

Yeshiva Bachur

Posted by chaimklein - 09 Jul 2017 15:03

Hi there Klal Yisroel.

I am a 20 year old Yeshiva Bachur, currently learning in one of the top Yeshivos of America. I, Baruch Hashem am a good learner who am growing in Avodas Hashem.

My issue- the issue we all are struggling with began when I was in 9th grade, today, seven years later, I unfortunately am still working on my kedusha. I however am seeing progress, Baruch Hashem.

?I stopped speaking to girls (which I have done in the past from time to time), I have installed a filter to my computer, and I am constantly reading Seforim about this issue, with the hope I will soon be finished with this issue- once and for all.

I want and need your help- PLEASE!

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Re: Yeshiva Bachur

Posted by chaimklein - 10 Jul 2017 22:39

In the Book "The Battle of our Generation" he brings proof against this way of thought. He writes that one fix this problem before he gets married, for other wise it can actually get worse.

BTW this book is really good! Found it in front of a Mikveh on a Erev Shabbos.

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Posted by Hashem Help Me - 11 Jul 2017 01:05

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I would add that if you don't have a Rebbi who you feel comfortable to talk with, seeking out a mentor can also be very helpful. If it was up to me, I would have started dating a long time ago and I am so grateful that I have people in my life who showed me how I am not ready. Particularly my Sponsor.

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Re: Yeshiva Bachur

Posted by JewishYoungAdult - 11 Jul 2017 17:45

Hi chaimklein, welcome to GYE. Are you new here? **Make sure to see the 12 suggestions on the [First Time Here page](#).**

Also, check out your [Personal Home-page](#). It will guide you through each tool/task that we suggest, one by one, and help you track your progress in recovery.

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Re: Yeshiva Bachur

Posted by ColinColin - 11 Jul 2017 20:55

CHAIMKLEIN

I do sincerely believe that being in a happy marriage is the best place for a Jewish man.

We are not meant to be alone.

I do also feel marriage is part of the solution to helping manage lust issues and addiction, but others on here have pointed out that it is not the complete answer for everyone, and there are those in marriages who still have these issues.

But as to whether you should speak to girls right now is not my place to advise.

I, in my experience, feel honestly I was damaged by avoiding speaking to women much as a teenager, and it has contributed to my lust issues.

But I was not a Yeshiva Bochur.

I am not fully Torah observant.

So consult your Rav about this, and take the time you need until you feel you should be married, and I hope and pray that at the correct time you find your zivug.

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