



Sermon  
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**"Koj Yog Khetos"**

Second Sunday in Lent  
St. Michae's and Our Savior Lutheran Church  
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Thov txoj koobhmoov, txojkev hlub, thiab txojkev haumxeeb pub rau koj los ntawm Vajtswv uas yog peb Leejtxiv uas yog peb tus Cawmseej Tswv Yexus Khetos. Asmees.

**Malakaus 8:29** "And he asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Christ – *Thiab nws nug lawvhaistias, "Tiamsis nej ne, nej haistias kuv yog leejtwg?" Petus teb nws haistias, "Koj yog tus Khetos."* Nov yog Vajtswv Txojlus. (Cross-reference – Yauhas 6:68-69)

Illustration "Mistaken Identity" (Show example of mistaken identity)



Ntau zaug thaum nej tsav tsheb taug kev, nej pom lub tsheb los shab kev tov los nej tsa tes "Wave" rau lub tsheb ntawd xav hais tias nej paub tus tibneeg ntawd. Thaum lub tsheb ntawd los txog ntawd nej, nej mam ua tib zoo saib ua cas tsis yog li nej xav. Ntau zaug nej cia li mus hais lus nrog tej tus tibneeg xav hais tias nws yog tus tibneeg ua nej paub. Thaum tus tibneeg ntawd tig los nej cia li txajmuag los yog nej lub ntsej muag cia li hloov hlo txawv txawv vim tus tibneeg uas nej nyuam qhuav hais lus rau tsis yog tus uas nej xav. Peb feem ntau txhua leej txhua tus tau ntsib txojkev "Mistaken identity – *Yuamkev yog leejtwg*" li no los lawm.

<http://estherlike.blogspot.com/2011/04/mistaken-identity.html>

Nyob rau lub ntiajtec no, tibneeg tau yuamkev li no thiab ntau zaug nws yuav ua muaj kev kub ntxhov tshwsim. Nej sim saib yog tej tus tibneeg hnav tej lub tsho liab los tej lub kausmom xiav taug kev rau tej lub zos xws li Los Angeles, tej zaum tus tibneeg no yuav raug tua povtseg. (Show ganster wearing red)

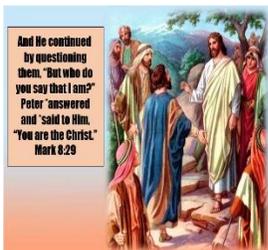


Vim li cas kuv thiaj li hais li no? "Gangster - *Laib*" no nyiam siv "colors - *xim*" los "represent – *sawvcev*" ua lawv pab lawv pawg. Yog leejtwg tsis hnav li lawv pab, vim lawv twb muaj kev tsis sib haum nrog lwm pab laib lawm ces yog lawv pom xim zoo li lwm pab laib ntawd xwb ces lawv cia li muab tus tibneeg ntawm ntau los muab nws tua povtseg. Txawm yog haistias tus tibneeg no "innocent – *tsis muaj txhaum*" twb tsis muaj feem ua laib los lawv haistias tus tibneeg

ntawd hnav tau cev tshoo tsho ua yog lawv tus yeebncuab hnav lawm. Tej thaum muaj tej no tshwsim tus tibneeg ua raug tua los raug mob ntawd tau txojkev los ntawm lwm tus "Mistaken identity – *Yuamkev yog leejtwg*" tias nws yog lwm pab lwm pawg. <https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-5485127/New-Melbourne-gang-Reds-imitating-Crips-Bloods.html>

I. Nov zoo sibthooj li Yexus. Nyob rau Yexus tiam, muaj tibneeg coob leej ntau tus tau "mistakenly – *yuamkev*" haistias Yexus yog lwm tus tibneeg. Thaum Yexus raug luag muab nws tua tuag vim haistias cov tibneeg ua muab Yexus tua ntawd twb tsis paub haistias Yexus yog leejtwg. Niaj hnub nimno los tibneeg yeej tsis paub haistias Yexus yog leejtwg li. (Show Mark 8:29)

<https://www.cotkmanila.org/single-post/2018/09/16/24th-sunday-in-ordinary-time-purity-of-confession>



