HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by the.guard - 15 Dec 2009 12:05

I think it would be very enlightening for us to know HOW you found out about us.

- Was it an on-line ad? If so, where?
- Was it a printed ad? What mag/newspaper?
- Was it an article about us? Where?
- A flyer someone hung up somewhere?
- Did you find it on Google by chance?
- Word of mouth?
- Therapist?
- Mashgiach?
- etc...

And if you are not too afraid of anonymity issues, it would also be nice to know WHERE you live... So for example, if people could post on this thread something like this:

"Where What When" magazine - Baltimore

- Did you find it on Google while looking for **bad stuff**?

Thanks guys!

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Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?)

Posted by thewinner - 19 Mar 2012 17:52

i saw a flyer somewhere and than ads on colive

btw, many kids are ALWAYS on that site (ex: my twleve younger siblings), and kids are always very nosy... they can click on it just as i did...

the holy city of the glove...

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Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by tocontrolmyself - 22 Apr 2012 16:58

my maggid shiur mentined it in shiur and when i talked to a member of hanhola about hzl he recommended looking it up

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by jewish jew - 01 May 2012 18:35

i am from overseas living in Israel

i saw an online ad on (i think) one of the secular israeli newspapers most probably Jerusalem post or Israel hayom

maybe it was on a charedi site but i am pretty sure i saw it on a secular site.

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by JustKeepGoing - 02 Aug 2012 07:59

I think it was a small flyer for chizuk in shmiras einayim. It was in NJ.

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Due to the fact that I was in denial about my issue at the time, thinking that I "had it under control" I signed up for the emails, but the addiction ones were too graphic for me. But once I started falling again and realized I needed "Major shmiras einayim" I went back on the site read some Q&A and the forum and eventually got involved.

Personally I think a major MAJOR way to spread GYE is through the "Shmiras Einayim" side of the website. Have rabonim and teachers and flyers put up for "Chizuk in shmiras einayim" and its almost like "what you *dont* need a chizuk in shmiras einayim?? everyone does in this world!" So alot of people would probably find out about (and visit) the site for that reason. And then PRIVATELY, once the person KNOWS about GYE they can make there way to the site.

Maybe Im biased because thats how I got here, but I personally believe that the shmiras einayim needs to really be pumped up like crazy. And once people hear about this site that its for chizuk in watching the eyes and they see it, then those that need more help can be at the right adress

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by rt - 02 Aug 2012 13:45

I heard 'bout GYE here : <u>dafyomireview.com/article.php?docid=147</u> <u>it was this cute small pic, of that man going on a string, you know what i mean. you can see it in the left upper corner here.</u> <u>I liked the pic. and it said guard ur eyes. i thought, wow, its summer and i have to do something with it. that how it all started.</u>

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by E-Tek - 04 Oct 2012 16:05

I saw a mention to it in an article from Aish two full years before I acted on it. However, at the time I did send a copy of said article to myself so that when I was ready, I would have it. (Yeah, I see something, ignore it, but file it away for when I'm ready to listen. Sad, no?)

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by jjblue13 - 03 Dec 2012 03:22

I read an article on aish.com and a lot of comments mentioned it.

THANK YOU.

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by needtoquit - 09 Jan 2013 08:52

It has been a while but I think that I actually found you while looking for an image of an eye. I was designing a internet browser add-in to remind myself not to look and I wanted a good image like of an eye watching. I did a Google search (don't remember the words I used) and found either the GYE logo or the picture of the tightrope walker which led me to your site.

Pennsylvania.

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Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by chaim11 - 29 Jan 2013 01:06

I'm from NYS. I was referred by my therapist to visit this site. I then told him that I have read enough Mussar books and articles in my life and none of them got me out of this hell, what will a little more mussar and chizuk articles from a website do for me?!! He didn't have an answer for me. But after a while I decided to visit the site anyway and I got caught... I came back to him and told him GYE is much more than just Musaar articles, I told him how powerful and efficient this site is with all the advice, chizuk groups and rest of the tools, he didn't know that. The rest is history...

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?)

Posted by Eye.nonymous - 27 Mar 2013 00:40

needtoquit wrote:

I was designing a internet browser add-in to remind myself not to look and I wanted a good image like of an eye watching.

Eye can relate to that.

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by nitzotzeloki - 27 Mar 2013 16:55

saw the drowning man ad on collive a bunch of times. i even checked it out but didnt stick around. in january some friends who are in SA and a friend of mine whos an addictions therapist recommended the site. i dont know what made it stick this time (G-D!) but im loving it.

american born been living in israel for a while

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Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by Avrom - 29 Mar 2013 03:35

After I acted out, I wanted to make tshuva - so I went to aish.com!!

Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by israel613120 - 31 Mar 2013 05:17

Read the article in mishpacha, thinking how silly that guy just falling into porn, my mistake online, then that sunday, i did the same thing, while looking for something online saw a trigger

for p*** and went for it. Later I decided whoops, let give GYE a try.

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Re: HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT GYE? - (oh, and Where are you from?) Posted by pleasehelp9753 - 22 May 2013 23:21

i read the article in the mishpacha too... great story BTW. Whoever that story is about, if you see this post, please PM me. I would love to know how to deal with a wife who knows about my issue.

Oh, and i live in israel

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