

Falls

Posted by Jaylob - 15 Feb 2023 22:53

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Re: Falls

Posted by Yosefhamevakesh - 16 Feb 2023 00:27

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Watching porn, or masturbating.

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Re: Falls

Posted by Eerie - 16 Feb 2023 02:12

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Re: Falls

Posted by Markz - 16 Feb 2023 02:57

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Re: Falls

Posted by doingtshuva - 16 Feb 2023 11:28

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[guardyoureyes.com/tools/90-day-chart/rules](https://guardyoureyes.com/tools/90-day-chart/rules)

### **What constitutes a "Fall" to require restarting the count?**

There are "slips" and there are "falls". "Slips" **do not** require restarting the count.  
"Falls" **do** require restarting.

A "Fall" is one of the following things:

1. **Intentional masturbation (with finish)**
2. **Intentionally viewing improper sites**
3. **Intentionally calling inappropriate telephone numbers**
4. **Intentionally seeking out and reading erotica**

In regard to number 2 (and 4), if someone saw something by mistake and then got a little bit carried away and kept looking at it, or even if someone saw a link and couldn't resist clicking on it but then catches themselves within a few seconds, that would only be considered a "slip", not a "fall". However, if someone decides to actively pursue viewing, that would be considered a fall.

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Re: Falls

Posted by Jaylob - 16 Feb 2023 11:35

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Ah thx didn't see that

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Re: Falls

Posted by DavidT - 16 Feb 2023 15:05

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Let's look at this with positive glasses. Hashem trusts us! He keeps on raising the bar so we can get stronger and closer to him!

The purpose of a nisayon, is not to determine the ability of the person being tested, but rather to see if the test itself, the obstacle and struggle, could propel the person to grow beyond his or her natural ability. The test offers an opportunity for the person to perform a miracle, to achieve the impossible and to grow into something greater.

The Kabbalists teach that the soul's descent from the tranquility of heaven to the chaos here on earth is, first and foremost, a test for the soul. The descent is designed to test the soul, to see

how strong its connection to Hashem is, to see whether the soul remains true to itself in the face of tremendous challenge and temptation, to see whether or not the soul has what it takes to overcome the spiritual darkness of the world and transform it to light.

Now at the climax of our history, ushering in the Mashiach era, Hashem wants to present us with the full force of 50 levels of kedusha. We are therefore witness today to an entirely new ball game. Permission has been granted to the denizens of the netherworld to thrust a final fling of the 50th level of pritzus full force into our faces. After Matan Torah, with the Torah as our arsenal, we are able to tackle every last bit of the fight – until we vanquish the reign of evil. With our souls fortified with Torah, we are capable of reaching and receiving the zenith of kedusha.

Now we're on the last lap of our journey, amidst the ever-quickening pace of Ikvesa D'Meshicha. We hear an unprecedented note of urgency – the corollary being that whoever lets themselves be swayed, even if they survived and succeeded in climbing up the previous rungs, will be caught and trapped by the 50th degree of impurity.

But whoever is determined to combat the mighty pull of the dragnet is thereby hacking down the imprisoning walls of tumah and developing great stamina in the process. This continues until the moment when our spiritually powerful arms will pry open the gates for Mashiach to arrive amidst the full 50 degrees of our hard-earned kedusha.

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I hope so, too! What I mean is that there's a set of tools for protecting ourselves and dealing with the online garbage. Avoiding and protecting ourselves from the exposure is key. But when the worst of the worst things is plastered on the walls in the streets where we walk, it makes it nearly impossible! We try our best to protect our children from exposure to the online garbage. But what will the next generation's minds be like, how fired up will their minds be about sex, with all the wrong ideas about it, when they see these images on the walls wherever they go? That is my question

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Posted by DavidT - 16 Feb 2023 19:12

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