

A Therapist-Designed Tool for Managing Urges

when urges climb like vines, steady yourself with... a quick walk outside to reconnect with

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with...
a call or text to a trusted friend or support person.

when urges climb like vines, steady yourself with... a grounding technique.

breathing exercise

a 5-minute deep

with...

When urges climb like

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a journal entry about your feelings and what you want to grow toward.

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a glass of water and a moment to hydrate mindfully.

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a quick stretch or yoga pose to release tension.

uplifting songs to

a playlist of

shift your mood.

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a positive affirmation: "I am stronger than my urges."

when urges climb like vines, steady yourself with... a visualization: imagine your urges as vines you gently untangle and set aside.

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a hobby you love, like drawing or reading, for 10 minutes.

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a cold shower or splashing cold water on your face to reset.

when urges climb like vines, steady yourself with... a mindfulness exercise: focus on your breath for 10 slow counts.

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a physical activity, like jumping jacks or a quick run, to redirect your energy.

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a prayer or meditation that aligns with your beliefs.

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nourish your body and a healthy snack to shift your focus

> where you feel tension When urges climb like a body scan: notice vines, steady yourself and breathe into it, with...

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a reminder of your 'why':

write down one reason you're committed to recovery.

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compassion: "I'm doing my best, and that's enough." a moment of self-

How to Use Your 'Steady Vines' Coping Cards

Thank you for purchasing the 'Steady Vines' Coping Cards from Let Growth Bloom! Here's how to get started:

Step 1: Print Your Cards

Print the coping cards on 8.5x11 paper at 100% scale. Use a color printer for the best experience, or print in black and white if needed. Cardstock or matte photo paper is recommended for durability.

Step 2: Cut Out the Cards

Cut along the dashed lines to separate the cards. You can keep them in a jar, box, or binder for easy access.

Step 3: Use the Coping Cards

When you feel an urge, draw a card and follow the prompt to steady yourself. Use them daily, as needed, or in therapy sessions to manage urges and grow stronger.

Printing Tips

If you don't have a printer, you can use a local print shop or library. For a durability, consider printing on cardstock.

Need Help? Need a Different Size?

If you have any questions, message me on Etsy – I'm here to help!This printable is designed for 8.5x11 paper. Need a different size? Message me, and I'll be happy to help!