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Mphattuwelo

Upattusiya wo citthu cothene.

1 Wuupaceroni Nluku hopattusa irimu ni itthaya. ²Ilapo yaari yoohinnanna ni yoohitthu; ipiphi yahokhuneela ipahari ni Nnepa wa Nluku wanaweettakaca waculu maasi. ³Ni Nluku aheera: Ukhale waarya, ni uhokhala waarya. ⁴Nluku ahoona wiira waarya uri wooreera, phimaana ahokawaniha waarya ni ipiphi. ⁵Nluku aheehana waarya nwe uthana, nuuripela nwe aheehana uhiyu. Wahela nuusa; nno naari nihuku noopacera.

⁶Wahoolo Nluku aheera tho: Iriyari yo maasi nikhale nlaka ninhala ukawaniha maasi wawaya wawaya. ⁷Vano Nluku ahopanka nlaka ni ahokawanihaca maasi yari vathi ni ale yaari uculu. Ni commo waheerannyyaa. ⁸Nlaka nno Nluku aheehana irimu. Waheela nuusa; nno naari nihuku nonayeeli.

⁹Vaavale Nluku aheera: Maasi ari vathi waya irimu, athukumane nipuro nimoca, ikhale itthaya yowuuma. Ni commo waheerannyyaa. ¹⁰Mphantte wo wuuma Nluku aheehana itthaya, ni nthukumano wo maasi aheehana ipahari. Ni Nluku ahoona wiira wari wooreera. ¹¹Vano Nluku aheera: Itthaya yothene ikhuneeliye ni itakhwa, maphumpulu ni miri cimmaha mihokorokho ni ipyo co khula nnanna. Ni commo waheerannyyaa. ¹²Itthaya yahomela itakhwa jaarina maphunpulu o khula nnanna. Ni miri cowiima cavaha inuku co khula nnanna. Nluku ahoona wiira wari wooreera. ¹³Waheela nuusa; nno naari nihuku noneeraru.

¹⁴Nluku aheera: Cikhale imwaleelo wirimu wiira cikawanihe uthana ni uhiyu. Wiira cikhale cenny nthonnyero

wo ukati, mahuku ni myakha, ¹⁵ni cikhale coomwaleela wirimu ni vathi. Ni commo waheerannyyaa. ¹⁶Nluku ahopanka imwaleelo piili cuulupale; imwaleelo yuulupale iyo wiira ilamulele uthana ni yankani iyo wiira ilamulele uhiyu. Ciicammo ahopanka itthoottwa cinci. ¹⁷Nluku aheesa cenny wanlakani no wirimu wiira cimwaleele itthaya, ¹⁸cilamulele uthana ni uhiyu, ni cikawanihe waarya ni ipiphi ni Nluku ahoona wiira wari wooreera. ¹⁹Wahovira ucoocilo ni wicisu; nno naari nihuku noneecese.

²⁰Ciicammo Nluku aheera: Mmaasini mmo akhale makoto onama coomumula, ni iriyariru irimu ni itthaya avaave asaanuni. ²¹Commo Nluku ahopattusa inama cuulupale co mpahari ni inama cikhwawe coomumula cinkhala mpharya co khula nnanna, ni asaanuni othene o khula nnanna. Ni Nluku ahoona wiira wari wooreera. ²²Vano Nluku ahoreeriha eeraka: Ntotholane ni muncereranyee! Ncare mmasini o mpahari! Ni inuni citotholane vathi va! ²³Waheela nuusa; nno naari nihuku noneethanu.

²⁴Ni vaavale Nluku aheera: Itthaya ikhale inama cikumi co khula nnanna; nhuwo ni inama contakhwani ni masene o mwiilaponi, o khula nnanna. Ni commo waheerannyyaa. ²⁵Nluku ahopanka masene o khula nnanna, nhuwo wo khula nnanna, ni inama cineepurula co mwiilaponi co khula nnanna. Ni Nluku ahoona wiira wari wooreera.

²⁶Vano Nluku aheera; nimpanke ntthu oolattana ni hi ni ookhala toko hii. Uyo alamulele ihopa cothene co mpahari, inuni cothene co wirimu ni inama cothene cuulupale co mwiilaponi, ni inama cothene cikani cineepurula vathi. ²⁷Nluku ahompattusa ntthu oonlattana naawe oolattana ni Nluku

ahompattusa; nlopwana ni nthiyana phaapattusilyawe.

²⁸Nluku ahaareerihaca, ni aheerelaca: Ntotholane ni muncereranyee! Ncare ni mmwareele ilapo yothene! Nlamulele ihopa cothene co mpahari, inuni cothene co wirimu ni inama cothene cineetta vathi. ²⁹Nluku aheera tho: Kinawuuvaaha miri cothene cowiima cimenle ilapo yothene ni cinvaha ipyo, ni miri cothene cinvaha mihokorokho ni inuku. Cennyoyu cinwookhala coolya cinyu. ³⁰Ni kinawuvahani mataakhuru othene wiira akhale yoolya eenyu mpaka ciicammo inama cothene cirina ukumi: inama cothene cuulupale co mwiilaponi, ni inuni cothene co wirimu ni inama cothene cineettakaca ilapo yo vathi. Ni commo waheeranya.

³¹Phimaana Nluku hoona wiira citthu cothene cipankilyawe, ciri cooreera venci cinenne. Wahela nuusa; nno naari nihuku nonasiita.

