), and the book [The Battle of the Generation](#) - many have found this very helpful in reframin' the struggle, as you mentioned.

Posting is a great way to connect, learn, and grow also.

(The [Hall of Fame Thread](#) is a great compilation of some the great threads on GYE.)

There is also an extremely powerful tool of accountability, friends, and mentors, as has been mentioned, that has helped hundreds - myself included.

HHM - Hashem Help Me - is the mentor-in-chief around here. He's reachable at [michelgelner@gmail.com](mailto:michelgelner@gmail.com).

Some of the other great guys here are Eerie - [1gimpelovitz@gmail.com](mailto:1gimpelovitz@gmail.com), Muttel - [muttel15@gmail.com](mailto:muttel15@gmail.com), Reb Akiva - [mevakesh247@gmail.com](mailto:mevakesh247@gmail.com) iwantlife - [iwantlifegye@proton.me](mailto:iwantlifegye@proton.me) minhamayim - [minhamayim1@gmail.com](mailto:minhamayim1@gmail.com) amevakesh - [amevakesh23@gmail.com](mailto:amevakesh23@gmail.com)

Keep postin', you'll see, the oilam is here for you.

Lookin' forward to seeing great things from you!

And don't forget, as always, KOMT!!

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Re: My journey

Posted by cleanmendy - 18 Mar 2025 15:12

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Its amazing that your reaching out to get help, that answers your question that you really do want it.

Reach out to one of the mentors on proudyungermans post and they'll lead you to someone who can shtim with you.

Tons of Hatzlacha

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Re: My journey

Posted by mickey30 - 18 Mar 2025 18:34

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that took a lot of strength and courage to do what you just did. Amazing!!

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Re: My journey

Posted by renewedunicorn23 - 18 Mar 2025 21:19

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Mad respect, I really feel the rawness of your post and I just know it took a tremendous amount of strength to even decide to write it. You clearly are determined and you WILL be successful. If it's not too much to ask, I highly encourage pushing yourself to write a bit more about your situation. It will help clarify your own thoughts and take a step back so you can approach this confidently. It will also help others who identify stongly with your situation (and there ARE people on here who do, whatever it may be) find you. We're rooting for you hard my brother.

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Re: My journey

Posted by eerie - 19 Mar 2025 16:52

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Oy, your pain is so great, I'm so sorry

My dear friend, the fact that you are willing to connect to someone, that has the potential to really change things around in your life.

Stick around here, this is the most amazing place, we care about you, we want to hear from you, and we are here to help in any way we can

My friend, there is a bright future possible! If you want to, feel free to reach out to me at the email in my signature

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