



Sermon
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“Tus Tswv Pub Rau Kuv – Ib Leejniam Tus Yamntxwv”

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Thov txojkev koobhmoov, txojkev hlub, thiab txojkev haumxeeb pub rau nej sawvdaws los ntawm Vajtswv uas yog peb Leejtxiv uas yog peb tus Cawmseej Tswv Yexus Khetos. Asmees.

1 Xamuyees 1:27-28, “I prayed for this child, and the LORD has granted me what I asked of him. So now I give him to the LORD. For his whole life he will be given over to the LORD.” And he worshiped the LORD there – *Kuv thov kom muaj tus metu no, mas tus TSWV pub rau kuv raws li kuv tej lus thov. Yog li ntawd tamsimno kuv muab rau tus TSWV. Tagnrho nws tiam neej nws yuav yog tus muab mus rau tus TSWV.” Thiab nws yuav hawm tus TSWV ntawd.*” Nov yog Vajtswv Txojlus. (Cross reference – Chivkeeb 24:26, 52, 1 Xamuees 1:11, 22; 2:11, 2028:2, Nkauj Qhuas Vajtswv 6:9; 66:19-20)

Illustration “prayer” (Show a pair of parrots)



Muaj ibtug xibhwb nws muaj ibtug noog “parrot – noog leebnkaub.” Tus noog no pheej haistias, “Let’s pray, let’s pray – cia li thov Vajtswv, cia li thov Vajtswv.” Tus xibhwb qhia kom tus noog hais lwm lolus los tus noog tsis kam hais kiag li. Xibhwb hnov hiastias nws tus txwjlaug muaj ibtus noog “parrot – noog leebnkaub” thiab. Tus txwjlaug no tus noog tsua haistias, “Let’s kiss. Let’s kiss – cia li sib nwj, cia li sib nwj.” Yog li ntawd tus xibhwb thiaj li caw kom tus txwjlaug no coj nws tus noog “parrot – noog leebnkaub” tuaj rau ntawm xibhwb

lub tsev. Thaum tus txwjlaug tuaj txog lawm nkawd muab obtug noog “parrot – noog leebnkaub” no coj los cia tib lub nkuaj uake saib yuav tshwmsim li cas. Tus txwjlaug tus noog “parrot – noog leebnkaub” pib haistias, “Let’s kiss. Let’s kiss – cia li sib nwj, cia li sib nwj.” Xibhwb tus noog “parrot – noog leebnkaub” cia li peb haistias, “Thank you Lord. My prayers has been answered – Tus Tswv ua tsaug. Kuv txojkev thov Vajtswv raug teb lawm.”

I. Coob leej tibneeg tau haistias, yog tsis muaj ib leejniam, tibneeg yuav tsis paub ua neej nyob.



Hnubno peb yuav saib txog ib leejniam uas yog tus ntseeg Vajtswv saib nws tus yamntxwv zoo li cas. Nej cov uas yog ib leejniam, nej yuav pom tau haistias, nej puas yog ua lub neej ua ib leejniam zoo li Hanas ntawm 1 Xamuyees. Peb ua Vajtswv tsaug uas Vajtswv tsim nej cov pojniam los ntau thawj hlo ntawm tus txiv thiab nej cov menyuum. Kuv ua nej cov niamtsev tsaug nyob rau Pawgntseeg no tias nej yog ib leejniam zoo. Thov Vajtswv foom koobhmoov rau nej txhuatus uas yog niam. Hnubno peb

yuav saib tus yamntxwv ntawm Hanas. Hnub no zajlus qhuabqhia yog hais txog “*Tus Tswv pub rau kuv – Ib Leejniam tus yamntxwv.*” Nov yog txojkev uas ib leejniam txojkev thov Vajtswv thiab Vajtswv tau teb nws tej lus thov. (Show Peninnah making fun of Hannah)



Hanas yog ib leejniam uas mobsiab ntseeg Vajtswv tiamsis nws xeeb tsis tau menyuam. Nws ntshaw menyuam heev. Nws tus txiv Ekanas muaj ib tug niamyau hu Peninas. Peninas muaj menyuam thiab pheej haislus tuammom Hanas vim Hanas muaj tsis tau menyuam ua rau Hanas nyuajsiab heev, quaj, thiab tsis qabrus noj mov li. Txhua xyoo uas Hanas nrog nws tus txiv tuaj hawm Vajtswv ntawm lub tuamtsev nyob rau lub nroog Yeluxalees, Hanas rau siab ntso thov kom Vajtswv teb nws tej lus thov thiab pub kom nws muaj menyuam. **(Show Hannah pray for baby)**