2 Commo, cahomala upankiya irimu ni itthaya ni citthu cothene ciriwo. ²Nluku namalihilene uvara miteko cothene carinawe, nihuku noonasaapa ahomumula. ³Nluku ahoreeriha nihuku nonasaapa ni ahottakattifiha, kontha nenno nihuku nno ahomumulela miteko cothene cavanryawe waapattusawe ilapo.

Mphattuwelo orimu ni itthaya

⁴Nnya phicookhumelela cinttonka cinryaya woopattusiyaya irimu ni itthaya, ukati Apwiya Nluku waapattusilyaya itthaya ni irimu. ⁵Naari nihinamela niphumpulu, ni hata mwiri mmoca mwiilaponi, kontha Apwiya Nluku yaari ahinawaana ipula ilapo yothene yo vathi, ni ciicammo khaariwo nthu oolima itthaya iyo. ⁶Maasi yanacekuwa vathi phimiceraka ilapo yothene.

⁷Vano Apwiya Nluku yahomuumpa nthu ni nthupi notthaya ni yahom-

mucelela mphulani iphumu cookumi, ni nthu ule ahothatuwa nkumi.

⁸Vaavale, Apwiya Nluku yahopanka iluwani yo Eeteni yaari mphantte un-kela ncuwa, ni yahomweesa nthu yampankilyaya. ⁹Wahoolo, Apwiya Nluku yahomeliha itthaya yothene miri co khula nnana, cooreera wa miithoni ni coociva ulya. Ni wariyari iluwani wa-haawo mwiri wookumi ni mwiri nkina uncuweliha yooreera ni yoonanara.

¹⁰UEeteni wahophattuwa mooloko waamicera iluwani. Ni uhooloro nwo wahekawanihaca nuukhala myoloko micese. ¹¹Mooloko woopacera uyo uneehaninya Pisomi. Uvinre ilapo yothene yo Havila, uri iwooru. ¹²Iwooru yo yeeyo ilapo iyo iri yooreera; ciicammo, wonwo haawo lumpani ni maluku ocaayira. ¹³Wonayeeli uvinre ilapo yothene yo Kuusi uneehaninya Kihoni. ¹⁴Woneeraru uvinre mphantte unkhuma ncuwa weemelaka ilapo yo Usiiriya, uneehaninya Tikire; ni woneecece uneehaninya Ufarati.

¹⁵Apwiya Nluku yahomweesa nthu iluwani yo Eeteni wiira awehawehe ni alime. ¹⁶Vano Apwiya Nluku yahonlamulela nthu yiiraka: Ulyeeke wootthunawaa mihokorokho cothene ciri nluwani mmo, ¹⁷nanso uhilye nhokorokho wo mwiri uncuweliha yooreera ni yoonanara, kontha nihuku ninhalaa ulya, khweeli unaakhwa.

¹⁸Wahoolo, Apwiya Nluku yahoolumaca yiiraka, khawanreera nlopwana ukhala veekha. Kinaampankela oonkavihera wiira amwiiwanane. ¹⁹Vano noompileene itthaya ni inama cothene co ntakhwani, ni asaanuni othene ooculu, Apwiya Nluku yahomwiihera nlopwana ule, wiira amoone caahalawe wiihana, ni wo khula ncina nivahilyawe nlopwana, khula itthu yoomumula, nenno phiri ncina naya. ²⁰Phimaana

nlopwana ule hovaha macina mihuwo cothene, asaanuni ooculu ni inama cothene contakhwani. Nanso Attamu khaaphwanye oonkavihera wiira amwiiwanane.

²¹Vano Apwiya Nluku yahonvaha ikhove cinci nlopwana ule, ni waaru-pawe vaa yahonkumiha niparari nimoca nuuttiya neno nipuro nno ni ithayi. ²²Niparari nakumihiyawe nlopwana ule, Apwiya Nluku yahompanka nthiyana nunrwehela nlopwana. ²³Vano nlopwana aheera:

Khweeli nna nikhuva no makhuva aka ni ithayi yothayi aka!

Ula nohala wiihaninya nthiyana, kontha khumile mwa nlopwana.

²⁴Phimaana nlopwana haana aahiyaka athumwane ni anumwane aluttaanaka na amwaarawe, ni oyeeli ankhala irutthu imoca.

²⁵Nlopwana na amwaarawe yaakhala woohiwara nanso khayoonelana ihaaya.

Itampi yoopacera

3 Yooyo ukati uyo inwaa phaari yotepa ulavilavi wopwaha cikhwamwe capankilyaya Apwiya. Inwaa yahaakoha athiyana yiiraka: Nluku phinryawe ciicammo, wiira nhilye mihokhorokho cothene ciri nluwani? ²Vano athiyana yahaakhula yiiraka: Mihokhorokho co miri ciri nluwani niireliye nilyeke, ³nanso nhokhorokho wo mwiri uri iriyari iluwani, Nluku eenre nhilye, ni nhikwanyakwanye wiira nhikwe.

⁴Vano inwaa yaheerela athiyana ale: Khweeli khannokhwa. ⁵Kontha Nluku naacuwela wiira, nihuku ninhaleenyu ulya, anawuhulyani miitho enyu nuukhala toko Nluku, nuupacera ucuwela yooreera ni yoonanara.

⁶Woonyaya athiyana wiira mwiri ule uri wooreera ulya ni woociva

wamiithoni, ni mwiri woophwanela uvaha ankhili, yahorukula nhokorokho aya ni ulya, ni ciicammo yahaavaha awaanyaya nayo yaholya. ⁷Phimaana oyeeli yahotthukuwa miitho aya ni yahopacera ucuwela wiira ari phwitipwiti. Yahottotthanihaca matakuru o mwiri ni yahowaraca. ⁸Wathekuwaya ncuwa, yaheewa uwuka wophyoo wawaaya Apwiya Nluku weetakaca nluwani. Vano nlopwana wamoca na amwaarawe yaheepithaca Apwiya Nluku mmirini co nluwani. ⁹Vaavale Apwiya Nluku yahomwiihana nlopwana ule yiiraka: Uri vayi?

