

Writing instead of Acting Out

Posted by BezrasHashem82 - 30 Aug 2018 21:11

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Posted by Markz - 31 Aug 2018 00:44

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Say with me

TODAY

TEE

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WHY

#NOT 90 NOT 12, JUST 2DA

[disclaimer]thats what works for me[/disclaimer]

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Re: Writing instead of Acting Out
Posted by bego - 31 Aug 2018 11:10

Thanks for this.

I would also suggest that general writing helps!! I also have ad days at work and then feel terrible afterwards (even if its just looking). One thing I used to do (and should get back to), is writing. Be it Divrei Torah, poems, anything! That way it also looks like you are working :-)

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