#### Claim

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This image shows a screenshot of an authentic Charlie Hebdo magazine cover from March 20, 2025 illustrating Ukrainian President Volodoymr Zelenskyy lying in a coffin and saying 'Ukraine is an independet state' in French."

## **Actions**

web\_search("Charlie Hebdo March 20 2025 Zelenskyy coffin")

### **Evidence**

### Evidence from web\_search

The search results indicate that the Charlie Hebdo cover featuring Zelenskyy in a coffin is a fabrication. Myth Detector (Source) and without-lie.info (Source) both confirm the image's inauthenticity, with the latter specifying a publication date of March 20, 2025, and serial number 1705. Aol.com (Source) also confirms the image is fake, citing confirmation from a Charlie Hebdo journalist.

The image of the fake cover is provided in the articles.







## **Elaboration**

The evidence confirms that the Charlie Hebdo cover featuring Zelenskyy in a coffin is a fabrication. Multiple sources, including Myth Detector ([https://mythdetector.com/en/coffin-was-not-published-by-charlie-hebdo/]), without-lie.info ([https://without-lie.info/en/fake-with-another-fictional-cover-of-charlie-hebdo-magazine-with-a-caricature-of-the-president-of-ukraine/]), and aol.com ([https://www.aol.com/fact-check-charlie-hebdo-

magazine-151901301.html]), explicitly state the image's inauthenticity.

The sources also provide the publication date (March 20, 2025) and serial number (1705) of the fake cover. Aol.com further supports this by citing confirmation from a Charlie Hebdo journalist.

# **Final Judgement**

The claim is demonstrably false. Multiple reliable sources confirm that the Charlie Hebdo cover depicting Zelenskyy in a coffin is a fabrication.

false

**Verdict: FALSE** 

#### **Justification**

The image of the Charlie Hebdo cover featuring Zelenskyy in a coffin is a fabrication, as confirmed by multiple fact-checking sources, including Myth Detector ([https://mythdetector.com/en/coffin-was-not-published-by-charlie-hebdo/]), without-lie.info ([https://without-lie.info/en/fake-with-another-fictional-cover-of-charlie-hebdo-magazine-with-a-caricature-of-the-president-of-ukraine/]), and aol.com ([https://www.aol.com/fact-check-charlie-hebdo-magazine-151901301.html]).