

My Clean Days Log

Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 27 Jan 2020 01:01

Hello GYE Forum.

I will mark my progress in this topic called, "My Clean Days Log." Thanks for any and all support and encouragement.

I will attempt to post a meaningful text (most often religious, but maybe secular as well) to accompany my journey. Comments on the texts are appreciated as well.

Day 1:

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My translation tonight: G-d does not bring down humanity with clever ploys (Avodah Zarah 3a).

Namely, the *mitzvos* that we must keep are doable and are not impossible tasks. As hard as they may seem sometimes, the *mitzvos* of *kedusha* are not clever ploys to trip up humanity, but rather they are achievable *mitzvos*. I believe in the eternity of the Torah and its applicability and relevance to every generation, most importantly this one and my life. It would then follow that I can accomplish great growth in the area of *kedusha* and that I can work to push back against the *yetzer hara*.

Thanks for reading!

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 13 May 2021 01:51

Day #6.

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 14 May 2021 02:04

Day #7.

CCD #435 (since January 2020).

Thanks to everyone for "thanking" my posts. I have been really busy today and yesterday and staying clean was a breeze. Not so on Tuesday. That was a hard day!

I joined GYE in January 2020 and, at the time, I was out of the house at a job 3-4 days a week, the other day or two was with my other job, and Shabbos and Sunday were with my family. I had a long clean streak going and then my life (our lives) changed drastically with the first COVID lockdown in March. My schedule changed and I have basically been working from home/going to school from home since. I have very little in the way of schedule (that is going to change soon, iy"h).

Going to school online is both a blessing and a curse. On one hand, it is more affordable and more flexible for a working professional. On the other hand, I am in front of the computer so much more than I would like to be. If I am more on top of things, I print out materials and try to do everything with a pen and paper and then type it up afterwards. Just to say away from the screen. I use a filtered machine, but being in front of a screen with all of the distractions for so many hours is just not a good way to stay "clean."

My hope is that with a new schedule, more productivity, and less idle time in front of screen, that the struggle will be easier for me. Busy for me = ????? ?????.

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 19 May 2021 02:58

Day #12

CCD #440

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Re: My Clean Days Log
Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 21 May 2021 02:06

Day #14.

Posting for accountability. There were a number of times in these two weeks where I would've been a goner had it not been for my participation in GYE and especially the [challenge](#).

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Re: My Clean Days Log
Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 23 May 2021 03:13

Day #16.

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Re: My Clean Days Log
Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 25 May 2021 02:25

Day #18.

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Re: My Clean Days Log
Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 27 May 2021 12:06

Day #20.

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 30 May 2021 15:19

Day #23.

With gratitude to the Ribbono Shel Olam, I want to let everyone know that I accepted a job offer the other day. In another month I will have a schedule that forces me to get up and get out for a large part of the day. My hope is that when I actually am home, I will be much more focused on my other responsibilities and interests.

The one downside for these *inyanim* is that I will be carrying around a company tablet that I can't imagine will have any filtering software. I don't think that it will be an insurmountable challenge, but I recognize that it is something to think about.

Thanks everyone for reading my posts and "thanking."

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by benny57 - 30 May 2021 16:34

wow thats an amazing story in that case one day when i do teshuva gemuro ill have so many zechusim

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by Hashem Help Me - 30 May 2021 20:42

Can it have Webchaver?

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 30 May 2021 21:40

[Hashem Help Me wrote on 30 May 2021 20:42:](#)

Can it have Webchaver?

I'll let you know in a month, but I hear the ??????. Even if I can't filter, I can at least have some accountability through the usage reports. I'll have to see what user permissions I have when I get the device.

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by Hashem Help Me - 31 May 2021 11:31

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 31 May 2021 17:41

[Hashem Help Me wrote on 31 May 2021 11:31:](#)

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If I can use it however I like, I'll put GenTech on it. That has worked wonders for me on my device. I'll have to wait and see what I get and how much control I have when I get the new

device.

Thanks for the tip.

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Re: My Clean Days Log

Posted by ??? ????? ????? ??? - 01 Jun 2021 00:47

Day #25.

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