

I was saved

Posted by khoskor - 02 Aug 2011 16:41

Hey guys, just thought id share this with you to pass around the "ruach." I was about to watch a movie... Now, a movie isnt all that bad, however, we all know what it leads too. Especially since im a yeshiva bachur and there aint no excuse in watchin movies for me (im a lakewooder deep down.) So i decided while the movie was loading, "u know what, uh uh. im goin on to torahanytime.com and watching a shiur. In that peak of hunger of my soul, instead of giving it gum to chew on, i gave it the real nourishment. And my neshama felt sooo good! I couldnt beleive i was finally feeling all of this pleasure. Raboisai! im paga becha menuval zeh....! It works!

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Re: I was saved

Posted by khoskor - 05 Aug 2011 03:50

You've got Humor Dov. Well, im still preplexed at how u still have a YH after 13 YEARS! being sober.

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Re: I was saved

Posted by Dov - 05 Aug 2011 04:42

Who said I still have a YH?

OK, seriously. A person can *know* he is still a pervert even though he does not do *anything* perverted. Hashem loves His tayereh children who are perverts, too. Can you imagine how He 'feels' about his pervertelach *who do not need to act out?! My sober friends and I are in a very fortunate group indeed!*

I know that I am powerless over lust - that I cannot tolerate using it intentionally. If I try to play

with it, lust will make a total fool out of me, and it has! And I know that it (acting out my lust) makes my life a completely unmanageable mess. So I *had* to stop acting out my lust and still cannot afford to restart using it. The guys who say they are not perverts any more - what does that mean that they are no longer pervs? That now they **can** afford to use it? I have never quite 'gotten' that ma'ayloh they say they have. For me, it would just be gayvoh.

And still I believe that my sobriety is in Hashem's hands.

It's **exactly** like parnossah. We do hishtadlus yet we must believe that it all comes from Hashem.

In reality, some really believe that, some don't....probably most of us kind of believe it halfway-ish. Nu. That seems to be the human condition - we manage.

In this, the *goyim* in SA taught me how to be *with* Hashem, by getting myself out of His way using the steps. Nobody but recovering perverts could have taught me that.

I want to be *that* kind of pervert, be"H, until my last breath on this planet.

Enough about this old dude- can Reb b bring in some klusky's or varnishkehs with schnapps already? Shabbos is getting so close we can smell it!

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Re: I was saved

Posted by khoskor - 05 Aug 2011 05:07

whoooooo! Heavy stuff... I have a different way of looking at this. Same idea, just different angle

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Re: I was saved

Posted by JackAbbey - 05 Aug 2011 13:33

had you waited another minute with the movie started i dont know if you could have stopped, so the lesson is

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Re: I was saved

Posted by khoskor - 05 Aug 2011 14:55

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