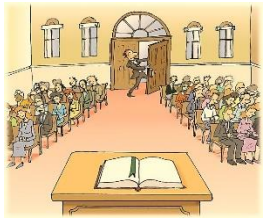


Txojcai nyob rau lub sijhawm ntawd txwv tsis pub tibneeg mus rau hauv lub tuamtsev yog nws tsis muaj ibyam dabtsis pub rau nws tsev tibneeg. Yog li ntawd txhua zaug Kanas mus tua tsiaj fij thiab hawm Vajtswv tag, nws thiaj li muab ib cov nqaij pub rau Peninas thiab nws cov menyuam ib leeg ib co ua lawv tug. Dhau ntawd nws muab obnpaug pub rau Hanas vim Kanas hlub Hanas heev. Yog li ntawd thaum Hanas pom nws tus txiv ua li no rau nws txhua zaug nws thiaj li kubsiab heev thov Vajtswv kom nws muaj tau menyuam rau nws tus txiv.

II. Hanas niaj xyoo nrog nws tus txiv tuaj mus ua koobtsheej ntawm lub nroog Yeluxalees thiab nrog nws tus txiv mus hawm Vajtswv. **(Show Hannah praying for baby)**



Qhov no qhia tau haistias, ntawm Hanas lub zos los nws yeej mus hawm thiab kawm Vajtswv txojlus vim nws ntseeg thiab cia siab rau Vajtswv. Hanas tsis yog mus hawm Vajtswv xwb, Hanas paub meej haistias Vajtswv yog tus tseeb rau nws lub neej. Nws thiaj li tsis tag kev cia siab tiamsis rau siab ntso thov kom Vajtswv pub kom nws muaj tau menyuam. **(Show sneaking out of church service)**



Peb nyob rau tiam tamsimno, tibneeg tsuas yog lam mus hawm Vajtswv xwb nws twb tsis paub haistias Vajtswv yog tus Vajtswv tseeb rau nws lub neej tiag. Tibneeg tsuas lam tuaj zaum hauv lub tuamtsev hawm Vajtswv thiab lam ua txoj hu nkauj thiab lam ua txoj mloog tej lus qhuabqhia tag xwb ces nws tos tsis taus sijhawm tag, nws twb yuav majnroos mus ua lwmyam. Vajtswv tsis yog tus tseeb rau nws, nws lam tuaj kom dhau sijhawm. Lam ua kom tibneeg pom haistias, nws

tuaj hawm Vajtswv kom tibneeg tsis txhob hais tau nws thiab lam ua kom tibneeg pom sab nraud tias nws yog tus ntseeg lawm. Yog leejtwg coj li cov lus kuv hais tag los no, txawm nws yuav xav kom Vajtswv pab nws los nws twb tsis muab nws nploojsiab npuab Vajtswv tiag thiab nws twb tsis ntseeg tsis cia siab. Vajtswv yuav ua li cas teb nws tej lus thov.

Hanas uas yog ib leejniam coj tau tus yamntxwv zoo li cas es nej cov uas yog pojniam thiaj li yuav kawm tau los mus ua kom haum Vajtswv dejsiab? **(Hannah pray to the Lord)**



Txawm Hanas muaj kev nyuajsiab npaum li cas los nws tsis tag kev cia siab rau nws tus Vajtswv. Hanas thov Vajtswv tias, “And she made a vow, saying, “LORD Almighty, if you will only look on your servant’s misery and remember me, and not forget your servant but give her a son, then I will give him to the LORD for all the days of his life, and no razor will ever be used on his head – *Tus Tswv uas muaj hwjchim loj kawg nkaus, thov koj tsa qhovmuag saib kuv uas yog koj tus ntxhais qhev txomnyem ntsuav thiab nco ntsoov kuv, thiab thov tsis txhob hnovqab kuv tiamsis pub kom kuv muaj ibtug tub, tomqab ntawd kuv yuav muab nws rau koj ua tus Tswv tag nws tiamneej, thiab yuav tsis chais nws cov plaubhaus li.”* (1 Xamuyees 1:11) **(Show Matthew 11:28)**



Thaum kuv nyeem nqis Vajlus kub no, kuv nco txog Yexus hais ntawm Mathais haistias, “Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest – *Cia li los cuag kuv, nej cov uas sab sab vim nej ris nra hnyav, thiab kuv yuav cia nej so.*” (Mathais 11:28) Hnubno yog nej leejtwg muaj lub nras hnyav? Cia li tso plhuav rau Yexus, nej thiaj li tau txojkev kajsiab.