Yog li ntawd peb Txojmoozoo, Yexus thiaj li nug tias, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Christ – *"Tiamsis nej ne, nej haistias kuv yog*

leejtwg?" Petus teb nws haistias, "Koj yog tus Khetos." (Malakaus 8:29). Tej zaum yuav muaj ntau yam lus coj los teb lolus no, tiamsis lolus tseeb ces koj yuavtsum teb li Petus teb. Yog li ntawd, Petus thiaj li teb haistias, "You are the Christ – *Koj yog Khetos.*" Thaum Yexus nug nws cov thwjtim tias, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Christ – *Tiamsis nej ne, nej haistias kuv yog leejtwg?*" *Petus teb nws haistias, "Koj yog tus Khetos."* (Malakaus 8:29). (Show Mark 8:27)

<https://inductivebiblestudyapp.com/2020/01/who-do-you-believe-jesus-is/>



Cov thwjtim ib txhia teb haistias, "And they told him, "John the Baptist; and others say, Elijah; and others, one of the prophets – *Lawv hais rau nws haistias koj yog Yauhas tus uas muab tibneeg ua kevcai ntxuav, muaj qee leej haistias koj yog Eliyas thiab muaj qee leej haistias, koj yog ib tug xibhwb uas cev Vajtswv lus.*" (Malakaus 8:27). Nej sim saib cov npe uas cov thwjtim hais txog cov xibhwb ntawd lawv twb tuag tag lawm. Tiamsis tiam no cov "Jewish – *Yudais*" ntseeg tias ib tus xibhwb uas cev Vajtswv lus yav tag los yuav los tshwm rau lawv ua ntej tus Mexiyas mam li los. Ib txhia xav haistias Yexus yog tus xibhwb ntawd.

Ib txhia haistias Yexus yog Yauhas vim haistias nkawv noob nyoog yog ib yam, vim nkawv ua neej sisthoj, vim nkawv obleeg puav leej qhia Vajtswv txojlus. (Show the head of John the Baptist)

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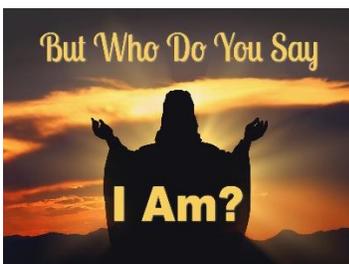
Yexus tseem muaj sia nyob tiamsis vajntxwv Hemlauj muab Yauhas txiav cej dab lawm. Yog li ntawd vajntxwv Hemlauj thiaj li nyuaj siab thiab txhawj heev. "This is John the Baptist. He has been raised from the dead; - *Tus no yeej yog Yauhas tus uas muab tibneeg ua kevcai ntxuav sawv hauv qhov tuag rov los lawm...*" (Mathais 14:2). Hemlauj xav haistias Yauhas rov qab sawv hauv qhov tuag rov los ua pojntxoog hem Hemlauj vim Hemlauj yog tus kom muab Yauhas tua. (Show Ark of the Covenant)

<https://www.holylandgifts.net/products/ark-of-the-covenant-with-sacred-elements>



Ib txhia xav tias Yexus yog Eliyas. Vim tus xibhwb Malikis sau txog tias Vajtswv yuav txib Eliyas rov mus qhia Vajtswv haivneeg ua ntej ntiajteb kawg. Tiamsis ib txhia tseem xav tias Yexus yog Yelemis. Cov "Jewish – *Yudais*" xav tias Yelemis muab "The Ark of Covenant – *Lub Phixab Coglus*" 100 xyoo ua ntej cov "Babylonian – *Npanpisloos*" los "rule – *tswj*" tau Yeluxalees. Lawv xav haistias Yelemis yuav yog tus xub los ua ntej tus Mexiyas mam li los.