¹⁰Ule ahaakhula: Kihowiiwa uwuka wophyoo yawinyu nluwani, vano mi kichoova, kontha kiri pwitipwiti phimaana wiipithilyaka.

¹¹Ni Nluku ahonkoha: Tipani uthonyenre wiira uri pwitipwiti? Uholya nhokhorokho wo mwiri uwirenlyaka wiira uhilye?

¹²Vano nlopwana ule ahaakhula eeraka: Athiyana akivahilyaa ayo wiira akhale nkhwaa, yaayo phikivahile mi nhokorokho uyo, ni kiholya.

¹³Apwiya Nluku yahaakoha athiyana ale: Nyu mpankacenreni ciicammo? Athiyana ale yahaakhula yiiraka: Inwaa phikithepile, ni mi kiholya.

¹⁴Phimaana Apwiya Nluku yaheerela inwaa: Upanka waa commo, kihoolapha wopwaha mihuwo cothene ni inama cothene co ntakhwani, unhala weetela wamirimani, ni yoolyaa inhala ukhala ntthupi mahuku othene ookumi aa. ¹⁵Ni wariyari waa we ni athiyana ayo, ni wariyari wo ucuulu aa we ni ucuulu wa nthiyana uyo, kinaweesa umwiinani. Yooyo ucuulu uyo unaahala wuurakaliha muru we, ni we unkoorakaliha ikottokottho aya. ¹⁶Vano Apwiya yaheerela athiyana ale:

Kinawuuncerera coowerya cinyu ukati unkeelenyu ukhala ni irukulu;

ni ukati wooyara nnokowoona uwerya; nyu nnokoophavela waapwaha awannyu nanso ayo phinhala wuulamulani.

¹⁷ Vano Apwiya yahomwiirela Atamu: Ukhala wiira we uheewelega amwaaraa, ni uholya nhokhorokho wawiirenyaka uhilye,

iholaphyaa itthaya iyo mwanlattu wawaa we;

muuhuvani unarwaa weelihe mahuku othene ookumi aa.

¹⁸ Itthaya iyo inkomeela miiwa ni malasi,

ni we unkoolya matakuru o ntakhwani.

¹⁹ Ni unhala ulya ni ntukuttha nomwirutthuni mwa,

mpaka wanhalaa uturuwela wathayani; kontha we wuupiye ni itthaya, nna va uri ntthupi,

ni unaturuwela ukhala ntthupi.

²⁰ Vaavale nlopwana ule ahaavaha amwaarawe ayo ncina na Hawa; kontha ayo yaari anumwanaya atthu othene.

²¹ Vano Apwiya Nluku, yahompakela nlopwana ule na amwaarawe ikuwo co nrapala ni yahaawarihaca.

²² Wahoolo Apwiya Nluku yaheera: Nkoonani, ntthu ula ri toko hii, naacuwela yooreera ni yoonanara; vano wiira hitaphule ntata nawe, ciicammo arukulaka nhokorokho womwiri wookumi, alyaka nukhala wohikhwa.

²³ Apwiya Nluku, yahoomola ule nluwani yo Eeteni wiira alime itthaya yakumihyaawe. ²⁴ Paahi, noomoliyene ntthu ule, yaheesiya Makerupii ookhaliha, mphantte unkhuma ncuwa woluwani yo Eeteni, ni ikatana yoopharela yaarukurerya nceresere mothene, wiira isunke iphiro inrwaa uruyaya mwiri wookumi.

Kayini ni Apeli

4 Atamu ahaathukumanana amwaarawe yeehaninya Eva, ni

ale yahorupala irukulu ni yahonnyara Kayini. Ale yaheera: Ni nkavihero na Mwaneene Nluku kihomphwanya nlopwana. ² Ahorupala tho irukulu. Ula nkwaha ula ahonnyara Apeli, nhimaawe Kayini. Apeli aari nhakheli okhontwaa, ni Kayini aari mayoolima.

³ Unaphilieene ukati, Kayini ahowana mihokorokho co mmattani wiira anvelelihere Mwaneene Nluku. ⁴ Apeli ahowana nlipu no mihuwo cawe cootepa uneneva ni Mwaneene Nluku ahomwakhelela Apeli ni itthuvo cawe.

⁵ Nanso ayo khayaamwakhelenle Kayini ni itthuvo cawe. Vaavale Kayini ahorusiya ni ahotthuka iyuuci. ⁶ Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiirela Kayini: Nlattuni we urusiyaka? Untthukelani iyuuci aa? ⁷ We wapankaka yooreera, khunhala ukupaliya? Nanso waahipankeke yooreera, ucuwele wiira itampi iri wankhora ni inoowipithela. Iyo imphavela wuutthema, nanso we unlamuliya usintta.

⁸ Wahoolo, Kayini ahomwiirela Apeli nhimaawe: Nrwee umattani. Ukati wakhalacilyaya umattani, Kayini ahontuphela nhimaawe nuumwiiva.

⁹ Vano Nluku ahonkoha Kayini: Nhima Apeli ri vayi? Uyo ahaakhula eeraka: Akincuwela. Mi kihokhala mayonsunka nhimaaka?

