

CHIVKEEB/GENESIS

Zajqhia 15 – Chivkeeb Tshooj 17

Rov Muaj Kev Cia Siab Dua Hope Renewed

Thaum yus tos ib yam dabtsi ntev-ntev tabsis pheej tsis tau yam ntawd ces yus ua ib siab lawm. Uantej yus yuav rovqab muaj kev cia siab dua yuavtsum yog muaj tus rovqab los coglus dua hais tias yus tseem yuav tau yam uas yus tos-tos ntawd.

Thaum Anplas tawm pem Halas, tebchaws Xilias los rau tebchaws Kana-as, nws muaj hnuvnyoog 75 xyoos. Vajtswv coglus tias nws yuav muaj tub muaj ki thiab dhau mus ua ib haiv neeg coob heev. Thaum nws yuav tus ntxhais qhev Hankas ua niam yau thiab yug tus tub Yisamayees, Anplas muaj hnuvnyoog 86 xyoo. Chivkeeb tshooj 17 no qhia peb tias Anplas twb muaj hnuvnyoog 99 xyoos lawm, tabsis nws pojniam Xalais tseem tsis tau muaj ib tug menyuum li. Zaum no Vajtswv rov los ntsib Anplas ib zaug ntxiv ua zaum kawg, uantej Xalais yuav xeeb tub.

Nyeem kom tagrho Chivkeeb tshooj 17, uantej teb cov lus nug no.

When we expect something for so long, we tend to lose hope. Before our hope can be renewed, we need reconfirmation that what we hope for is still coming.

When Abram left Haran in Syria to Canaan, he was seventy-five years old. God promised that he will have children and become a great nation. When he married his wife's slave girl and she gave birth to Ishmael, Abram was eighty-six years old. Now in Genesis chapter 17, we read that Abram has turned 99 years old and his wife Sarai was still childless. But now, God appeared to him again to reconfirm that his wife Sarai will certainly conceive and give birth to a son.

Read the whole chapter of Genesis 17 before answering these questions.

1. Yog ua cas Vajtswv thiaj hloov npe rau Anplas thiab nws pojniam? (Nqe 4-4 thiab 15-16).

What were the reasons God changed Abram's name and the name of his wife? (Verses 4-8 and 15-16).

2. Vajtswv hais kom Anplahas ua dabtsi nws thiab nws cov xeebntxwv thiaj yuav dhau mus ua Vajtswv haiv neeg tiag? (Nqe 9-14).

What kind of covenant did God give to Abraham? (Verses 9-14).

3. Anplas tseem tsis tau ntseeg txaus. Nws tawm suab hais tias kom Vajtswv foom hmoov rau nws niamyau tus tub Yisamayees xwb. Vajtswv coglus li cas rau Anplahas thiab hais li cas txog nws ob tug tub lub neej tomntej? (Nqe 17-22).

Abraham was still unconvinced. He proposed that Ishmael who was born by the slave girl be the one to receive God's blessing. What promise did God give Abraham, and what would be the future of his two sons? (Verses 17-22).

4. Los ntawm txoj kev ntseeg, Anplahas tau ua li cas? (Nqe 23-27).

Having been convinced, what action did Abraham take to complete the covenant with God? (Verses 23-27).

5. Nqe Vajluskub twg yog nqe uas koj suav hais tias yog Vajtswv coglus rau koj

thiab Vajtswv twb ua tiav raws li nqe Vajluskub ntawd rau koj lawm?

What Bible verse that you considered as God making a promise to you and that He has fulfilled it?

Nyob hauv Yauhas 8:44, Tswv Yexus cem cov Yixalayeas uas tsis ntseeg Nws hais tias:

“Nej yog nej txiv Ntxwjnyoog cov menyuam thiab nej xav ua raws li nej txiv lub siab nyiam. Nws yog tus tua neeg thaum chivkeeb los, nws tsis tuav qhov tseeb vim tsis muaj qhov tseeb nyob hauv nws. Thaum nws dag yog nws hais nws yam lus, vim nws yog leejtxiv ntawm txoj kev dag.”

Vajtswv yog qhov tseeb. Yexus uas yog Vajtswv tus tub yog tus tseeb. Nyob hauv Yauhas 14:6, Tswv Yexus hais tias, “Kuv yog txoj kev, yog qhov tseeb thiab yog txoj siab.” Vim Vajtswv yog qhov tseeb, Nws hais dabtsi los Nws hais qhov tseeb thiab Nws ua raws nraim li Nws hais. Vajtswv cog lus rau Anplajas li cas Vajtswv yeej ua kom tiav li ntawd. Tej yam uas Vajtswv ho coglus rau peb los Vajtswv yeej yuav ua kom tiav ib yam nkaus.

Vajtswv coglus rau peb hais tias yog peb ntseeg Nws ces Nws yuav pub peb muaj cai los ua Nws cov menyuam (Yauhas 1:12). Koj puas tau ntseeg Vajtswv? Yog koj ntseeg ces Vajtswv twb muab cai rau koj los ua Vajtswv cov menyuam lawm.