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Toby - April 17, 2022, 1:44 pm

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7777777 - April 17, 2022, 1:49 pm

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Toby - April 17, 2022, 1:55 pm

(Apr 17, 2022 01:49 PM)7777777 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thanks for sharing gambling sucks! sure does, hope this stops someone being stupid like me.

cookiefish - April 17, 2022, 1:58 pm

I hope you figure this out! If it helps feeling better i have lost many bitcoins in bustabit gambling site when 1 BTC was around 200\$. Also lost a lot in CSGO roulette sites... but i have not gambled in years anymore because house always wins. Its much better to invest in crypto.

Couple projects im heavy bag holder are

<https://www.coingecko.com/en/coins/radix>

<https://www.coingecko.com/en/coins/aleph-zero>

But always debt and bills first. ?

Blunt - April 17, 2022, 1:58 pm

Man hope you can break your addiction lol

Grim - April 17, 2022, 2:01 pm

\$600 bro?? get a minimum wage job and you willl make that back very quickly. Trust me man coming from experience with gambling addiction when you have to start taking out Loans to go gamble you need to rethink your life. That kind of debt is very easy to make back bro dont become like me loosing \$20k on sports games. If you need to talk with anyone man shoot me a message i can help you out with some things i did that helped me.

Mac Miller - April 17, 2022, 3:08 pm

Gambling isn't good. Used to play poker with my uncle when I was a young lad

DeepWeb - April 17, 2022, 3:39 pm

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luckily ive stopped, once i realised how fucked i was i took a hard no gamble stance, glad to hear everything is okay for you now :)

device - April 17, 2022, 3:53 pm

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That sucks, I got into debt as well but for different reasons. Do you have a job? The amount you owe isn't that much if you're working full time.

Rionxee - April 17, 2022, 3:55 pm

Well it's not that much debt, surely you can run some uber eats for a little or doordash to get it paid off. I'm about \$150,000 in debt so be thankful.

ailo - April 17, 2022, 7:06 pm

Lost a lot to gambling back in the days, havent really gambled anything above two digits for the past couple of years, it used to be thousands and more when i was younger, i follow the old saying "don't risk what you can't afford to lose"

Psinetic - April 17, 2022, 7:36 pm

Not sure if this helps the mentality any, but one thing I've always learned when it comes to finances: When you spend money, count it as GONE, you'll never see it again, it's DEAD money. The only ONLY time money is "alive" is if it's an investment that's ACTIVELY garnering a positive cash flow. Otherwise, remember that when you make big purchases. It's "OK" to make a big purchase when you've decided it's ok for that money to die before you've even spent it.

If you're buying online, I recommend you make an account at Privacy.com and set a monthly limit to

it for like \$50 and that's it. So long as you don't make more cards and don't use a real bank's actual debit card, that should add a "wall" of time that can possibly help you break out of your mental cycle of impulsivity. If you find that you're still circumventing that, then you're going to need an accountability partner who can step in and stop you before you make things worse for yourself.

Yanix - April 17, 2022, 8:06 pm

Starting with small bets until it gets going and going and you will just notice you were on the addiction...hoping you already learned the lesson and the risk of gambling.

bevc - April 18, 2022, 2:55 am

(Apr 17, 2022 03:55 PM)Rionxee Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm about \$150,000 in debt so be thankful. Crumbs, hope you are ok.

SIM-5172666 - April 18, 2022, 3:04 am

Hope you learned your lesson. Never risk your savings. Get some job and you can come out of debt.

Rionxee - April 18, 2022, 4:56 pm

(Apr 18, 2022 02:55 AM)bevc Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Crumbs, hope you are ok. Should have phrased that different, it's student debt.

bevc - April 18, 2022, 10:40 pm

(Apr 18, 2022 04:56 PM)Rionxee Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Should have phrased that different, it's student debt. Still a lot of money!

