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The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by mnman415 - 16 Nov 2010 03:54

my last thread was called starting over after 37 days and the one before that was called this time im in it to win it.

very quickly. im 16. got into this at 11 years old. always said ill stop after my bar mitzvah. in 8th grade i talked to girls. in summer going into 9th i decided to stop talking to them because i felt guilty about m******. skipping ahead. here i am now as an addict. a teenage addict trying to get close to hashem.

the only way i can do it is with his help, without hashem i am helpless.

so here is what we are doing. we are DAVENING 3 times a day. not saying the words but talking to hashem. if possible, talk to hashem often.

filling my day with as much torah as possible and maintining kedusha. thursday nights i will try to exercise to get rid of some extra hormone buildup, and get rid of sexual energy.

there is so much more to do, but this is the main outline.

today was day 1. it was good, i was careful with my eyes. i learned a lot. i feel really good. i just decided. by next schoolyear, going into 12th grade, i WILL know how to learn. im still pushing myself in shiur. but out of shiur, i am taking a jastrow (dictionary) and learning torah. i am learning the entire masechta bekiyus that we are doing in school. we are only going to cover 20 or so dafim of gemorah so i am doing thr whole thing. over the vacations when i have more time i will try to learn how to learn be'iyun. but i first need to get down the basics.

anyways. i feel really pumpted to keep going and really make it to 90 days this time. and with hashems help and only with his help will i be able to make it.

Posted by Dov - 26 Jun 2012 04:25

Daven and then decide of you hurt him in some way. If not then it might be good to write him a short note snd lesave it on his talisbeitel or table in an envelope asking "Are you not speaking to

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me, Reb?" It seems that way to me.Can I help you?" signed yourself ("Hashem's
Hatzlocha!
Soldier" may coinfuse things a bit
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by mnman415 - 27 Jun 2012 14:05
the point is that i thought that it might be more than a litle hurt or feeling of beign ignored.
i thought that it must be self esteem issues or etc.
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by mnman415 - 27 Jun 2012 22:14
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by mnman415 - 28 Jun 2012 14:20
it took me about 200 feathersbut i think yesterday i finally got the skill of making a kulmus. mor importantly a consistant kulmus.
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by Machshovo Tova - 28 Jun 2012 14:41

HashemsSoldier wrote on 27 Jun 2012 22:14:

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Just make sure to avoid the "dangerous scenery" that can cause other kind of A&W (Ach 'n' Way) moments.
MT (= mazal tov)
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 28 Jun 2012 20:10
HS, you are better than Thomas Edison, it took him a few thousand tries before he was able to
all those feathers reminded me of a story i read yesterday in Reb Shlomo Freifeld's biography (great book, btw, not the regular gadol biography who knew shas at age 5 and never looked back from there). He was a great admirer of the Ribnitzer Rebbe zt'l, who was known as a great baal mofes. Reb Shlomo would want to hear stories about the Ribnitzer's mesirus nefesh, not his mofsim.
Under Communist rule he would encourage the Jewish housewives to bring him their chickens so he could shecht them according to halacha and as an incentive he offered to feather any
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by mnman415 - 29 Jun 2012 00:31
where can i get those feathers?

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i used up almost all of mine. only have 5 left for 6 amudim.
(btw if i really knew how to make a kulmus i would only need about 5 or 10 vto make a meggilah.)
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by Machshovo Tova - 29 Jun 2012 14:16
HashemsSoldier wrote on 29 Jun 2012 00:31:
where can i get those feathers?
If you can wait, there is a minhag in Bobov where all bochurim wear a feather (all sizes and colors) in their hats on Shushan Purim.
MT
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 29 Jun 2012 16:14
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- Shakespeare

Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 13 Jul 2012 17:08

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welcome back HS!
have a great shabbos
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Re: The life of a soldier in hashems army Posted by mnman415 - 15 Jul 2012 21:26
hashem is giving me yet another good day. he is holding me back from shichvas zera. he is holding me back from looking at the non jews on the street. as of now my nissayon is looking at jewish girls. for some reason they are a bigger nissayon for me. (i have some ideas why.) but BH so far it is not yet leading to shicvas zera yet. hashem please continue to help me
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