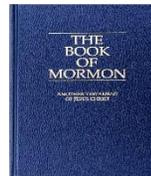
- II. Tseem muaj tibneeg coob coob haistias Yexus yog leejtwg thiab. Cov Falixais xav haistias Yexus yog ib tus tibneeg phem, tus xibhwb cuav thiab yog tus ntibeeg hais lus dag. Ib txhia tibneeg ua nrog Yexus mus ua ke xav haistias Yexus yog tibneeg ntiajteb tus vajntxwv uas kav tibneeg nyob rau lub ntiajteb no xwb. Lawv xav muab Yexus tsa ua vajntxwv los mus tuaj xub cov nomtswv Loos. Cov nom tswv Loos xav tias Yexus tsuas yog ibtug nyuag "Rebel – *laib losyog tus siab tawv*" los mus tsim kev kub ntshov rau ub rau no kom tsis txhob muaj kev thajyeeb rau lawv haivneeg. (Show Mark 8:29).



Nej sim saib cov lus uas tibneeg xav tias Yexus yog lwmtus lawm yog lawv sawvdaws hais yuamkev tag lawm. Lawv tsis pom tias Yexus yog leejtwg tiag. Cia nej sim xav saib yog haistias, hnuv no Yexus los hais rau nej haistias, "But who do you say that I am – *nej haistias kuv yog leejtwg?*" (Malakaus 8:29). Koj yuav teb li cas? Ntshai coob leej ntau tus yuav teb yuamkev tag li yav tibneeg thaum ub thiab. Cov Muslim ntseeg tias Yexus yog ib tus xibhwb zoo li Mauxes thiab Mohammed. Yexus yeej siab tsis tshaj nws tsuas yog ib tus xibhwb xwb.

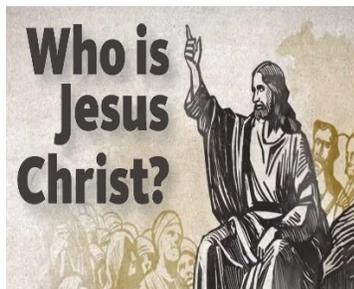
<https://spreadinghopeeverywheretalks.com/but-who-do-you-say-i-am-s2e16/>

(Show Rev. Moon, Jehovah's Witnesses, and Mormon)



Cov ntseeg hu Moonies ntseeg tias Yexus tsis yog tus Mexiyas, vim haistias nws twb pib tsis tau lub techaws nyob rau ntiajteb no li tus xibhwb suav Rev. Sung Myun Moon, uas yog lawv tus tswv. Cov ntseeg tus Xh. Moon hu nws ua lawv tus Mexiyas tshiab. Cov Jehovah's Witnesses "The Watch Tower" qhia tias Yexus tsis yog tus tseem Vajtswv, nws tsuas yog ib tus thib ob ntawm ntawm Vajtswv xwb, nws txojkev tuag twb theej tsis tau tibneeg txojkev txhaum. Cov Mormon "The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints" ntseeg tias Yexus muaj hwjchim vim Yexus ua haujlwm zoo. Yog li ntawd tibneeg yuavtsum ua haujlwm zoo tibneeg thiaj li tau mus nyob saum ntuj ceeb tsheej thiaj thiaj li hu nws tus kheej tias nws yog Vajtswv. (Show is Jesus?)

<https://jesus.pk/who-is-jesus/>

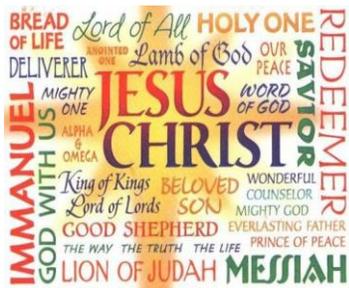


Yexus yog leejtwg? Yexus lub npe puas tseem ceeb? Koj xav li cas? Tswv Yexus tsis yog ib yam khoom es koj yuav muab coj los sib tw los yog lam tau lam hais thiab lam tau lam xav li ub li no. Yexus yog rau txojkev tuag thiab txojkev ciajsia - tau txojksia mus ib txhis los yog tau txojkev tuag mus ib txhis. Yog haistias Yexus yog Vajtswv tus Tub, tus Mexiyas, tus Cawmseej, ces koj yuavtsum paub tias nws yog leejtwg. Koj tsis tas yuav xav ntau yam tias xyov Yexus no tseem yog leejtwg thiab. Yog haistias Vajtswv txojkev zamtxim, txojkev muab tibneeg tig rov los muaj feem cuam tau txojksia rau ntawm Vajtswv tsuas yog los ntawm Tswv Yexus Khetos xwb ces ua li cas koj tseem yuav nug

lolus tias, "But who do you say that I am – *nej haistias kuv yog leejtwg?*" (Malakaus 8:29).

