

# [***FACT CHECK: Does This Video Show Biden Plagiarizing Hillary Clinton?; The quote stems from a gospel song***](https://advance.lexis.com/api/document?collection=news&id=urn:contentItem:6BKY-2R01-DXXD-70D7-00000-00&context=1516831)

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A post [*shared on social media*](https://www.instagram.com/reel/C2gXmv1RVqY) purports that President Joe Biden plagiarized former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton during a recent speech.

View this post on Instagram [*A post shared by Gerald mcneal (@mcneal\_gerald)*](https://www.instagram.com/reel/C2gXmv1RVqY/?utm_source=ig_embed&utm_campaign=loading)

**Verdict: False**

The claim is inaccurate. The quote stems from a gospel song.

**Fact Check:**

Biden will be meeting with Israel Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu as reports indicate Israel is preparing a ground invasion of Rafah. [*NBC News*](https://www.nbcnews.com/politics/white-house/biden-speak-netanyahu-escalating-tensions-us-israel-relationship-rcna143858) reports that Biden has warned Netanyahu not to invade without a plan to protect civilians.

A post shared on Instagram shows two videos of Clinton and Biden. They both were saying the same remarks saying, “I've come too far from where I started from, Nobody told me that the road would be easy, I don't believe He brought me this far to leave me.” The caption reads, “All scripts and copied all fake.”

The claim is inaccurate. There is no [*credible news report*](https://leadstories.com/hoax-alert/2024/03/fact-check-video-is-not-proof-of-joe-biden-and-hillary-clinton-plagiarizing-each-other.html) that suggests this video shows Biden plagiarizing Clinton. Biden gave this speech in [*Jan. 8, 2024*](https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/speeches-remarks/2024/01/08/remarks-by-president-biden-at-a-political-event-charleston-sc/). Biden was quoting James Cleveland's gospel song “[*I Don't Feel Noways Tired*](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cTYdy6-fQ4w).” Biden quoted the song saying, “And as the gospel song sings.”

Clinton in a [*March 4, 2007*](https://www.c-span.org/video/?c5110370/user-clip-clinton) speech also quoted the same source. She also attributed the words to the song, saying, “Let us say with one voice the words of James Cleveland's great freedom Hymn.” [***(RELATED: Fact Checking Biden's Recent Claims About Wage Growth, Inflation)***](https://checkyourfact.com/2024/02/23/fact-check-biden-wage-growth-inflation/)

Biden has faced plagiarism accusations before. Reporting indicates that a Harvard graduate Roger Severino accused Biden of failing to credit Judge Diana Gribbon Motz in an essay that Biden wrote while he was a [*Senator*](https://nypost.com/2023/09/08/harvard-law-grad-accuses-biden-of-plagiarism/).

This is not the first time misinformation has been shared online. Check Your Fact [*debunked*](https://checkyourfact.com/2024/03/08/fact-check-simulated-odysseus-lunar-landing/) a claim that the recent Odysseus moon landing was faked.

**Graphic**

U.S. President Joe Biden speaks during his visit to the U.S.-Mexico border in Brownsville, Texas, U.S., February 29, 2024. REUTERS/Kevin Lamarque

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