Maybe we should just close down GYE? Posted by the.guard - 26 Dec 2016 17:20

Guys, we have a treasure on GYE, right in our own backyard and no one is using it!

Dov, who is sober in SA for almost 20 years, and who has the experience of speaking with thousands of struggling Yidden these past 20 years, is right here on GYE offering to speak with you for an entire hour everyday from 8am - 9am EST. (See more info on the call <u>here</u>).

You can discuss your deepest fears and secrets with Dov on the call, or send him your questions beforehand at <u>wequithiding2@gmail.com</u>.

Last week we had some nice calls, you can listen to recordings <u>here</u>. But today, this Monday, there was NO ONE on the call! WHAT?? Do you guys realize what an incredible opportunity this is?? Dov is worth his weight in gold! In MNSHO, he is wiser, more experienced and better than any therapist, and GYE is offering this opportunity for free to y'all and no one is taking advantage of this?! I am shocked. I think we may as well just close down GYE. It seems no one

And don't talk to me about sleeping-in late on Chanukah. Tell that excuse to the Greeks.

Re: Maybe we should just close down GYE? Posted by stillgoing - 28 Dec 2016 03:58

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I don't think that he meant it literally at all, what I meant was that since a lot of people apparently did thinks so, it probably should be clarified (as kedusha just did).

When you say "dovs approach works", It's true, but is it the only approach that works? And will it nessaserally work for everyone? I'm also not sure how one can judge "best results".

Re: Maybe we should just close down GYE? Posted by Aryeh821 - 28 Dec 2016 04:30

the way i see it is Imashal you come to forest and there is a clear paved path to the other side however someone says why should i use that path? why dont i just try my own?

i guess i was looking at best results as longest real sobriety but now that Im thinking about it i guess longest and real are contradictory but l'maiseh he is and has been sober longer than anyone else right that has to count for something right?

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Re: Maybe we should just close down GYE? Posted by czworking123 - 28 Dec 2016 09:28

don't mind my \$0.02 but going through some very old posts i found this (part of a con

Dov wrote on 01 Nov 2013 02:29:

As I respond, I pray you have what some do not have: the ability not to take things so dang

so it would seem this is an old problem that Dov is aware of (this is from a drop more than 3 years ago) and yet people were still using him to grow and i hope that will not stop

Re: Maybe we should just close down GYE? Posted by czworking123 - 28 Dec 2016 12:24)

found another one

gibbor120 wrote on 20 Nov 2013 23:48:

I vote for Dov for most misunderstood member of GYE (and possibly most influential at the same time). Influential people are often misunderstood (at least until they die), oh well :sigh:.

Re: Maybe we should just close down GYE? Posted by serenity - 28 Dec 2016 15:13

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Re: Maybe we should just close down GYE? Posted by gibbor120 - 04 Jan 2017 22:13

Ouch!

Re: Maybe we should just close down GYE? Posted by Workingguy - 05 Jan 2017 00:29

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Only some resentment? That's pretty generous of you.