¹⁰ Vano Nluku ahonkoha eeraka: Ipankilyaa ila isiyani? Ukiviriyane: Ukhuma wathayani, iphome ya munnaa inakuwela. ¹¹ Vano uholaphiya we ni itthaya ihunle malaku wiira yaakhelele mmatatani mwaa iphome ya munnaa. ¹² Ukati unkelaa ulima wathayani, ila khinkela yoovahaka tho icaayira. We unkokhala namatthawatthawa ni nannyatha umwilaponi.

¹³ Kayini aheerela Apwiya: Uttarusiya waka nwo uhotepa. Nkilevelele. ¹⁴ Ileo nnakoomola mwiilaponi mu, kiwiipi-

thakani ni kitthawatthawaka toko nannayatha, kontha ntthu phi ntthu nohala ukikumanana uyo nokookiiva.

¹⁵Nanso Mwaneene Nluku ahomwaakhula: Khunhala ukhala commo. Ntthu amwiivaka Kayini, nokowiiveleliya ikuhukuhu imaara saapa. Ni Mwaneene Nluku ahomweesera Kayini nthonyero, wiira ntthu phi ntthu nohala unkumanana uyo himwiive. ¹⁶Vano Kayini ahokhuma wamiithoni wa Mwaneene Nluku ni ahorwaa ukhala ilapo yo Nooti, mphantte unkhuma ncuwa wo Eeteni.

Ucuulu wa Kayini

¹⁷Kayini ahaathukumanana amwaarawe ni yahorupala irukulu ni unnyara Enoki. Wahoolo Kayini ahoteka iparasa awe, yaavahilyawe ncina na mwamwanawe Enoki.

¹⁸Enoki ahonnyara Iraati. Iraati ahonnyara Mewucayeli. Mewucayeli ahonnyara Metusayeli ni Metusayeli ahonnyara Lameki.

¹⁹Lameki ahaathela athiyana eeli. Amoca ayo yeehaninya Aata ni akina ayo, Silaa. ²⁰Aata ahonnyara Yapaali. Yaari athumwanaya atthu ankhalakhalaca mmaheemani ni mayoohuwa inama. ²¹Ncina na munnaawe neehaninya Yupaali, yaari athumwanaya atthu othene ammoopa ceece ni mpetta. ²²Siila ciicammo ahonnyara mwana mmoca eehaninya Tupalakayimi, aahana ikaruma cothene co ncukhuma ni coyuuma. Tupalakayimi ahaana mwanrororawe eehaninya Naama.

²³Lameke aheerela asaarawe yeehaninya:

Aata ni Silaa: Nkiiwace asaara a Lameki, mwiiwelele moolumo aka:

Mi kihomwiiva nlopwana mmoca kontha hookirakaliha,

ni mmirawo mmoca kontha hookinyakela.

²⁴Wakhalaka wiira Kayini nawiivelelihiya ikuhukuhu imaara saapa, Lameki wanwookhala sapini (70) uyo umwaakulelaca imaara saapa (490).

Uyarya wa Seeti

²⁵Atamu ahaathukumanana tho amwaarawe ni ale yahonnyara mwana nkina, yanvahile aya ncina na Seeti, yiraka: Nluku hokivaha mwana nipuro na Apeli, yoole Kayini mwiiivilyawe. ²⁶Seeti ciicammo ahonnyara mwana anvahile awe ncina na Enosi. Vano Yooyo ukati uyo, phapaceriyaya ulapeliya ncina na Mwaneene Nluku.

Ucuulu wa Atamu mpaka Nowee.

5 Ila phi iliivuru yomayaranacele o nloko na Atamu. Ukati Nluku waampankilyawe ntthu, eelattanihaka mwaneene, ²ahaapanka nlopwana ni nthiyana. Ukati waampankilyawe, uyo ahaareeriha ni aheehana atthu.

³Wapihenryawe Atamu myakha iminya nuuwa talaathini (130) ahonnyara mwana mmoca oolikana nuuyo ni oonlatta venci, ni ahonvahancina na Seeti. ⁴Nannyanreene Seeti, Atamu ahokhala nkumi myakha iminya naane (800) ni ahaayara asaana akina asilopwana na asithiyana. ⁵Mahuku othene ookumi awe Atamu yahophiyera myakha iminya khentta nuuwa talaathini (930) ni ahokhwa.

⁶Seeti waapihenre awe myakha iminya nuuwa mithanu (105), ahonnyara Enosi. ⁷Seeti nannyanreene Enosi ahokhala nkumi myakha iminya naane nuuwa saapa (807) ni ahaayara tho asaana akina asilopwana na asithiyana. ⁸Mahuku othene ookumi awe, yaari myakha iminya khentta nuuwa khumi na miili (912) ni ahokhwa.

⁹Wapihenryawe Enosi myakha miloko khentta (90) ahonnyara Kenani. ¹⁰Enosi nannyanreene Kenani, ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya naane nuuwa khumi na mithanu (815) ni ahaayara asaana akina asilopwana na asithiyana. ¹¹Mahuku othene ookumi awe, yaari myakha iminya khentta nuuwa mithanu (905) ni ahokhwa.

¹²Waapihenryawe Kenani myakha sapini (70) ahonnyara Malaleli. ¹³Kenani nannyanreene Malaleli, ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya naane nuuwa arupayini (840) ni ahaayara asaana asilopwana na asithiyana. ¹⁴Mahuku othene ookumi awe, yaari myakha iminya khentta nuuwa khumi (910) ni ahokhwa.