(Show the name of Jesus)

<https://thepreachersword.com/2015/03/27/its-friday-but-sundays-coming-jesus-is-lord-of-lords/>



Yexus yeej hais ntau zaug txog tias Khetos no yog leejtwg. Thaum hais txog cov Falixais, Yexus nug tias, "Nej xav li cas txog Khetos? Nws yog leejtwg tus tub?" Txhua lo uas Yexus nug, yog nws xav kom txhua tus paub tias nws yog leejtwg. Peb txhua leej txhua tus yuavtsum paub tias peb yuav teb li cas thiab thaum peb teb ntawd yuavtsum yog teb kom yog. Vim haistias yog Vajtswv, lo ntawd Nws Txojlus thiab nrog Vajntsujplig tus Dawbhuv yuav coj kom peb txhua tus txawj teb thiab thaum peb teb lawm nws yeej yuavtsum yog xwb vim nws coj peb los cuag nws tus kheej. (Show John 20:31)

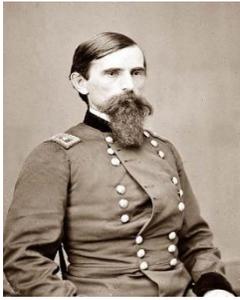
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Qhov tseeb yog qhia tshwm los ntawm Yexus uas yog tus Mexiyas, Nws coj peb los rau nws txojkev hlab thiab nws txojkev zamtxim los ntawm nws txoj koob txoj hmoov. Yog leejtwg tsis paub Yexus ces tus ntawd tseem yog tus raug cais ntawm Vajtswv thiab tseem poob zoo rau ntawm txojkev uas muaj kev txhaum. Yog koj paub thiab ntseeg Yexus ua koj tus Cawmseej lawm ces yog koj twb tau txojksia mus ib txhis lawm. Yexus tus thwjt看 Yauhas thiaj li sau haistias "But these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name – Tiamsis *tej uas sau rau*

*hauv phau ntawv no yog sau los qhia kom nej ntseeg hais tias Yexus yog tus Mexiyas uas yog Vajtswv tus Tub, txhua tus uas ntseeg Yexus yuav tau txojksia ntev dhawv mus ib txhis.*" (Yauhas 20:31).

III. Lew Wallace yog ib tus "General - *Naisphuum*" nyob rau the Union Army thaum Civil War. Nws tsis yog ib tus thawj tub rog zoo xwb tiamsis nws kuj txawj sau ntaub ntawv heev thiab. (Show Gen Lew Wallace) [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lew\\_Wallace](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lew_Wallace)



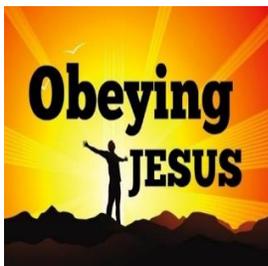
Muaj ib hnuv General Wallace thiab nws tus phoojywg nkawv tab tom caij ib lub "Train – *Tsheb Hlau*" ua ke. Nkawv tham txog Yexus lub neej. General Wallace haistias, "Yog muab Yexus lub neej los sau ua ib phau ntawv ntseg nws yuav zoo heev." Nws tus phoojywg hais rau General Wallace tias, "Koj thiaj li yog tus uas yuav sau tau." General Wallace xav tias nws yuav sau txog Yexus tias, Yexus yog ib tus tibneeg nws tsis yog Vajtswv uas muaj hwjchim li. Ces General Wallace pib sau nws phau ntawv. Thaum nws pib nws xav tias nws yuav muab Yexus nthuav tawm thiab rhuav kom sawvdaws pom tias Yexus no tsuas yog ib tus tibneeg xwb tsis yog Vajtswv. Thaum Wallace nyeem phau Vajluskub tag, nws haistias txojkev ua nws xav rhuav txog Yexus yog nws xav yuam kev lawm. Yog li ntawd General Wallace thiaj li lees thiab ntseeg tias Yexus yeej yog Vajtswv tus Tub tiag. Nws yog tus Mexiyas uas Vajtswv txib los theej lub ntiajteb txojkev txhaum thiab cawm tibneeg ntiajteb. Yog li ntawd Wallace thiaj li sau nws phau ntawv. (Show Beb-Hur) <https://www.critikat.com/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/>



