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I'd like to call your attention to a community project that has been accomplishing wonders with young men who have been experiencing difficulty.

Their successes have been amazing considering the heavy burden of failure these unfortunate boys have been bearing. By restoring their self-confidence and self-respect, the counselors and leaders have gotten many individuals to turn the corner and retrieve their birthright as *Ehrliche Yidden* and even *Bnei Torah*. The name of this miracle is "*Our Place*".

Heretofore, it was deemed preferable to operate outside the limelight as Chazal had taught us:

אין הברכה שורה אלא בדבר הסמוי מן העין

The blessing of Hashem is found in things that are hidden from the eye.

Lamentably their chief sources of funds have dried up in the wake of the current financial crisis. They have no choice now but to "go public". By coming to the aid of this treasure trove of rescue, you will have saved from collapse an invaluable asset to Klal Yisroel. Heroes of heart and action are needed to keep the life stream flowing. It is among the select few Mitzvos that אדם אוכל הבא.

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