¹⁵Wapihenryawe Malaleli myakha sitiini nuuwa mithanu (65) ahonnyara Yereti. ¹⁶Nannyanreene Yereti Malaleli, ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya naane nuuwa talathini (830) ni ahaayara asaana asilopwana na asithiyana. ¹⁷Mahuku othene okumi awe, yaari myakha iminya naane nuuwa miloko khentta na mithanu (895) ni ahokhwa.

¹⁸Wapihenryawe Yereti myakha iminya wo sitiini na miili (162) ahonnyara Enoki. ¹⁹Nannyanreene Enoki Yereti ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya naane 800 ni ahaayara asaana asilopwana na asithiyana. ²⁰Mahuku othene ookumi awe, yaari myakha iminya khentta nuuwa sitiini na miili (962) ni ahokhwa.

²¹Wapihenryawe Enoki myakha sitiini na mithanu (65) ahonnyara Metusalemu. ²²Nannyanreene Metusalemu, Enoki aheetta ni Nluku myakha iminya ttharu (300) ni ahaayara asaana asilopwana na asithiyana. ²³Mahuku othene ookumi awe, yaari myakha iminya tthaaru wo sitiini nuuwa mithanu (365). ²⁴Enoki

aheetta ni Nluku, ni ahorimyarimya kontha Nluku ahonkusa.

²⁵Wapihenryawe Metusalemu myakha iminya nuuwa miloko khentta na saapa (187) ahonnyara Lameke.

²⁶Nannyanreene Metusalemu Lameke ahokhala nkumi mpaka, myakha iminya saapa nuuwa miloko khentta na miili (782) ni ahaayara asaana asilopwana na asithiyana. ²⁷Mahuku othene okumi awe, yaari myakha iminya khentta wo sitiini nuuwa naane (969) ni ahokhwa.

²⁸Wapihenryawe Lameke myakha iminya nuuwa miloko khentta na miili (192), ahonnyara mwana mmoca.

²⁹Ahonvaha ncina na Nowee ni aheera: Ula naahala uniwukula miteko cihu ni uhuva wo mmatatani mwihu ommwaaninya ni itthaya ilaphiye ni Mwaneene Nluku. ³⁰Nannyanreene Lameke, Nowee ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya thanu nimiloko khentta nuuwa mithanu (595) ni ahaayara asaana akina asilopwana na asithiyana. ³¹Mahuku othene ookumi awe, yaari myakha iminya saapa ni miloko saapa nuuwa saapa (777) ni ahokhwa.

³²Wapihenryawe Nowee myakha iminya thanu (500) ahaayara tho asaana akina yeehaninnya: Seemu, Kani ni Yafeti.

Nantuthi ankurukuttunle nk haya

6 Waapacenryaya atthu wuncereran-nyaa mwiilaponi ni yaayaracaka asaana asithiyana, ²asaana asilopwana a Nluku yahoona wiira asaana asithiyana aatthu ayo yaari ooreeraca, ni ya-haathanla ale yatepile wacivela.

³Vano Mwaneene Nluku aheera: Nlattu wotaampi ca atthu, Nnepa aka khunhala ukhala ukati wothene ni atthu, kontha ule ri irutthu. Uyo nohala ukhala myakha iminya wo sirini (120) paahi.

⁴Yoole ukati ule, mwiilaponi yahaawo atthu oosancamaca. Wahoolo asaana asilopwana a Nluku wathukumaanannyaya asaana asithiyana a atthu ni yayaranacaka asaana. Ayo phaari anakhotto okuru ni ooruma ncina okhalayi.

⁵Mwaneene Nluku ahoona wiira itampi ca atthu caanatepa winciva mwiilaponi ni moopuwelo, omunrimani mwaya yaari ukati wothene upanka paahi coonanara. ⁶Vano Mwaneene Nluku aheera: Koonne wene kaapankaka atthu mwiilaponi mu, ni iyo yahonrusiha venci wanrimani wawe. ⁷Mwaneene Nluku aheera: Kinawaamalamaliha mwiilaponi atthu yapankilyaka, atthu ni ciicammo inama cuulupale ni cikani ni asaanuni o wirimu. Koonne wene kipattusaka cothene nnya.

⁸Nanso Nowee ahophwanya nnema wamiithoni wa Mwaneene Nluku.

Nowee nawiitthenkaca wiira hinkhwe naphuvu.

⁹Nnya phi cokhumelela co neethi wa Nowee. Nowee aari nthu mayasariya, ookhweeli na atthu o yooyo ukati uyo. Uyo eetta ni Nluku. ¹⁰Nowee ahaayara asaana araru: Semu, Kani ni Yafeti.

¹¹Vaavale, ilapo yahohononnya wamiithoni wa Nluku ni yahocara coonanara capankaya atthu. ¹²Woonnyawe wiira ilapo ihotankannyaa, kontha atthu othene omwiilaponi ahohapuwa malamulo aka. ¹³Nluku ahomwiirela Nowe: Kinawamalamaliha atthu othene, kontha ilapo yothene ihocara coonanara cimpanyaka. Phimaana mi kinawakwanyulaca ni ilapo eyo.

¹⁴Nanso we, upanke ikalawa yothaapwa co mpila. Ukawanihace, cikhale ikatti mwiittayi mwaya ni uttiyace ni uloko nhina ni vate. ¹⁵Mwiittayi mwaya ulike imaara

iminya tharu (300), mwiikhuvi mwaya imaara hansini (50) ni yeemelelo aya imaara talathini (30). ¹⁶Upanke ithari ni upanke icanela nliko wo nuusu no moonoo mmoca ithari ni isiri yokalawa. Upanke nkhora nceresere ikalawa ni upanke ithari; waculu, iriyari ni vathi.

