

Still Raging Against The Machine

Posted by Cry2Tatty - 30 Nov 2009 01:17

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so thats pretty much the deal...i showed up here one day by accident and saw something weird...here were all these jews that where putting up a genuine resistance to the evil empire that is lust...in all my wanderings ive seen some crazy crap but something like this? not at all...i saw two dozen frum blogs but alas, they too were contaminated by the lust assault..poor figures...nothing more than drones following the creed that larry flynt recieved himself on Mount Sinai...disguised as frum sites but nothing of the sort, really....did i find any voices that said, "look, this sh\*\* aint right..."...probably but a quick peruse through and i discovered that they were either out of touch with reality or just plain silly...and then i bumped into this site...and here was real and GENUINE and honest solutions....so i came...i looked around...marveled at all the flakes that took up residency here....

well, im now on at least 20 days of no pr0n and no bating...which is a miracle...its been years and years before i came here that i wasnt able to pull 5 days together and many many months where i stopped even trying....i dont know what happened but the group support and the genuineness of the good folks here and hearing their experiences and lo and behold i am a changed man...

the changes were not only in me but perhaps even greater in the people around me...no longer driven by lust i saw people (WIFE) in a new light and the changes in the way we relate to each other was quick and vast....this is perhaps what i owe GYE the most for....

i dont take myself too seriously and i hope you dont either....

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine

Posted by silentbattle - 23 Dec 2009 03:57

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Well said, Rage - we must assume that others are innocent, but remind ourselves how easy it is to fall, and protect ourselves.

Please hang in there...I wish there was something I could to do help!

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by imtrying25 - 23 Dec 2009 07:11

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[Rage ATM wrote on 23 Dec 2009 02:35:](#)

I don't care about who rabbi trooper is or isn't porking nor do I care if he is innocent or guilty...I have long ago accepted that any man is capable of anything...we live in such a dangerous time people..no one is safe...I simply hope that anyone who is sick finds gye which is the only corner of clarity in a world of Tohu vavohu...I suggest we forget about this or that particular case and just focus on ourselves...let us take a lesson that no one is immune from this magefa...and we move forward...I know that personally for me it's Been a very tough two days and it is only because of gye that I didn't slip or fall...this is it guys...the last stand....our only salvation

Im complettely maskim Rage. I was just trying to bring out a point. Not to mark a man guilty till hes proven guilty. I was not trying to say that because hes a rabbi he wouldnt or didnt do it. Of course anyone could do such a thing. but lets not pounce on him. YESH KAZEH MUSAG SHEL DAN LEKAF ZECHUS, NACHON??

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RE:still raging at  
Posted by loi-misyaeish - 23 Dec 2009 09:26

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Ditto!

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by the.guard - 23 Dec 2009 13:32

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Rage said it best! (I see I was *mechaven* to him in the "locked" thread called "in the news".)

Rage, you may want to fall, you may feel it's too hard, you may feel it's IMPOSSIBLE... but for the sake of the REVOLUTION - you just can't, man. **You are the engine** behind it. You (and Habib of course) are our comakazi fighters, even to the death.

This is mankind's LAST STAND.

**VLR!!**

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by silentbattle - 23 Dec 2009 14:12

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Remember, Rage, Guard is right - you are the last line of defense - the revolution is happening now, and it's up to you...

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by silentbattle - 23 Dec 2009 14:15

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Rage, I have absolute confidence that you have the ability to pass this nisayon.

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by the.guard - 23 Dec 2009 14:23

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Rage, check your e-mail :-[

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine

Posted by habib613 - 23 Dec 2009 14:31

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i wanna give that lady a piece of my mind

Rage, you CAN do this.... you're gonna land soon, do what you need to do, and get out.

i'm seriously gonna be davening for you all day

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine

Posted by habib613 - 23 Dec 2009 14:38

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Rage, i'm like sitting here and i can't even work cuz i'm thinking about you and you CAN'T FALL.  
PLEASE PLEASE don't fall.

you're like nachshon and you don't care what anyone says, you just jump into the water,  
shouting viva la revolucion (and pulling me in after you).

c'mon rage, the stupid lady doesn't want or need you, but we (or at the very least I) do. please  
post when you get off the plane?

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine

Posted by the.guard - 23 Dec 2009 14:42

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Shoot. Maybe we should change the name to Niagra climbs.

Are we too late?

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by Kedusha - 23 Dec 2009 14:50

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Rage,

As I mentioned in my e-mail, your posts indicate that you're on a plane and facing Nisyonos. From what I can tell, none of what you mentioned constitutes a fall. Please don't let it gravitate to that. Please contact me.

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by jerusalemsexaddict - 23 Dec 2009 15:07

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hey raja,

just stoppin in to say hi and see how youre doing.

hope youre having a great day!

love :-\*

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by habib613 - 23 Dec 2009 16:14

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so your flight shouldn't take more than 2 hours, and you posted the doors were closing two hours ago.

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Re: Still Raging Against The Machine  
Posted by the.guard - 23 Dec 2009 17:01

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I'm afraid he may have meant "other doors" were closing...

Rage, in case you fell, we understand you 100%.

Did you REALLY think you were super-man?

We totally **love you to death** and hope you don't let this get you down - or spiral.

The notion that we have to have it "NOW" - even RECOVERY, comes from the same place as the addiction ;-)

A quote from yesterday's shmiras ainayim e-mail:

### **No Instant Results**

One of the greatest obstacles stopping a person from changing is the notion that it can be done without a lot of investment. We live in the generation of instant results, and we come to expect that whatever needs to happen should happen quickly.

Furthermore, we tend to forget that our whole purpose on this world is to change and improve. We tend to look at any weakness that we have as an "inconvenience" that needs to be gotten out of our way (or ignored), while in reality it's Hashem's personal message to us telling us exactly what He sent us to this world for.

So what usually happens is, that it doesn't even occur to a person to really spend time, energy and "focus" on improvement. Hashem tells us, "T'na b'ni libcha li - My son, give me your HEART", it means your whole heart.

The Vilna Goan asks how a person can know what their purpose for coming to this world is. How are we to know what our most intimate and personal challenge is; i.e. the very reason for our creation? The Vilna Goan answers that we can know this by seeing what areas are most difficult for us to control, and what issues challenge us most frequently. It is for those areas that we were sent to the world to fix.

So if this struggle is a major issue in your life, it is likely that this is your own personal Tikkun in this world. And if this is one of the main issues you came down to the world to fix, it stands to reason that you may have to spend a long time in this struggle. So don't despair if process seems slower than you wish, or if it even looks like you are going backwards sometimes.

Even if we slip, we haven't lost previous gains at all. A low point in the struggle doesn't show where we are truly holding. It is simply an opportunity to make NEW gains.

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