

The third start

Posted by Someone - 02 Jul 2009 06:48

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After a long break, I am finally able to overcome my YH (partially) and start over here. One day clean, and fallen many times during the recent times. But less on that. I am going on a trip for four weeks and I may not be able to update so often. I hope I will have 29 days more clean when I come back!

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Re: The third start

Posted by Kedusha - 10 Sep 2009 03:23

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Dear Someone,

Please don't let this fall cause any others. We're with you!

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Re: The third start

Posted by Sturggle - 10 Sep 2009 12:50

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We are so with you man! No matter what!

And don't worry about your angry posts..., if that's what you're going through, aren't we here to share with each other and support each other? I humbly think that if you gotta get it out, and especially if it might lead to a fall, where better than here? If you had a better outlet, you wouldn't be falling anyway, right? That's how I feel in regards to myself anyway.

May HKB"H shine His mercy on you and all of us.

And, at times (a lot of them), I dig angry music!

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Re: The third start

Posted by Someone - 10 Sep 2009 18:56

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Thank-you for your inspiring words! True enough, having some place to vent some anger is good I think. Although best would be if I could take that anger, and transfer it into something else, like love for example!

I know in what sort of precarious situation I am in now. This is a perfect setting for falling all the way. Especially since I just noticed (although having cleared my browsing history), the search bar still has the links to the bad places. I was half a centimeter away from clicking it.... that was a close call. I will delete the cache manually. And get off the computer.

May G-D be with all of us, and hopefully He will prevent you as well as everyone else on this forum from falling today!

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Re: The third start

Posted by Sturggle - 11 Sep 2009 13:19

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Amen!

You know, there are so many brachos being given around here, it's worthwhile to stick around...

And getting the chance to say amen...

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Gut Shabbos!

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Re: The third start

Posted by Someone - 14 Sep 2009 20:50

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Thank-you sturggle.

I am faaaalling. Spindling out of control, a bottomless pit is already engulfing me. For the last 5 days I have been binging - with only one clean day somewhere in between. Do not know why, certainly not because of some "will-power", but I still haven't spilled anything. Don't think I am proud in ANY way of THAT.... .... its the YH gathering momentum, so he can completely knock down anything left of me. I am enraged, depressed and void. The bad stuff has made me cold and numb. Nothing left in me - but negative feelings and sometimes a weird feverish excitement.

In addition I read the stages of the Obsessive Relational Progression, and they completely (in lesser forms) applied to me. So maybe I found part of the reason for why I am so depressed at times.

To show you how *numb* I have become: I became bored watching the bad stuff today.... .... that was the reason why I quit watching it an hour or so ago. Maybe another trick?

Maybe after Rosh Hashanah it will become easier ... maybe.

WHERE ARE YOU HASHEM?

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Re: The third start

Posted by Sturggle - 14 Sep 2009 21:35

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why after rosh hashana will it become easier?

man, this is not an easy think.

id like to ask you, though, what do you want now?!

there is a lot of advice all over this place for you and im sure you've seen a lot of it...

so, whats going on with you right now?

what do you want?

what is all of this falling/sleeping giving to you?

what do you want underneath that?

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Re: The third start

Posted by Someone - 14 Sep 2009 22:42

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I have a lot of stress, I am behind with deadlines. I am desperately trying to pull everything together. This bad stuff "medicates" my negative feelings for sometime. I do not however fall all the way - maybe I know that if I "release" my tensions everything will just go from bad to really bad. The best I could have is three days off-time... no computer. Somewhere in the middle of nature with a couple of good friends. But no-can do. I have to write applications, finish projects and essays, have to keep up with regular studying....

But to hell with all that. Those are just excuses. My real underlying problem is that I think too much about myself. My thoughts are always about MY well-being, MY situation, MY problems, ME ME ME.... Even when trying to think about others and their situations, my thoughts actually reflect on myself trying to think about others. I am a self-centered addict. I want to be loved, by my family, my friends by a girlfriend, by HaShem. But for example, what could I give in a relationship with a girl? Nothing. I am an addict, my thoughts would only be about me and how I feel. I pity any girl that would be interested in someone like me.

The more I think about me, the more the YH can use this to tell me how bad everything is. Then he uses this situation. So I should let go - and let GD. But it is hard.

Maybe I shouldn't think anymore too much - just act. For others, to help others, living every moment in service for others - and ultimately also HaShem.

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Re: The third start

Posted by Sturggle - 15 Sep 2009 07:21

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P.S: why after rosh hashanah? It seems Elul is hard for everyone... so after that  
[Someone wrote on 14 Sep 2009 22:42.](#)

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I hear everything you wrote man. And it all resonates with me.

Sounds like a good plan what you wrote (above). It is hard.

I wonder if Dov or some of the other guys here would disagree with that. I think not.

Is it supposed to be easy? Why do we always want easy (myself included!)?

Elul is hard. Afterwards is also. Dunno. I could find you good excuses why not every month and day of the year...

Ok, I'm not trying to get on your case...,  
just sharing some thoughts.

And we all do love you!!

And just cause youre concerned about what you could give in a relationship with a girl,  
doesn't mean she can't/won't love you...

I think if she's right, ahava lo tluya b'davar...

Praying for you that things become more bearable

and that you see and feel the love,

Today!!

b'AHAVA,

Sturggle

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