¹⁷Nkoonani. Kinnowiha maasi o naphuvu mwiilaponi, wiira kirkwanyulace ilapo yothene ni citthu cothene coomumula cipattusilyaka. Cothene ciri mwiilaponi cimmomala. ¹⁸Nanso, ni we, kimmopanka nleehano naka, ni ummokela nkalawani mmo, we na asaanaa, na amwaraa ni asaaraya asaanaa ayo. ¹⁹Ni cothene cimmumula co khula ikhapila yonama, yo nlopwana ni yo nthiyana unlamuliya ukelana nkalawani mmo piili piili, wiira usunke ukumi aya ni we. ²⁰Asaanuni o khula ikhapila, inama co khula ikhapila, inama cowiipurula co khula ikhapila; cinari piili piili cinawuwela we, wiira usunke ukumi aya. ²¹Vano we, ukuse coolya cothene cinliya ni wiisunkere, cinhala ukhala coolya ca waa ni coolya conama.

²²Ahopanka Nowee toko cahimeriyawe ni Nluku. Commo phaapankilyawe.

Maasi o naphuvu

7 Wahoolo Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiirela Nowee: Ukele nkalawani, we ni nthhoko naa nothene, kontha kihwoona we ukhala nthu oosariya wariyari wa atthu othene. ²Ukuse inama saapa co nlopwana ni inama saapa co nthiyana co khula ikhapila cinari cohatali. Nanso ciri coharamu nnyo, ukuse piili piili co nlopwana ni co nthiyana. ³Ciicammo ukuse inuni cooculu saapa co nlopwana ni saapa co nthiyana, wiira cikhale cikumi ni ipyo yo mwiilaponi mothene. ⁴Kontha yaviraru mahuku saapa, kinawana ipula mwiilaponi mothene,

mahuku arupayini uhiyu ni uthana. Ni kinakhwanyulaca citthu cothene cipankilyaka vathi va.

⁵Nowee ahopanka cothene ceereliyawe ni Mwaneene Nluku. ⁶Yooyo ukati uyo Nowee aahaana myakha iminya siita ceyarelo, ukati wawilyawe naphuvu oocara maasi ilapo yothene. ⁷Nowee, na asaanawe, na amwaarawe, na asaaraya asaana awe ayo, yahokelaca nkalawani, mwanlattu wo maasi o naphuvu. ⁸Ukhuma inama cohalali, inama coharamu, asaanuni, ni inama cothene cowiipurula ciri vathi va, ⁹cahonwela Nowee, nuukela piili piili nkalawani mmo, toko Nluku canlamunlenlyawe Nowee. ¹⁰Wanowiira avirakaru mahuku saapa ale, phapacenyaya uwa maasi o naphuvu vathi wothene.

¹¹Ukati warinawe Nowee myakha iminya siita (600) cokumi awe, weettelaya mweeri wo nayeeli, waaphiyeraya mahuku khumi na saapa o mweeri, nenno nihuku nno, cahottinwa miliwi co maasi, ni mikhora cothene co wirimu cahohulya, ¹²ni yahorupa ipula mwiilaponi mothene, mahuku arupayini, uhiyu ni uthana.

¹³Vano nenno nihuku nno Nowee na asaanawe, Seemu, Kani ni Yafeti, ciicammo amwaara a Nowee na asaaraya asaanawe ooraru yahokelaca nkalawani. ¹⁴Ale ni inama cothene co khula ikhapila, mihuwo cothene co khula ikhapila, inama cothene cowiipurula co khula ikhapila, covava cothene co khula ikhapila, asaanuni othene o khula ikhapila, ¹⁵ni inama cothene carina ukumi, cahokela piili piili ni Nowee nkalawani. ¹⁶Paahi, inama cothene caakenle caari cowiiraana, co nlopwana ni co nthiyana, toko Nluku canlamunlenlyawe. Wiimaleloni, Mwaneene Nluku ahotthyya nkhora vate.

¹⁷Vaavale, naphuvu ule ahokhala mahuku arupayini nari mwiilaponi, maasi yaheenciva, ni yahoteesa ikalawa iyo, ni ile yahohiya itthaya. ¹⁸Vano maasi ale yahocara venci cinenne mwiilaponi mothene; nanso ikalawa iyo yaamphempa waculu maasi. ¹⁹Vano maasi ayo yanatepa wuncereryaana mwiilaponi, mpaka myako coorekama cothene cari vathi waya irimu cahomiriya ni maasi. ²⁰Maasi ayo yahocara tapha mpaka upwaha miyoono saapa ni nuusu, mpaka myako nnyo cahomiriya.

²¹Phimaana cahokhwa inama cothene cariwo vathi va, ukhuma mihuwo, inuni, masene, inama cowiipurula cothene mpaka atthu othene. ²²Cothene carina ukumi, cimumulelaka mphulani mwaya, caakhala vathiva, cahokhwa. ²³Paahi, cahotankanyaa cothene cariwo vathi va, ukhuma ntthu mpaka inama cowiipurula ni nnyo coweetta, mpaka asaanuni oovava uculu, yahomalamalihiya mwiilaponi. Aahanle paahi phi Nowee ni ayo yarinawe nkalawani. ²⁴Maasi ayo yahokhala nlaponi mpaka mahuku iminya wo hansiiini (150).

