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Free Choice?!!

Posted by stillgoing - 28 Apr 2015 23:01

Hello. I'm new here, and I was going through the handbook and I got a little bit stuck on the part about free choice. it seems from there (page 79 in case you haven't memorized it yet:)) that when we have a huge urge to act-out, we almost don't have bechira. But in that case then what we did was not a sin, since we had no free choice about it. When my two year old is alone at the table with a piece of gooey cake and he grabs it, I don't punish him for that since I know that he has no free choice, but MZ'L *is* a huge sin. Maybe someone can help me understand this.

Thanks.

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Re: Free Choice?!!

Posted by stillgoing - 19 Aug 2015 23:17

I love this clip from Gerurah's thread.

Sorry, I wasn't able to find it again to post the link to the thread (Hello my friends...) but it's worthwhile to see this. It's a study of little kids to see how long they can go in a room alone with a marshmallow sitting in front of them without eating it. If they can do it then they get two marshmallows. Not all of the kids were able to do it, but the faces they make and the sneaking little bits when they thought they were alone is so similar to us white knuckling. We think no one is watching us...

...when really

Warning: Spoiler!

Gevura without a h

Oh, and you misspelled my name. 6 times! Oy my ego.... count?

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I didn't misspell your name, I just added to it. Kol hamosif, harai zea mishubach.			
Sorry, it wasn't going through at first so I kept on pushing send and now that you responded, I can't even delete them! The system used to delete repeated posts. I guess not today.			
Anyway, thanks for the link. I think my attachment didn't work.			
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Re: Free Choice?!! Posted by Gevura Shebyesod - 19 Aug 2015 23:51			
Umm look again.			
stillgoing wrote:			
I love this clip from Ge r urah's thread.			
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Re: Free Choice?!! Posted by cordnoy - 20 Aug 2015 00:18			
Toot!			
Sex!			
Ooh!			
Ooh!			
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Posted by stillgoing - 20 Aug 2015 17:26	
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Umm look again.	
stillgoing wrote:	
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Re: Free Choice?!! Posted by Gevura Shebyesod - 20 Aug 2015 17:	29
You did it again!!!!	
stillgoing wrote:	
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Re: Free Choice?!! Posted by stillgoing - 20 Aug 2015 17:38
You're not kidding. Ever since Snappy attacked Flyhigh, I've been biting my claws with fear. Now I can't type. You can tell Cordnoy that that's the reason that I sometimes misspell his name too. It's what's in the heart (woodford?) that matters.
Btw, if you look back at my post you'll see that I spelled your name right. You must have
(at least you know that I don't cut and paste. I actually take the time to write out important names.)
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Re: Free Choice?!! Posted by Gevura Shebyesod - 20 Aug 2015 17:45

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Re: Free Choice?!! Posted by stillgoing - 20 Aug 2015 17:58	
Cordnoy	
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Re: Free Choice?!! Posted by Gevura Shebyesod - 20 Aug 2015 18:05	
stillgoing wrote:	
Cordnoy	

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