

Hello from Blind Beggar

Posted by Blind Beggar - 28 Aug 2010 21:19

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Hello Tzaddikim! I just found this site last week. I think it is going to make my Rosh Hashono and Yom Kippur. I think the newness of the 90 day chart will get me 40 clean days to Shemini Atzeres but I am afraid of what will happen next. Does anyone have any suggestions?

I have read enough of the forum to see that you are all tzaddikim and all serving Hashem every day clean and again after every fall.

The holy Baal Shem Tov taught that the yetzer horo is more interested in the post-sin depression than in the sin itself.

Blind Beggar who wants to have eyes only for Hashem.

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar

Posted by Machshovo Tova - 13 May 2012 21:48

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[Blind wrote on 12 May 2012 18:25:](#)

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar  
Posted by obormottel - 13 May 2012 22:05

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Mazel tov! Vayigadleho l'Toiro, l'chupo, ul'maasim toivim!

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar  
Posted by Gevura Shebyesod - 13 May 2012 22:39

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Reminds me of the machlokes in the meforshim about Mar Yenuka and Mar Keshisha.

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar

Posted by Machshovo Tova - 14 May 2012 13:58

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Boruch shekivanti (or shekivanto). I also thought of that tzu-shtel (many years ago) when I heard the Rizhiner Maiseh.

For those not familiar, Mar Yenuka ((Mr. Young) and Mar Keshisha (Mr. Old) were sons of Rav Chisda. Rashi (Chulin 89b) learns that Mar Yenuka was younger and Mar Keshisha was older, as their names would seem to imply. Tosefos (Bava Basra 7b) learns that Mar Yenuka was older but since he was born when Rav Chusda was young, they called him Mar Yenuka; and Mar Keshisha was the younger one, who was born when Rav Chisda was older.

Hafoch bah vahafoch bah dekula bah!

Hamaor shebah yachzireinu lemutav!

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar

Posted by Blind Beggar - 15 May 2012 09:13

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SIX HUNDRED CUMULATIVE CLEAN DAYS ON THE CHART!

Did you count the smiles?

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar  
Posted by tehylimzugger - 15 May 2012 11:32

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[Blind wrote on 15 May 2012 09:13:](#)

Did you count the smiles?

No I didn't, I asked Microsoft Word to do it... He claims it's 630. And he never lies.

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar  
Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 15 May 2012 18:07

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[Blind wrote on 15 May 2012 09:13:](#)

Did you count the smiles?

the one that counts is under your mustache

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar

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Posted by Kevin Pond - 15 May 2012 20:12

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600 mazal tovs to you, BB!!!!!!!!!!!!!! (X600...)

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar

Posted by Blind Beggar - 16 May 2012 09:39

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Thank you, Mr. Pond.

Today it's 601 in total and my current streak is 8 days. As the email says:

Hi Blind Beggar,

Congratulations on reaching level 2!

7 days is a full week, Shleimus!

And tomorrow is 8 days. A physician specializing in neuroscience wrote me once that there is a lot of scientific evidence that doing a behavior at least eight ( 8) times changes things in the brain. For example, if someone wishes to eat a certain food, but does not initially like it, after about the 8th time they eat it, they are much more likely to want that food. So eight days of restraining from a behavior should also make it a bit easier!

So now it's already easier not to abuse Google.

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar

Posted by Blind Beggar - 16 May 2012 09:42

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The cool smiley 8) was not in the original email. It's what you get if you put an 8 in parentheses like this 8)

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar  
Posted by Shteeble - 16 May 2012 17:09

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shita

shita mekubetzes

woodford

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar  
Posted by tehylimzugger - 16 May 2012 17:33

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woodford is also an automatic correction ? ? ? ? ?

i mean, i know it automatically corrects everything but.....

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar  
Posted by Kevin Pond - 16 May 2012 18:31

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so true, BB. here is a real non-judgmental chizuk place  
you even accept ppl with horrible names such as kevin pond (my real name is actually a very

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Re: Hello from Blind Beggar

Posted by Blind Beggar - 16 May 2012 19:20

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Small Victory

There is a website which I use for business which has a photo of a pretty, smiling blonde on the home page. It is not really triggering, more annoying because it does grab my sexual attention. I just discovered that I can skip the home page and bookmark the 2nd page and avoid the problem.

One small victory. Thank you, Hashem.

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