Umala wo Naphuvu

8 Vano, Nluku ahomuupuwela Nowee wamoca ni inama cothene co ntakhwani ni cohuwiya caarinawe nkalawani, ni ahowana iphyoo yuulupale mwiilaponi ni maasi yahopacera uwukuwa. ²Miliwi co vathi ni mikhora co wirimu cahottiyannyya ni ipula yahohiya urupa. ³Maasi yahopacera uwukuwa vakani vakani mwiilaponi. Wiimaleloni wo mahuku iminya wohansiiini (150), maasi ale yahowukuwa, ⁴ni nihuku nonakhuumi na saapa no mweeri wonasaapa, ikalawa ile yaheemela umyakoni co Ararati. ⁵Maasi naanlelo yeera awukuwaka, mpaka mweeri

wonakhumi. Vano nihuku noopacera no mweeri wonakhumi cahopacera woonnyaa myako.

⁶Anavinre mahuku arupayiini, Nowee ahohula icanela yapankilyawe nkalawani. ⁷Vano ahonkumiha nakhuku mmoca, aamakenle urukureryaca paahi, awehereryaka maasi ale wuuma vathi wothene. ⁸Wahoolo ahothukulela ikhunnta wiira oone yakhala wiira maasi ayo yahowukuwa mwiilaponi. ⁹Nanso ikhunnta khayaaphwanyile nipuro nookotela kontha maasi yahokhuneela itthaya yothene. Phimaana ikhunnta ile yahoturuwela nkalawani mwaaryawe Nowee. Ule ahotaphulela moonoo awe vate ni ahovara ikhunnta ile awaanaka nkalawani mmwe.

¹⁰Vaavale Nowee ahowehererya tho mahuku saapa ni ahoruma tho ikhunnta ile. ¹¹Utthekeuwa waya ncuwa, ukati waturuwilyaya ikhunnta ile, yahowa inapapile umalakuni nwo ntaakhuru no mwiri. Nowee ahokhala oocuwela wiira maasi ayo ahowukuwa mwiilaponi mmo. ¹²Ahowehererya tho mahuku saapa ni ahoruma tho ikhunnta, nanso ila ikwaha ila ikhunnta khayaaturuwile tho.

¹³Nihuku noopacera no mweeri woopacera wo mwakha iminya siita na mmoca (601), maasi ale yahowelega mwiilaponi mmo. Nowee ahopattakula nivatho nokalawa. ni aheera: mwiilaponi mmo itthaya iyo ihooma. ¹⁴Khweeli, nihuku nonasiriini na saapa no mweeri wonayeeli, itthaya yahomalela wuuma.

Upacera makhalelo onaanano mwiilaponi

¹⁵Vano Nluku ahomwiirela Nowee: ¹⁶Ukhume nkalawani mmo, we na amwaraa, wamoca na asaanaa ni asaraya asaanaa ayo. ¹⁷Ni ukumihace inama cothene cirinaa nnyo: asaanuni,

inama cuulupale ni cikani cineetta ciipurulaka. Ukumihe wiira cimwareele mwiilaponi, cikhale cocaayiira ni citotholane.

¹⁸Phimaana, Nowee na amwaarawe, wamoca na asaana awe na asaraya yahokhumaca nkalawani. ¹⁹Inama cothene cuulupale ni cikani cineetta wowiipurula, ni asaanuni othene, cothene coweetta mwiilaponi caari nkalawani, cahokhuma.

²⁰Wahoolo Nowee ahopanka ikhilompi yoonapelela Mwaneene Nluku, ni ahokusa inama cikina ni asaanuni oohalali, ni ahaavelelihera isataka yoopahiya. ²¹Mwaneene Nluku ahoona unukhela ni aheera: Akinhala tho ulapha itthaya mwanlattu wa pinattamu, kontha wuupuwela wa pinattamu uri woonanara ikhumelo. Ni akinhala wiivakaca tho citthu cikumi cothene toko cipankilyaka ula nkwaaha ula.

²²Paahi, ilapo ela yapicaru nuumala, waala nuhepha, uririya ni nttukuttha, ilimwe ni iyiita, uhiyu nuuthana kunhala umala.

Nleehano na Nluku ni Nowee

9 Nluku ahonreeriha Nowee na asaanawe amwiirelaka coo: Nnyaranace, muncereryane ni ncarace mwiilaponi. ²Inama cothene co mwiilaponi cinkowuttetemelani ciwoovakani nyu; inama co ntakhwani, asaanuni o wirimu, inama cineepurula vathi ni ihopa co mpahari, cothene nhovahiya mmatatani mwinyu.

³Citthu cothene cirina ukumi ni ceet-taka cinkokhala coolya cinyu; toko cuvahilyakani mataakhuru, nna vaa kinawuvahani citthu cothene. ⁴Nanso nhikhure inama ni iphome aya, kontha iphome aya phiri ukumi. ⁵Ntthu

phi ntthu nohala umwarusa iphome, pooti ukhala ya ntthu atthuna yonama, kinkoonkohaca; wo khula ntthu kinko-hukhumu nlatu wokumi wa nkhwawe.

⁶Ntthu nohala umwarusa iphome ya nkhwamwe,

iphome awe inhala umwarusiya cicammo ni ntthu, kontha, ni ilatta ya Nluku, phipankiyawe ntthu.

⁷Nanso nyu, nkhale ooyaranaca ni muncereryane. Mmwaryeele mwiilaponi ni ncaranace mommo.

