

You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 07 Mar 2011 18:02

1. there are no DEAD batteries, only powerless ones
2. you count the steps going to the second floor and there are only 11 steps. You call a contractor...
3. You kid runs in saying he fell, you say "fell shmell"
4. You tell your friend that you called because you 'Just wanted to say hi' and hang up
5. sometimes you feel that now you are 'Just Having Fun'
6. every Gerrer chusid gets surreptitious looks, 'maybe he is the heiliger Guard'...
7. when you meet someone new you tell them "hi and welcome, you should be getting the official welcome package soon..."
8. passing roadkill is a meaningful experience
9. if someone says the Bardichever lived 200 years ago, you say 'nuh uh, he lives in Kentucky and drives a big truck and sells ice cream
10. you are at a bris and you hear the baby is named 'Dov' and you go over to the baal simcha and say that is a beautiful name, he asks "why so?" and you say ummmm, well you see, it's a long story, not for now and change the subject

11. you go in to meet an adam gadol and he asks you how things are going, you say "Baruch HaTatty"

12. you are at the grocery and you stop at the 7up and start grinning

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by mnman415 - 19 Jul 2012 03:09

you know u are on gye for a while when u actually start having recovery and living the GYE philosophies and are doing more than "just surviving" in the streets.

thank u GYE

carry on folks, if we get to 90 then we can be on the chart

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by JustKeepGoing - 20 Jul 2012 02:04

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...
Posted by JustKeepGoing - 22 Jul 2012 04:47

When you think of this-

"How much wood could a wood-chuck chuck, if a wood-chuck could chuck wood?"

"It doesn't matter as long as he chucks ONE wood at a time!"

Also when you look at all the threads and see "last post made by _____, you see your name and think, man.. I talk too much"

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...
Posted by obormottel - 22 Jul 2012 05:17

I never said "crazy"...

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...
Posted by Machshovo Tova - 24 Jul 2012 15:09

[obormottel wrote on 18 Jul 2012 17:45:](#)

But if we keep telling ourselves all the smart lines and still cannot stop doing dispicable, nisht-passige things?! Do we need more of the same or is this **crazy**?

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by JustKeepGoing - 24 Jul 2012 18:49

When regular smileys just dont cut it anymore

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And thats an approximate length of your hair since you never have time for haircuts. Only GYE.

Oh yaa

In fact you think haircuts are asur because its bittul zman from using GYE. Then you **seriously** need to take a break for a little while.

Also your on GYE for a while if you...

1 You cant read the screen anymore because your eyes and limbs refuse to do your bidding.
(You really need to chill!!!)

2 Father a child you dont know about because you were too focused on GYE (I would imagine you are here too much in that case)

3 If theres is a nuclear attack and you just "didnt know" becuae you were too busy "Welcoming the Newcomers" (this is practically not so shayich like 1 and 2)

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by Shteeble - 24 Jul 2012 22:02

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Posted by Shteeble - 24 Jul 2012 22:03

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by obormottel - 25 Jul 2012 17:12

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that is extremely cool!

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by obormottel - 25 Jul 2012 17:38

[Machshovo wrote on 24 Jul 2012 15:09:](#)

But if we keep telling ourselves all the smart lines and still cannot stop doing dispicable, nisht-passige things?! Do we need more of the same or is this **crazy**?

So then how about dispicable and nisht-passige?

Anyways,

you know you're on GYE for a while when you stop being offended so easily and share your recovery progress honestly.

Anyone can share thoughts on what others ought to be doing. And anyone can exercise their sensitivity muscle by reading too much into other people's posts.

A ton of people come here to enlighten the community with the final solution to our common problem. The real issue with that is, these people have nothing to show for their theories as far as tangible sobriety and progressive victory over lust go.

I share my dispicable, nish-passige, crazy behaviour and compulsions with others here. I also share what I am doing to stay sober, and the length of my sobriety (356 days today; another way to know that you're on GYE for a while AND that GYE is working for you).

And of course, I share that I am self-centered, insecure, angry, and a compulsive masturbator and porn-watcher to add.

So I don't think that getting an honest feedback on one's posts is an indication of how long you've been around.

I am just as happy to share my (crazy, insecure, angry) ideas with newbies as with senior members (or even global moderators).

But I think that you know you're a while on GYE when you're able to focus on making progress in recovery and let the perceived insults wash off of you.

Oh, wait, is this Just Having Fun section? Sorry to be the party-poopier (again).

Mottel

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...
Posted by JustKeepGoing - 25 Jul 2012 18:12

No Pooping in Parties!!!! :o

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by Machshovo Tova - 25 Jul 2012 18:19

[obormottel wrote on 25 Jul 2012 17:38:](#)

Oh, wait, is this Just Having Fun section? ...

La'aniyas da'ati, in the 9 days one should stay away from "Just Having Fun". (Unless you need it for your recovery, then ask a shailo.)

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Re: You know you're on GYE for a while when...

Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 25 Jul 2012 19:25

[40004 wrote on 14 Dec 2010 16:55:](#)

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just some COOOOOOOOL bubbly stuff to calm things down
(it's beer, ok? or maybe Be'er Mayim Ginger Ale)
see below, for a pow-wow with a peace pipe, served with 'good intentions' and buckwheat,
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Thanks for the chizuk JKG,

and thanks for the GYE one.

I think GYE has managed to get many a nut out of its (or his) shell.

Hatzlacha

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