III. Hanas tso tagnrho nws tej kev ntshaw thiab thov rau Vajtswv. Vajtswv thiaj li teb Hanas txojkev thov thiab pub Hanas muaj ibtug tub. **(Samuel being present to Eli)**



Thaum nws yug tau nws tus tub, nws tis npe hu ua “Samuel – Xamuyees” nws thiaj li coj Xamuyees rau tus Xibhwb Elis thiab hais rau Elis tias “I prayed for this child, and the LORD has granted me what I asked of him. So now I give him to the LORD. For his whole life he will be given over to the LORD.” And he worshiped the LORD there – *Kuv thov kom muaj tus metu no, mas tus TSWV pub rau kuv raws li kuv tej lus thov. Yog li ntawd tamsimno kuv muab rau tus TSWV. Tagnrho nws tiam neej nws yuav yog tus muab mus rau tus TSWV.*” *Thiab nws yuav hawm tus TSWV ntawd.*” (Xamuyees 1:27-28) Hanas cia Xamuyees ua Vajtswv tus tubtxib mus tag nws tiamneej.” Vim tus tswv tau pub rau Hanas raws li nws tej lus thov, Hanas thiaj li ua raws li nws tau coglus tseg rov rau Vajtswv.

Peb tibneeg feem ntau tau thov Vajtswv rau ntau yam kom Vajtswv pab peb. Tiamsis tomqab Vajtswv pab peb tag, peb twb tsis ua nws tsaug li peb tau coglus tseg. Yog peb saib Hanas lub neej, Hanas muaj peb tus yamntxwv uas nej yuav kawm thiab xyaum tau. **(Show Hannah faith in prayer)**



(1) Hanas yog ib leejniam uas ntseeg Vajtswv. – Peb yog tus ntseeg Vajtswv lawm, peb yuavtsum ntseeg tiag tiag. Tsis txhob thim mus muab kev cia siab rau khoom ntiajteb yog Vajtswv tsis tau teb peb tej lus thov. **(2) Ib leejniam uas tsis tag kev cia siab ntawm Vajtswv tiamsis rau siab ntso thov Vajtswv tsis tseg.** Nej cia siab thiab ntseeg Vajtswv tsis txhob tag kev cia siab. Yuavtsum sawv khovkho Vajtswv mam li teb raws li Nws lub sijhawm. **(3) Coglus rau Vajtswv li cas nws ua raws li Vajtswv tau pub rau nws.** Yog koj tau coglus li cas rau Vajtswv lawm, koj yuavtsum ua li koj tau coglus tseg. Tsis txhob rhuav koj tej lus vim koj twb tau kev pab ntawm Vajtswv lawm. **(Show Ask, Seek, and Knock)**



Hanas yog ib leejniam uas ua tau tus yamntxwv zoo rau peb cov ntseeg xyaum. Nws tau “Ask – *Thov*, Seek – *Nrhiav*, thiab Knock – *Khob*.” Txhuatus uas thov yuav tau, txhuatus uas nrhiav yuav ntsib thiab txhuatus uas khob lub qhovrooj yuav qhib rau nws.” (Mathais 7-7-8) Hnubno yog Mother’s Day, thov kom Vajtswv foom koobhmoov rau txhua leejniam vim yog muaj leejniam, nej cov uas yog pojniam thiaj li tau koobhmoov ntau kawg nkaus ntawm Vajtswv. Asmees.

Thov kom Vajtswv Txojlus pub rau peb sawvdaws totaub thiab tau nyob kajsiab lug rau ntawm Tswv Yexus Khetos lub npe. Peb txhuatus uas yog Vajtswv cov menyuum peb sawvdaws hais: Asmees.