

Short insights with long lasting results

Posted by gyehelp2017 - 17 Jun 2019 19:15

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A new thread I would like to start,

With all of you dear friends taking a part,

"Short insights with long lasting results" it will be,

So that chizuk, inspiration and strength you can see,

So if you have any short insight to share,

Please have us all in mind and post it right here,

May Hashem give us Hatzlucha on our way,

With spreading Kidusha each and every day!!!!

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results

Posted by gyehelp2017 - 15 Aug 2019 14:46

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#45

if we look at others to compare, we will never reach our own true heights. If we look at others to learn, we can reach higher than our own heights.

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results

Posted by sleepy - 15 Aug 2019 14:59

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very well said, gye, are these your own gems or are you quoting others ,if so , would you be able to give the name of who said them? much thanks.

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results  
Posted by gyehelp2017 - 15 Aug 2019 15:24

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[sleepy wrote on 15 Aug 2019 14:59:](#)

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They are definitely not MY ideas. I take them from wherever I can find them. Some posts I take from others word for word, some I take the ideas from others and rephrase them, and some Hashem sends them directly from His great wisdom to my little brains.

Enjoy!

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results  
Posted by gyehelp2017 - 16 Aug 2019 00:56

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#46

One would not call himself a bad person for making a wrong turn, he might call himself a bad driver, but not a bad person. Let us never make the mistake and look at ourselves as bad people for making mistakes, we might have done wrong things, but that does not make us bad as a person.

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results  
Posted by sleepy - 16 Aug 2019 02:23

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will there ever be an act that will determine a person as bad?

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results  
Posted by gyehelp2017 - 16 Aug 2019 02:39

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[sleepy wrote on 16 Aug 2019 02:23:](#)

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Just as there will never be an act that will turn a human being (literally) into an animal, or a jew into a non-jew, so to there will never be an act that will determine a person BAD. A person by definition cannot be bad. A person is a soul down on earth, and a soul in essence cannot be bad. All that can be is that one can use his soul for bad doings, but the soul itself will not be bad.

Or in other words, we use our powers of the soul sometimes to do bad stuff. But not that the soul itself is bad.

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results

Posted by sleepy - 16 Aug 2019 03:08

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so a rasha , or a rasha mi'roosha , is not bad but as you said?interesting food for thought. if i may ask , what about amalak?am i steering this thread off course? ill stop if yes.

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results

Posted by sleepy - 16 Aug 2019 03:32

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what about hitler yimach shimo?i know these are extreme cases , but i just like to know where does one draw the line?

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results

Posted by Dave M - 16 Aug 2019 12:46

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I don't think these concepts apply to goyim.

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results  
Posted by gyehelp2017 - 18 Aug 2019 15:09

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#47

There is almost nothing one can do to achieve happiness. But if one works and lives with meaning, purpose and does what's right, then he will be happy. In other words, being happy is not a goal, its a result of a way of life.

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results  
Posted by sbj - 19 Aug 2019 15:56

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Sources???

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#48

Why feel depressed over the past if we can feel happy about the future. If thinking about the past will help us grow and become better, then go ahead. But if it only brings us down, then why not (for the time being) focus on the future, and with time we will learn how to handle the past with happiness.

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results  
Posted by David26fr - 20 Aug 2019 07:07

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[sbj wrote on 19 Aug 2019 15:56:](#)

Lubavitcher Rebbe and Chassidut, I think

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Re: Short insights with long lasting results  
Posted by gyehelp2017 - 20 Aug 2019 15:03

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#49

What you did yesterday does not define you for today. What you did yesterday is done already, but how you will be today is still in your hands, so use it wisely!

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