3E SEGREGATION REACTIONS SPEECHES MALCOLM X

Watch the video

Reading Comprehension / Compréhension écrite

And now, watch and listen to another trailer of another biopic called : Ali. The movie is about Muhammad Ali (or also called Cassius Clay, the famous black American boxer) starred by Will Smith. And you're going to hear another speech from MalcomX.

(Bande annonce du film ALI sur la vie du boxeur Mohammed Ali / Cassius Clay sur fond de DISCOURS de MALCOLM X)

And then, read the script: *(et maintenant, lisez le script du discours)*

*Those of you who came here today to hear us tell you like these **Negro leaders** do that your times will just get better, that **we shall overcome*** .. someday.. *(* triompher)*
I say to you , you came to the wrong place because your times will never get better unless (à moins que) YOU make them better.*

*Those of you who came here to hear us to tell you **to turn the other cheek*** (joue) to the brutality of the white man and this system of injustice that's in place right here in America, you think you're going to come right here and hear us tell you to go out there and **beg*** (supplier) **for a place at their lunch counter*** (comptoir de cafétéria), again I say you came to the wrong place.*

We don't teach you to turn the other cheek . We don't teach you to turn the other cheek in the South. We don't teach you to turn the other cheek in the North.

*The Honorable **Elijah Muhammad** teaches you to obey the law to carry yourselves* (se comporter) in a respectful way, in a proud* (fier) Afro American way. But at the same time, we teach you that anyone puts their hand on you, brother you do your best to see* (pour veiller à ..) they don't put their hand on anybody else again .*

1) Link to an exercise on Learning apps about **the Allusions or References** in his speech : LINK
(cliquez sur le lien de l'exercice sur les allusions ou références contenues dans son discours)

2) 2 leaders and 2 different "philosophies" (but same violent death …) Who said what ? MLK or Malcolm X ?
(D'après ce que vous connaissez de ces 2 leaders : qui a pu dire ces phrases ? MLK ou Malcolm X?)

"Be peaceful, be courteous, obey the law, respect everyone; but if someone puts his hand on you, send him to the cemetery."

"Our objective is complete freedom, justice and equality by any means necessary".

So early in my life, I had learned that if you want something, you had better make some noise.

"You can kill the dreamer, but you can't kill the dream."

"We will not resort to violence. We will not degrade ourselves with hatred.

"If we do an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth, we will be a blind and toothless nation."

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