Pyro - April 18, 2022, 11:04 pm

gambling doesnt sucks, but being addicted and empty headed do sucks

gamble smart

confuse - April 19, 2022, 12:08 am

600 in 2 months. You could probably make that in a Chinese sweat shop. Why don't you just...get a job?

peperita - April 19, 2022, 12:44 am

Gambling just sucks, man.

I know many people online who lost a lot more than you so at least there is that. Just be happy you learned your lesson with that amount rather than 100k+.

On another note I always wonder how many kids see streamers on twitch/YouTube and start gambling, I hope at least they know what they are getting into but I doubt.

Deany - April 19, 2022, 12:48 am

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My current gambling debt is about 150k bytes ?

Vader - April 19, 2022, 12:51 am

get a job at mcdonalds work for 4 months and save your money this is a miniboss man youll be ok,

you dont have to go to mcdonalds but anywhere is fine, just apply. find something to do online, but work while you do that

2xTheTap115 - April 19, 2022, 1:19 am

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Sorry to hear that homie, gambling is a nasty thing.

I myself have a friend who took loans to play in casinos only to double the amount and pay off another loan?

Mere gambling credit is stupid to me, especially at a young age like you are. Hope you get out of this?

Snoopti - April 27, 2022, 2:13 pm

Thanks I was just gonna gamble but changed my mind

SoulHarvester - April 27, 2022, 5:03 pm

All I can say about the matter is at least you are aware of the problem and that gives you the ability to correct it.

shmatka - May 29, 2022, 1:54 pm

I know this feeling man I'm addicted as well. Don't have that much depth but I'm not saving anything either. Gambling is hell for some people.

shmatka - May 29, 2022, 2:01 pm

(May 29, 2022 01:59 PM)phantomman55 wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Did you lose money in gambling? I myself don't gamble.

I've lost some yes. Not to that point but I haven't earned that much anyways. And I'm afraid I can't stop for the future

Jake Johnson - May 29, 2022, 2:45 pm

Yea I'm not a big fan of gambling myself because I always say it's usually a losing game where the house ends up winning. However, there are those times when you will come out ahead. I got sucked into the online casinos during COVID and blew a couple of thousand but I was in a position where I knew I was making it back in other ways. I haven't touched the online casinos since I fucking hate the feeling of losing a good chunk of money for nothing.

To me, gambling is one of those once in a while type of things where if I want to go with some friends but not a regular occurrence and I definitely know my limits on how much money I would gamble.

Gambling can be an awful addiction if you don't stop yourself before it's too late.

Livewire - May 29, 2022, 2:48 pm

Gambling is a hell of a drug.

I do it with bytes here myself.

Domino s - June 5, 2022, 2:57 pm

I still battle with gambling especially if I've been struggling financially. To hopefully win something to be able to get out of debt; never works. I'm suggestionng just stacking something from 7-14 days and get a check direct deposit job. But I've been wanting to start a business never had the time or funds.

Pray for me

Upgrader - June 5, 2022, 3:44 pm

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Sounds like you have to get some of your losses back to pay for it ?

In all seriousness, you can contact the debt collection for an extension if you explain your situation and show intentions of paying it off.

Disease - June 6, 2022, 7:10 pm

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Never gamble with money you can't afford to lose. Sucks you're learning that the hard way. But

probably best you recognize now, rather than later, that maybe gambling is not for you. Sounds like you have issues controlling your impulse.

I-I - June 6, 2022, 8:09 pm

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Migos - June 6, 2022, 8:36 pm

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Well your only \$100 short if you have 0 other bills in life. Usually you can get whoever you owe it to give you an extra month for a small % more but dont offer the % more make them request it lol.

But you described a life lesson learnt so now just use the knowledge gained from the failure and the consequence and move forward!

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Gambling is purely for the "House" benefit, and your entertainment. Earning for a way of life via gambling is not a viable option if you want to have a future without gambling addiction .