Nws tsis yog yuav sau nws phau ntawv los thuum txog Yexus tiamsis nws sau los qhia tias Yexus yog tus Cawmseej uas Vajtswv coglus tseg lawm tiag. Phau ntawv no muaj lub npe "Ben-Hur." Phau ntawv no dhau los luam tawm thooob plaws ntiajteb thiab Hollywood tseem muab coj los ua zaj "Movie – *Yeeb Yajkiab*" uas yog starting Charlton Heston. Thaum thawj General Wallace tsi paub tias Yexus no yog leejtwg, tiamsis thaum nws nyeem Vajtswv phau ntawv tas, nws teb lolus nug tias, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Christ – *Tiamsis nej ne, nej haistias kuv yog leejtwg?*" *Petus teb nws haistias, "Koj yog tus Khetos."* (Malakaus 8:29). Thaum uas Petus teb Yexus tias, "You are the Christ – *Koj yog Khetos,*" Yexus pib qhia rau lawv dawvdaws tias nws yuav raug kev tsimtxom thiab tuag. (Show Mark 8:31) <https://dailyverse.knowing-jesus.com/mark-8-31>



Malakaus sau tias "And he began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders and the chief priests and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again – *Thiab nws pib qhia rau cov thwjtim hais tias, Neeg Leejtub yuav raug tsimtxom ntau yam. Cov txwjlaug, cov thawj ntawm cov povthawj thiab cov xibhwb uas qhia vajtswv txoj kevcai yuav tsis lees yuav nws. Lawv yuav muab nws tua povtseg tiamsis tom qab ntawd peb hnuv nws yuav sawv hauv qhov tuag rov qab los.*" (Malakaus 8:31). Cov lus no tseem ceeb heev vim haistias Yexus yuav los ua li ntawd. (Show obeying Jesus)



Yexus tsis yog xav kom tibneeg paub tias nws yog leejtwg xwb, tiamsis xav kom tibneeg paub tias nws ua dabtsi rau tibneeg lawm. Nws los ua nws lub neej yog ua lub neej tso plhuav txhua yam "Obedient to God – *Mloog Vajtswv Lus*" vim haistias peb yeej ua tsis tau li, nws thiaj li muab nws txojtsia mus ua rau peb thiab theej tibneeg txojkev txhaum rau saum tus ntoo khaublig rau txhua tus tibneeg lub txim. Nws los ua tibneeg ib yam li koj thiab kuv, nws thiaj li los hloov tau peb qhov chaw. Nws yog Vajtswv, tsuas yog Vajtswv thiaj li muab lub ntiajteb no tig tau rov los muaj feem cuam tau rau ntawm Vajtswv, Vajtswv thiaj li tsis suav peb txojkev txhaum uas yog lub txim rau tibneeg ntiajteb lawm. Cov kwvtij hlub thiab movtshua, "Koj ne, koj haistias Yexus yog leejtwg?" Kuv cia siab haistias, koj yuav haistias, "You are the Christ – *Koj yog Khetos.*" Tus siab ntau kawg nkaus tias tshuav tibneeg coob kawg nkaus hauv ntiajteb tsis tau paub teb Yexus lolus nug no. Tiamsis cia peb ua Vajtswv tsaug tias Vajtswv twb tau qhib txojkev rau peb ntseeg thiab cia siab rau nws thiab paub lawm tias Yexus yog ntiajteb tus Cawmseej. Peb thiaj li hais ibyam li Petus haistias, "You are the Christ – *Koj yog Khetos.*" Asmees. Thov kom Vajtswv Txojlus pub rau peb sawvdaws totaub rau ntawm Tswv Yexus Khetos. Peb txhuatus uas yog Vajtswv cov menyuum peb sawvdaws hais: Asmees