Why can't I stop looking at p__n Posted by butterfly - 05 Nov 2015 01:15

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Re: Why can't I stop looking at p__n Posted by markz - 05 Nov 2015 01:34

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My friend with butterflies in the stomach. Forget about different filters.

And also - you don't need anyone's Chizuk. You're a strong guy with plenty Chizuk in your stomach. You go out every day to make parnassa for your family. That's GREAT.

I believe you have all the Chizuk you need. The only thing missing is a GPS. Please check my signature

All the best my friend!!

Safe flying in the flowers

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Re: Why can't I stop looking at p__n Posted by Shlomo24 - 05 Nov 2015 03:48

when it comes down to it a filter is only as good as the person it's filtering. if we hold on to lust then we will find a way.

Re: Why can't I stop looking at p__n Posted by serenity - 05 Nov 2015 05:16

Welcome and thanks for sharing with us! I don't think anyone here can tell you why you can't stop watching porn. It would be quite an amazing skill to be able to do that over a computer. Maybe some people can share their own experience and you can see if it relates to you. Personally I gave up on finding out why I acted the way I did and sought any help I could find. I looked at what other people did to stop and followed their lead. I haven't watched porn in over a year B"H. On October 18, 2014 I was completely unable to stop and on October 19, 2014, I stopped. I guess I was lost, humbled and desperate that Hashem stepped in and did for me what I couldn't do for myself.

Hatzlacha!

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Re: Why can't I stop looking at p___n Posted by ColinColin - 05 Nov 2015 08:38

I am new here.

But to me, it sounds as if the core of the issue is feeling stressed, tired and down after work.

I don't know if it is possible, but could you try and do something, that when you get home from work you set up a routine, which is positive and helps restore your spirit from the bumps and bruises of the workday?

Simple things, such as first go to the bathroom and wash your face and hands.

Just to feel more relaxed.

Then have a little something to eat, even if it is a cup of tea or a piece of fruit, certainly something healthy.

Then no matter what, set aside 10 minutes to read a favourite book.

Nothing heavy, something light, that will make you laugh, and put some positive energy into your day.

Just this little routine to feel "Human" again after the insults and tribulations of the work day.

Re: Why can't I stop looking at p___n Posted by gibbor120 - 05 Nov 2015 21:01

Welcome! It sounds like you may need more than a good filter (although a filter is important).

Start with the handbook. Keep posting. There's lots to learn here.

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Re: Why can't I stop looking at p__n Posted by waydown - 05 Nov 2015 21:23

Welcome,

First question is it just porn? Do you masterbate often as well? Do you find youself conatsntly staring at any decent looking female that crosses your path?

If you answered yes to the above questions the answer to your question in the subject line maybe, that you have greater underlying problem. You may not have a pron problem. Rather you may have a lust problem. You see the underlying driver of many porn viewers is not porn per say rather its because they are obssessed with ladies. Those of us who have this problem try to work on lust. Once we don't lust, the porn goes away.