Progress Tracking Posted by yonatan - 30 Oct 2013 21:49

On the 90 day trail. On day 12. That's a record not counting when I was in the hospital 3 years ago. No privacy. But quitting wasn't on the radar then anyway.

Singing, making music seem to help.

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Re: Progress Tracking Posted by Dr.Watson - 30 Oct 2013 21:50

amazing, really well done. KUTGW and keep posting.

Re: Progress Tracking Posted by ddmm11219 - 30 Oct 2013 22:32

Thanks for your update.

keep us posted, and have us in mind

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Re: Progress Tracking Posted by MBJ - 30 Oct 2013 22:45

yonatan wrote:

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It is important to find things to do to fill the extra time that you are no longer using to act out.

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Re: Progress Tracking Posted by Tosfos - 30 Oct 2013 23:43

Excellent work... an inspiration to me... keep it up.

Re: Progress Tracking Posted by Pidaini - 31 Oct 2013 02:57

Keep us updated, It's great to hear when someone is doing well!!

Re: Progress Tracking Posted by yonatan - 31 Oct 2013 06:59

Thanks all! I work from home so being alone a good chunk of the day it's easy to get distracted. Gotta stay focused. I'll keep my progress reports here. Thanks again for your support.

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Re: Progress Tracking Posted by skeptical - 31 Oct 2013 07:07

Do you have a plan of action to make this attempt to stay clean different?

Hatzlacha!

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Re: Progress Tracking Posted by Pidaini - 31 Oct 2013 14:33

skeptical wrote:

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Hatzlacha!

That is the main point, action, physically doing something different.

do you ideas, yonatan?

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Re: Progress Tracking Posted by yonatan - 31 Oct 2013 17:43

I figured from the beginning that if I could avoid the porn sites I could control the rest of it. My pattern of behavior has always been (at least as far as I can remember) was to go to a porn sites first. Images in the general pop culture seem less problematic in my case. It would be better for me if I didn't see them but I don't seek them out.

So that's my plan, such as it is. Reading some of the threads here, just avoiding porn wouldn't be enough. Wish I had more to offer.

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Re: Progress Tracking Posted by airmale613 - 31 Oct 2013 17:44

Hi all,

I am on day 6 and feeling pretty good. Nice to see this in the rear view mirror getting smaller and smaller.

Re: Progress Tracking Posted by Machshovo Tova - 31 Oct 2013 18:34

airmale613 wrote:

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Good luck moving onward. And don't forget that some rear view mirrors come with a disclaimer: "Warning - some images may appear smaller than they actually are."

So don't let it fool you. Defensive driving is always a good practice. Or as some driving instructors say: "Alway expect the unexpected."

Hatzlacha

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Re: Progress Tracking Posted by Pidaini - 31 Oct 2013 20:42

yonatan wrote:

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I thought the same exact thing when I first came to GYE. First thing that AlexEliezer told me was that my problem is much broader than just porn. It's the first sip of any lust *even lusting after my wife*, that makes it or breaks it. Once I let that first bit in it starts building up.

I have to keep my distance from **any** lust, whatsoever, no matter in what form, to keep my head on straight.

Just my experience,

KOT KUTGW!!!!

And KOP(posting)!

Re: Progress Tracking Posted by gibbor120 - 31 Oct 2013 20:46

airmale613 wrote:

Hi all,

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Great! While you are looking in the rearview mirror - "this" has a habbit of magically standing right in front of your car blocking the road. "This" is a tricky one. Always be on guard. KUTGW!

Re: Progress Tracking Posted by airmale613 - 01 Nov 2013 14:32

Today is exactly 1 week clean! I am hopeful but cautious.

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