

# Chivkeeb/Genesis

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## Zaajqha 41 – Chivkeeb Tshooj 40

“Npausuav Xwb!”  
**“It Is Only a Dream!”**

Muaj ob tug tuabneeg kws kuv paub. Ib tug mas nwg npausuav txhua mo. Txhua taagkig nwg sawv lug thaam nwg tej npausuav rua suavdlawg noog. Nwg ncu tau meej cuag le tshwmsim tseeb. Nwg ncu txhua lu lug kws nwg has lossis lwm has huv zaaj npausuav. Tabsis kuv paub ib tug tuabneeg kws nwg tsi npausuav ib zag le. Thaum lwm tug thaam txug npausuav mas nwg tseem nug tas, “Es npausuav nua yog zoo le caag? Yug pum leejtwg hab pum dlaabtsi huv npausuav? Kuv le kuv tsi ncu has tas kuv tau ua npausuav ib zag le.”

Has txug npausuav mas muaj ob hom tuabneeg hab. Muaj ib hom mas ntseeg npausuav heev le. Thaum npausuav zoo mas nwg kaaj sab heev hab togrhw seb nwg zaaj npausuav yuav tshwmsim lug ua qhov tseeb nub twg xwb. Thaum npausuav phem mas nwg ntxhuv sab heev hab tsi pum qaab ua neej le. Tabsis muaj ib hom tuabneeg mas tsi muab kev npausuav ua qhov tseemceeb le. Npausuav phem hab zoo los tsi txob puab le, puab tub tsi thaam rua leejtwg noog le hab.

Yauxej yog ib tug tuabneeg kws pheed muaj kev npausuav. Nwg kuj yog ib tug txawj txhais npausuav hab. Koj nyeem kuas taagnrho Chivkeeb tshooj 40, uantej koj teb cov lug nug nuav.

*I know two different persons. One was a dreamer. He dreamed almost every night. Every morning, he would get up and tell his dreams to others. He remembered the dreams in details, including who said what to whom. But I knew another person who admitted that he never dreamed. He asked, “What is dream? In the dream whom do you see and what do you see? I remember that I never have a dream.”*

*Speaking about dreams, people would naturally divide into two groups. One group believes dreams. If they have good dreams, they are happy and anxiously anticipating what reality the dreams will bring. If they have bad dreams, they become unhappy, sad, and not knowing how to live. But on the other hand, there are people who don’t believe dreams. They don’t consider dreams important. Even if they have bad dream, it would not bother them. They don’t even talk about it or tell anyone about it.*

*Joseph was a young man who dreamed often. He also knew how to interpret dreams.*

Read the whole chapter of Genesis 40, before answer these questions.

1. Nyeem nqai 1-8, hab xaav txug ib zaaj npausuav kws koj muaj – zaaj kws koj ncu tau zoo tshaaj – kws ua rua koj zoo sab heev lossis nyuaj sab heev. Koj qha zaaj npuasuv ntawd rua leejtwg? Leejtwg yog tug txhais zaaj npausuav ntawd rua koj? Zaaj npausuav puas tshwm lug ua qhov tseeb? Yog tshwmsim nua tshwm le caag?

*Read verses 1-8, and think about one of the dreams that you have had – the one that you remember well – which either made you happy or unhappy. Did you tell someone about it? Who interpreted that dream for you? Did the dream ever come true? If it did, what was the result of the dream?*

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2. Nyeem nqai 9-19. Yog koj muaj ib zaaj npausuav phem le tug thawj ci ncuav zaaj, hab muaj tuabneeg txhais koj zaaj npausuav moog rua qhov tsi zoo le kws Yauxej txhais, koj yuav xaav le caag lossis ua le caag?

*Read verses 9-19. If you had a bad dream like that of the chief baker and someone interprets your dream similar to what Joseph did, imagine what would be your emotions or actions.*

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3. Nyeem nqai 14-15 hab nqai 23. Yog muaj tuabneeg thov kuas yug paab ib yaam dlaabtsi, yug teb has tas yuav paab, tabsis cale novqaab lawm, luas yuav xaav le caag rua yug?

*Read verses 14-15 and verse 23. When someone asked you to do something for him/her, and you have said yes, but you completely forgot it, what do you think that person will think about you?*

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4. Nyeem nqai 20-22 hab tomqaab ntawd moog nyeem Mathais 14:1-14, koj yuav pum tas thaum txug Falaus nub yug, tug thawj ci ncuav raug txav cejdlaab, hab thaum txug Helauj nub yug, Yauhas raug txav cejdlaab. Koj xaav le caag txug peb tej koobtsheej nubug? Puas zoo rua peb ua los tsi zoo? Qhov zoo yog qhovtwg hab qhov tsi zoo yog qhovtwg?

*Read verses 20-22 and then turn to Matthew 14, read verses 1-12, and you will see that when Pharaoh's birthday was celebrated, the chief baker was beheaded, and when celebrating Herod's birthday, John the Baptist was beheaded. What do you think about our own birthdays? Is it good for us to celebrate birthday? What is good and what is not?*

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Nyob huv Vaajlugkub Qub, peb pum tas kev npausuav tshwmsim ntau. Chivkeeb tshooj 37 has txug Yauxej ob zaaj npausuav. Chivkeeb tshooj 28 has txug Yakhaus ua npausuav. Hab nyob huv phoo Danias los peb pum tas vaajntxwv los ua npausuav hab Danias tugkheej los kuj pheej ua npausuav. Nyob huv Teev Npe 12:6, Vaajtswv has le nuav: *"Thaum muaj Tug Tswv ib tug cev lug nrug mej nyob, Kuv yuav qha Kuv tugkheej rua nwg lug ntawm kev ua yugtoog; Kuv yuav has lug rua nwg lug ntawm kev npausuav."*

Nyob huv Vaajlugkub Tshab los kuj muaj ntau nqai kws has txug Vaajtswv has lug rua tuabneeg ntawm kev npausuav (Mathais 1:20; 2:12, 13, 20, 22; 27:19; Teg Num 2:17). Txawm le ntawd los tsi muaj ib nqai Vaajlugkub kws qha peb tas txhua zaaj npausuav puavleej yog Vaajtswv has lug rua noobneej, hab tsi muaj ib nqai kws ceebtoom tsi pub peb ntseeg ntseeg. Dluale, kuj tsi muaj ib nqai Vaajlugkub kws qha peb txhais npausuav. Peb tej npausuav los feem ntau yeej tsi tshwmsim dlaabtsi hlo le. Vim le ntawd Moob txhaj pheej has tas, "Npau suav xwb es!" Lossis, "Noj tsau npausuav ntau."

Paub yaav tomntej ua rua yug nyuaj sab dlua le kws tsi paub. Yogle, ca peb tso sab rua Vaajtswv ua tug coj es xob zoo sab lossis ntshai kev npausuav.