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Kollel Guy's 90 Days Posted by Kollel Guy - 21 Dec 2009 18:57

DAY ONE

OK, I feel like I should have done this on my 1st day, but I didn't. So here I am a few weeks in. I got over my fantasy of "Now that I'm part of GYE I'll never fall again" with a rather harsh way of being awakened. It's time to start down the path of real work, and real responsibility, and real kabolas ol.

So.... even though on my chart I'm at day 12 today, that's only according to the letter of the law. Meaning I didn't do anything which I wasn't allowed to do according to the rules. But in reality - it starts HERE. I know that today I really did mess up. I looked for it. Baruch H-shem for my filter (2 days old) - I didn't find it. But I looked for it, and that does count in shomayim.

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Posted by Kollel Guy - 27 Dec 2009 19:48

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Posted by jerusalemsexaddict - 27 Dec 2009 19:50

guardureyes wrote on 26 Dec 2009 23:08:

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It might be bad for an addict to see, but for the average person it might actually do him some good.

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And uri you just dont stop. :D ;D
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I hope you're joking, I'm counting on meeting you tomorrow!
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Re: Kollel Guy's 90 Days Posted by Kollel Guy - 27 Dec 2009 19:56
<u>Uri wrote on 27 Dec 2009 19:53</u> :
and what's the average person doing on a sex addict site?
Y'know people who aren't addicts also have taavos, and struggle with them - a LOT. Why is it so shver that one would look around for advice and help online?
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Re: Kollel Guy's 90 Days Posted by jerusalemsexaddict - 27 Dec 2009 20:04
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Uri wrote on 27 Dec 2009 20:18:

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You said before his site is uch

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Re: Kollel Guy's 90 Days

Posted by Kollel Guy - 27 Dec 2009 21:57

DAY 7

Asarah b'Teves

Today was also a flop. Shachris at 11, skipped 1st seder, spent most of fast on GYE, learned a bit.

Jackpot was after the fast, when I was alone, I clicked on a bunch of things I shouldn't have. H-shem thank you so much for creating K9, and especially - making it free.

If not for the filter I would not just "have fell by now", I'd be rolling on the floor.

I know logically that this will end one day, but it really doesn't feel like it. I wouldn't go so far as to say I'm experiencing hell, because I know what I'm going through is a walk in the park compared to what any serious addict goes through. But it's pretty bad. Like... I want something so much, and I think about it all day and night, but when the opportunity to get it comes to me-I'm suddenly not interested enough to make any effort to attain my dream. And as soon as I'm done the fall I want it again. I don't even enjoy it - AT ALL.

But that's why he's so good at what he does. To convince an intelligent person to enjoy something now, even though he will regret it later - well even **people** can do that. But to convince someone to trade a fortune for a kick in the face, and not only that, but to get the guy to *run* after the deal - THAT only the y"h can do.

Sometimes I forget that he's a malach. I can't see him so I think his will is just like mine, equally as strong. If only I could realize how determined he is to be successful at **his** mission, and what/who I'm up against, maybe I'd take **my** mission a little more seriously.

I hope to G-d in heaven, that tomorrow is a good day, that I just show up to the tefillos and sedarim on time, that I just stay away from the clicks death, that I just keep my mind and focus where it's supposed to be and where it truly wants to be, that I just keep in mind WHO designed me, and is putting me here, and is looking at me every second, and hoping that I do what is benificial to me and not the opposite c"v, and is telling me "I promise this is what is best for you, please just listen to me"....

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Let it be his will, and yeah, mine too.
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Re: kolel guys Posted by loi-misyaeish - 27 Dec 2009 22:09
Yeah, tomorrow a first and second seder in kolel and night seder in it25's place. You can still change your mind about it, it's never too late. I came for the first one, in the last half hour, and regretted not coming earlier. You don't wanna regret this later!!
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Re: Kollel Guy's 90 Days Posted by the.guard - 27 Dec 2009 22:35
KG, you need an attitude shift, not to just keep trying "harder" or giving yourself more pep-talk or chizuk (Today's Chizuk e-mail might help).
Also, connecting with other addicts can help a lot. I implore you to re-consider joining the Kumzitz If you'd go, you'd get some numbers of some guys and get in touch with them daily when feeling weak. You'd also be able to share chizuk with them. We need to GET OUT OF ISOLATION and out of our heads.
Also, why don't you get RIMON? K9 is not safe enough alone in my opinion.
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