

Could've been the 90th day

Posted by Joerandom - 28 Jan 2016 00:09

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I started GYE exactly 90 days ago. At the time I was MB almost every day. I thought that I'd really make it to 90 days (haha good one...). I had my ups and downs. Had some good streaks and bad streaks but overall would obviously want to be able to get to 90 right now. I'm currently riding a 5 day streak and obviously hoping this time I'll get there.

I want to add that I have no internet capabilities on my phone at the moment, only email, whatsapp, some kosher apps (siddur Chumash, etc...) and the chizuk app where I access GYE. I have a computer with me as well but no internet capabilities where I am and when I have wifi I have web chaver.

That being said I somehow ALWAYS find a way to mess up and when I do it's generally downhill from there. My biggest struggle is that I'll find someone else's device completely unfiltered and "take advantage" of that opportunity or use my "mental library" of pornographic images. Any one have any tips for me or some chizuk, I could really use some in the thick of choref zman

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Re: Could've been the 90th day

Posted by Workingguy - 29 Jan 2016 17:37

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[markz wrote on 29 Jan 2016 15:55:](#)

Which school did you go to ??

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Did you leave off the G in honor of Cordnoy?

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Re: Could've been the 90th day  
Posted by Shlomo24 - 29 Jan 2016 17:43

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[Bigmoish wrote on 29 Jan 2016 15:55:](#)

[Shlomo24 wrote on 29 Jan 2016 15:48:](#)

ARGGHH! I apologize in advance. THE LETTER IS PRONOUNCED TZADEE! NOT TZADIK!

What!?!?!?!?!?

And you call yourself a chassidishe yid???

[Workingguy wrote on 29 Jan 2016 17:37:](#)

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Re: Could've been the 90th day  
Posted by cordnoy - 29 Jan 2016 17:54

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Except on the "G" thread.

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Re: Could've been the 90th day

Posted by m58yiw84niym - 31 Jan 2016 04:16

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So Joerandom, looks like your thread got hijacked and completely derailed off topic.

) and share my two cents (and yes, maybe I am being a bit generous with the value of my opinion):

While I personally also am hoping to hit the 90 day milestone soon (55 days, but who's ), I need to keep reminding myself that the goal isn't to "hit a certain milestone", but rather to live a life of constant growth. So while that means that the journey doesn't 'end' at 90 days, that also means that each day that I remain clean, each time that I want to act out but hold myself back, helps build me up and make me into a stronger person. While that might not mean that I'll never fall again (although I hope and pray to God that I don't and do everything in my power to prevent a fall), each day is it's own success and helps transform me (one small step at a time) into the person I'm trying to become.

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But I'll try to get back on topic (if you guys don't mind

Re: Could've been the 90th day

Posted by BenTorah.BaalHabayis - 31 Jan 2016 05:04

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[Joerandom wrote on 28 Jan 2016 00:42:](#)

Yes Baruch HaShem I think my yeshiva has been very helpful. In fact me and a chaver of mine were frustrated how taboo this topic was where we felt confident that so many kids were struggling but didn't feel confident enough to deal with it or were scared about allowing their struggle to be seen. So we have spoke to many of the rebbeim and Baruch HaShem the yeshiva is becoming more pro-active. In fact. As of last week there is a rebbe who is available for two hours to install netspark (idk if you have heard of it but supposedly is a new filter which is amazing) on anyone's phone and has even gotten a sponsor (it cost like 150 shekels a year) to sponsor kids for the first year.

One day at a time, and one Yid as well. We are all in this together and Maybe with the schism we can bring the geula (don't mind me I'm just getting very excited)

I'm very happy for you! If only I had a Rebbe or close friend to share these struggles with when I was a bochur perhaps I wouldn't have wasted some of my prime years of learning...

I'm curious, how did you and your chaver connect initially regarding this topic?

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