

Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im baderech!

Posted by Yosef Hatzadik - 18 Feb 2010 17:44

Rabbeinu Yonah explains this posuk, (as heard from Rabbi Mattisyahu Salamon Shlit"a) that hashem leads people who were *nichshal* in a chet on the proper way, *ze hu mah sheshalech nevi'im* to teach us the proper way.

BORUCH HASHEM! We were zoche to be directed to this eida kedosha, a truly holy gathering of people who are Hashem's ONLY freinds in this lowly world. [i] *Bemokom shebalei teshuva omdim ein tzadikim gemurim yecholim la'amod!* [/i] We may not be like the tzadikim of previos generations, but in the dark, dirty, dingy, discusting, and degrading society we were put into, {in his infinite wisdom... we belive we are lucky to be in this generation, otherwise we wouldn't be here! HE doesn't make any mistakes!} we can accomplish even more than the amolige tzadikim did! **WE CAN BRING THE GEULA!** After all, a small 4 watt nightlite bulb will make all the difference whether you bump into the walls or not in if you put it in a room which is otherwise in total darkness; whereas a million candlepower searchlight does little good when used in bright daylight. As CHAZA"L say: *Shraga betihara mai ahanye*.

This forum is for personal intoductions, well... an "anonymous introduction" is quite a difficult feat to pull off. Just kidding, I understand the purpose, to start our connection with others and give/get chizuk.

This writer is a yungerman who has been looking at re'ios assurios even before he knew that he shouldn't be looking at them. He was doing the ma'aseh before he knew that it is an aveira, r"l. At 14 I happened to see the last chapters in the Sefer *Kitzur Shulchan Oruch* and discovered the rotzon Hashem (after double checking with my Rebbe that I understood what I read. I am married now with a few children, Boruch Hashem, and have been struggling with the yetzer horah since then.

Since I do consider myself somewhat of an oved hashem, after all I am jewish too, the last couple of months I generally managed to withhold from looking at the worst, but I did indulge in looking, searching, and staring at pics which my filter did let through as they are not classified as dirt in the lowest sense of the word, but were enough to be meorer the ta'avos in my heart. They were against the rotzon Hashem. The proof is that yetzer horah was pushing me to do it, and even more so, the results of these pics were often tumah ma'asim.

Brov rachamov vechasodov, I was zoche to be directed to this great and holy site by a Rabbi

who knows about my struggles (I am forever indebted to him for this refferral!) and with much siyata dishmaya and the chizuk I recived from this site, I was zoche to have a highler level of shmiras einayim for the last 29 days that I haven't had since before I was a Bar Mitzvah!

Yasher Ko'ach to all the good jews who set up this site, to all those that post on this site, to all those that help fund this site, and to all those dear friends of Hakodosh Boruch Hu who value true kosher SIGHT!!!

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by Shteeble - 14 May 2012 22:31

all you need to do is go to your first post and push the modify button.

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by Yosef Hatzadik - 14 May 2012 22:49

[Shteeble wrote on 14 May 2012 22:31:](#)

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Yasher koach!

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by chaimhelp - 15 May 2012 01:45

Bba Bba derech

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!

Posted by tehillimzugger - 15 May 2012 11:35

[Yosef wrote on 14 May 2012 15:26:](#)

I stand corrected.

Thank you, dear chaver, for pointing out this imperfection.

I prerequisite for continued progression in Recovery is to know our imperfections.

Since you appreciate my pointing out your imperfections (few and far in between), before you go around asking for help changing the "heading", the least you can do is change it in your

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!

Posted by Yosef Hatzadik - 15 May 2012 14:16

The 'old me' would have been embarrassed to have failed to notice this detail.

Boruch Hashem, in Recovery I am learning to accept myself with ALL my imperfections (& there are many).....

I now feel gratitude to you for pointing this out!!

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 15 May 2012 18:06

how do you pronounce 'tomato'?

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by tehilimzugger - 15 May 2012 18:12

[ZemirosShabbos wrote on 15 May 2012 18:06:](#)

how do you pronounce 'tomato'?

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at the end of a passuk ??????????

Get it now? [=do you chap?]

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by Yosef Hatzadik - 16 May 2012 05:02

[ZemirosShabbos wrote on 15 May 2012 18:06:](#)

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 17 May 2012 15:46

[Yosef wrote on 16 May 2012 05:02:](#)

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i 'splained it to you offline

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!

Posted by tehillimzugger - 25 May 2012 15:20

Something fascinating I just saw and it reminded me of this thread, so I decided to post it here. It's an excerpt from a letter written by Rabbi Maimon Dayan [Rambam's dad] (according to the free translation printed in "Rambam", Mossad HaRav Kook, Pg. 22):

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!

Posted by Yosef Hatzadik - 25 May 2012 19:43

Kabolas HaTorah - of My Understanding (Finally!)

After years of feeling resistance to 'willingly' accept the Torah, the 12 Step Program taught me that I first need to accept HASHEM.

After I made a decision to submit my life & will over to the care of God, I naturally WANT his Torah!!!

I have lots of gratitude to Hashem for getting me hooked up with someone who sat with me on a Sunday afternoon for FOUR HOURS and patiently guided me in working Steps 2 & 3 in the Big Book. That is when I reached a new understanding of what the Jewish religion is REALLY all about.

It dawned on me that all my resentments, fears, and disillusionment with Yiddishkeit were based in my own misconceptions! I was not practicing Yiddishkeit. I was serving some false God of My Imagination. My religion was VERY SIMILAR to Judaism. To an outside observer it might have looked like the real thing, in fact, I even fooled myself!!

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by obormottel - 29 May 2012 15:46

That is pretty much the jist of my step 2 also. I came to believe that I was my Higher power all along.

Nu. Thank G-d that parsha is (almost) over.

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!
Posted by tehlimzugger - 13 Aug 2012 17:34

[Yosef wrote on 13 Aug 2012 17:31:](#)

Is the the Home of Potiphar?

Is Yosef HaTzaddik home?

Please give over the message that I stopped by. Ok?

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Re: Tov veyoshor Hashem al kein yoreh chata'im badarech!

Posted by Yosef Hatzadik - 13 Aug 2012 17:37

What do you think he did while in jail [beside for interpret dreams]?

He zugged Tehillim & sang Zemiros!

{via Gmail's chat, I guess!!}

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