Dear Editor

I read with interest article by Yakovlev et al. Multimodality imaging of a left ventricular mass (1, 2) published in Heart, Vessels and Transplantation. Authors suggested that left ventricular (LV) mass might be either papillary fibroelastoma or myxoma. I had similar patient older than 65 years old with myxoma with peduncle in right ventricle. I think that the LV mass in the presented quiz is a myxoma. The structure of mass, in my opinion, is soft, jelly-like, cellular, easily changes shape when LV contracts. It seemed to be on a peduncle, originating from the apex, from the top, although I definitely cannot be certain. The local and global contractility of LV is preserved, which is also speaks not for a thrombus. And, lastly, is it worth pointing out, mine many years of experience and practical observation of patients with myxoma and LV thrombosis, says more for myxoma.

Sincerely

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