

Home of Gibbor120

Posted by gibbor120 - 18 Aug 2011 21:06

Hi,

I introduced myself, not long ago, [Here](#). But I have grown since then, and have outgrown my small house in the "Introduce Yourself" part of town. I am a Jr. Member and soon will be a "Full Member" IY"H, so I decided I needed to build a new house in a new neighborhood. I looked around at different neighborhoods and saw some spectacular houses in "Wall of Honor". I see that [Zemmy](#) and [Bards](#) have built here among others, so I decided to plant myself here as well. I will hopefully build some walls of honor myself, and continue to make great friends along the way.

I plan to use this as my main posting thread. So please come in and make a l'chayim, or enjoy some chocolate babke and fresh brewed coffee, or just stop by to say hello.

It's a privilege to dwell among such chashuve yidden!

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Re: Home of Gibbor120

Posted by obormottel - 08 Nov 2011 19:30

[gibbor120 wrote on 08 Nov 2011 17:35:](#)

[ZemirosShabbos wrote on 08 Nov 2011 17:33:](#)

maybe some of the posts fell into the cholint

I hope they added a good taste
of course they did, they are not my posts, afterall.

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by gibbor120 - 08 Nov 2011 19:52

[obormottel wrote on 08 Nov 2011 19:30:](#)

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by gibbor120 - 13 Nov 2011 02:37

Great story from Bardichev, I didn't want to lose.

[bardichev wrote on 11 Oct 2011 15:16:](#)

there are a few answers on a few differrent levels

but thaey are all trye

Your posts add some good spice

first of all a non jew is better than a non frum jew in being able to explain this

i will begin with a story

several years ago

i was working with a non jew

as we were doing our work

a frum woman strutted past the 2 of us in a very triggering way (nebach she is not my problem)

i at that point turned away

the fellow said

hey i saw you didnt want to look at her

i said "thats true"

he asked me why

i said she is not mine

he continued to say

he notices young boys that wait for the light

on a busy street either look down or turn around to avoid looking into the passing cars

he was an off duty cop

he said he noticed a 13-14 year old boy

turned around not too look at a convertible roof top down full of beachgoers

they were laughing at the kid

but he wouldnt raise his eyes

here goes

"I KNOW WHY THE JEWS ARE THE CHOSEN PEOPLE"

i will try to adress more about this good question in the future

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by Dov - 16 Nov 2011 18:20

That is people living in sobriety **by choice**. It's the funny parallel between the YH talk, kedusha (geder ervah), the 'sin' business, teshuvah - and sobriety and the program of living for your G-d and to give. They are so similar that many of us are tempted to make the fatal error and start to believe they are the same....but they are not. It's the **motive** that is different, and the derech to *get* there, too.

This is a humbling thing for me. For to me it means that all those truly good Jews out there are doing many of the good things I do in recovery - *but they do it by choice*. I, on the other hand, only really ended up doing them because I **had** to (and *still* have to).

The Big Book calls it "enlightened self-interest". Not a bad thing, at all....

Humbling, and true.

I may not get a **shred** of olam habo or s'char out of this recovery. But that is fine by me. At least I will not have wasted a life by remaining the big faker I naturally am when I am not living sober.

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by gibbor120 - 17 Nov 2011 15:52

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 17 Nov 2011 16:03

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Oh, can you hurry up? it's lonely in the 4k's
Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by gibbor120 - 17 Nov 2011 16:29

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by Yosef Hatzadik - 17 Nov 2011 18:23

When that ol' feller comes a'callin
you gotta holler right back at 'em:

Nein! Oh, NEIN!!!!

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I'm trying to take it one post at a time
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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by gibbor120 - 23 Nov 2011 17:29

ONE OH OH OH. I can't beleive it. I feel like I have been here forever, and I only found this . I have grown so much and look forward to much trucking, cholint eating, (wha'ts for lunch OM?) and just plain growing.

You all mean so much to me. Your humor and chizzuk have uplifted me. Thank you for just being a great bunch of friends - true friends. :(

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by obormottel - 23 Nov 2011 17:36

For whatever that's worth: mazel tov!

Lunch is being posted right now!

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by gibbor120 - 23 Nov 2011 17:37

It's worth a lot when it comes from friends.

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 23 Nov 2011 17:45

mazel tov gibbor!

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it's a pleasure to have you on the GYE Cruise Ship as we navigate our way through treacherous storms, reefs, sirens and cholint heartburn

thanks for being a good friend, u da best

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by Gevura Shebyesod - 23 Nov 2011 18:59

Mazel Tov Gibbor!!!!!!

You are a wonderful friend, and you always have something nice and inspiring to say. Thank you for being here.

Gevura!

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Re: Home of Gibbor120
Posted by Back on Track - 28 Nov 2011 03:12

Just checkin in here. Komt everyone! And remember to revv dem engines reaaaaaal loud.

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