introducing myself Posted by Meier - 28 Sep 2016 21:20

my name is meier ive been struggling with the urge to look at inappropriate pics and vids since i saw my fathers photography books wich were full of nude woman. (all in the name of ART of course). at age 10

i was pretty much able to control the urge till my job required me to get a smart phone at wich time i became a binge porner i could go for months without the urge or when i got one i was able to outlst it but in the end i always caved my binges could last anywhere from a day (all day) to afew days. than i would be sick with myself and tell myself all that thats it im done but of course that lasted till the next time and most of you can imagine the rest

what really gave me my personal kick in the butt and jolted me into realizing that i need help was that the last (hopefully forever)act of my latest binge came afew days before my wife went to the mikvah after a very late stage misscarriage

when the low after the fake high hit me i was crushed sick with myself and fatalistic.

first i confessed EVERYTHING to my wife we had a rocky time of it i guess my only saving grace is that BH im a pretty decent husband and father and our good times outdid the bad times.BH my wife is determined to help me fight this addiction.she is my confidant and my rock.i've told her what moods and actions to look out for (withdrawn,impatience,lack of excitment for intimacy,using the bathroom way to often,staying out,etc) so she should know to reach out and force the issue. we talk about it every day.

the next thing i did was join GYE.

I have been clean for 30 days but that does'nt exite me because like i wrote before i can go months without a binge.but hopefully with hashem help and my wifes support and GYE i can learn to be a winner.

like winston churchill said after the allied invasion of north africa in world war 2

"Now this is not the end. It is not even the beginning of the end. But it is, perhaps, the end of the beginning."

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Re: introducing myself

Posted by gibbor120 - 30 Sep 2016 18:25

Welcome! Wow! You've got guts! and a healthy dose of honesty. It's nice to have you on board. Please keep sharing with us.

GYE - Guard Your Eyes Generated: 22 August, 2025, 08:19 Re: introducing myself Posted by Meier - 30 Sep 2016 19:23 Hopefully hashem will give the "real guts" to stay clean Re: introducing myself Posted by Markz - 30 Sep 2016 19:29 Welcome brother Hashem gave you brains

You have the guts Re: introducing myself Posted by trysohard - 09 Oct 2016 11:24 Hi Meier, I see that you're still around, do you want to give us an update?).

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GYE - Guard Your Eyes Generated: 22 August, 2025, 08:19 Posted by Meier - 09 Oct 2016 15:51 BH still going strong life at home has never been better Re: introducing myself Posted by Abie - 21 Oct 2016 19:55 Meier wrote on 28 Sep 2016 21:20: BH my wife is determined to help me fight this addiction.she is my confidant and my rock.i've told her what moods and actions to look out for (withdrawn,impatience,lack of excitment for intimacy, using the bathroom way to often, staying out, etc) so she should know to reach out and force the issue. we talk about it every day. Hi Meier, Glad to see you're still going strong. I can't be lengthy now, but just be aware of what has been written elsewhere, and experienced by me personally, that being your policeman may be a major stress for her, with negative repercussions in the long term. ??? ?????! ====

Keep it up!

Re: introducing myself

Posted by cordnoy - 20 Dec 2016 17:05

Il like the intro and the strength.

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