⁸Vano Nluku ahomwiirela Nowe, na asaanawe: ⁹Nkoonani, kinkopanka nleehano naka ni nyu wamoca ni ucuulu inyu wohoolo, ¹⁰ni citthu cothene cirina ukumi ciri ni nyu; asaanuni, inama coohuwiya ni inama co ntakhwani, citthu cothene co mwiilaponi cirina ukumi. ¹¹Kinapanka nleehano naka ni nyu. Itthu phi itthu irina ukumi khinhala tho wiiviya ni maasi oocara mwiilaponi. Khaanhala tho ucara maasi mwiilaponi. ¹²Nluku ahopwaherera wuulumaca eeraka: Ila phi ikanyero yo nleehano naka ninoopankelaakani, ukhuma nyu mpaka citthu cothene cirineenyu, cirina ukumi; mpaka maloko othene oohoolo.

¹³Nikhwii naka kiheesa mmahutteni. Ninkookhala ikanyero yo waataana waka ni ilapo. ¹⁴Ukati unkelaka uwaana mahutte mwiilaponi ni nawaaka nikhwii, ¹⁵vano mi kinkowuupuwela nleehano naka ni nyu wamoca ni citthu cothene cirina ukumi co khula nnanna. Maasi khaanhala tho ucara mwiilaponi wiira yiivakace citthu cirina ukumi.

¹⁶Ukati wothene unkelaya woonnyaa nikhwii mmahutteni, kinkooweha ni kinkowuupuwela nleehano noohimala na atthu ni citthu cothene coomumula co khula nnanna, cinkhala mwiilaponi.

¹⁷Namalihileene wuulumaca, Nluku

ahomwiirela Nowee coo: Ila phi ikanyero yo nleehano nipankilyaka mi ni citthu cothene cirina ukumi mwiilaponi.

Asaana a Nowee

¹⁸Vano asaana a Nowee yakhumile nkalawani yaari: Seemu, Kani, ni Yafeti. Kani phiri athumwanaya Kanaa. ¹⁹Ala phaari asaana araru a Nowee. Ukhuma mwa yaayo, ilapo yothene yahokhaliya na atthu. ²⁰Nowee aari mayoolima, phapacentre waala ivinya yoopacera. ²¹Nowee ahowurya ivinyu, ahohapaliya, ni ahokhala pwitipwiti nheemani mwawe. ²²Kaamu, athumwanaya Kanaa, ahoona uhiwara waathumwane ni ahorwaa waahimyacera asunnawe eeli yaari vate. ²³Nanso Seemu ni Yafeti yahokusaca ikacako, yaheesaca wanikhatani ni, yeettaka nttuli nttuli wiira ahoonace athumwanaya anari pwitipwiti, yahaakhuneelaca.

²⁴Nowee, ukati wonwilyawe muuhapaliyani, ni oonenelaka yapankilyawe mwanawe omwankaani ule, ²⁵aheera coo:

Kanaa holaphiya!

Unkookhala ipottha copottha ca asunnaa.

²⁶Aheera tho coo:

Attittimihinye Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku a Seemu!

Ni Kanaa akhale ipottha awe.

²⁷Nluku uncerere ncoko wa Yafeti; uyo akhale mmaheemani mwa Seemu, ni Kanaa akhale ipottha awe.

²⁸Uvira waya ucara wo maasi mwiilaponi, Nowee ahokhala nkumi myakha iminya tthaaru wo hansiiini (350). ²⁹Mahuku othene ookumi awe, yaari myakha iminya khentta wo hansiiini (950) ni ahokhwa.

Maloko a Nowee

10 Ala phi mayaranacelo aya asaana a Nowee: Seemu, Kaamu, ni Yafeti. Ni ayo yahoyaranaca uvira wawe naphuvu.

²Ala pha asaana a Yafeti: Komeri, Makoki, Mattaayi, Yavani, Tupali, Mesekhi ni Tirasi. ³Ni asaana a Komeri yaari pha ala: Asikenasi, Rafiki ni Tokarima. ⁴Asaana a Yavani yaari pha ala: Elisa, Tarisisi, Kitimi, ni Tamini. ⁵Nhina wo yaala, phikhumakhumilyaya athu ankhalakhala mmaacivirini, akawanacaka ncoko aya nhina wo nuulumo naya, wo khula ntthu nhina wo nihimo neelapo awe.

⁶Ala phaari asaana a Kaamu: Kuusi, Misirayimi, Fuute ni Kanaa. ⁷Ala phaari asaana a Kuusi: Sepaa, Havila, Sapita, Ramaa ni Sapiteka. Ala phaari asaana a Ramaa: Sapaa ni Tetaa. ⁸Kuusi ciicammo ahonnyara Ninroti, nlopwana oopacera ookhomaala cinenne mwiilaponi. ⁹Ule ari nlupa muulupale wamiithoni wa Mwaneene Nluku, phimaana wiiriyaka: Nlupa toko Ninroti wamiithoni wa Mwaneene Nluku. ¹⁰Wipaceroni umwene awe wamphiya uP-apeli, Ereki, Akkate ni Kalineha, ilapo yo Sinari. ¹¹Ukhuma wawe yeela ilapo ela ahorwaa waAsiriya wantekilyawe Ninive, Riyopoti-Iri, Kalaa ¹²ni Resemi, inkhala ncoko wo Ninive ni Ukala, iparasa yuulupale.

¹³Misirayimi ahaayara annalutita, annamita, annaleyapita, annafutuwwita, ¹⁴annapaturusita, annakasuluwita, mwa yaala phikhumelenle annafilisitiya ni annakaftori. ¹⁵Kanaa ahonnyara Sitomi, mwana omuulupale, ni Hetee, ¹⁶ciicammo toko annayepusi, annamori, annakirkasiti, ¹⁷annahiviti, annarkiti, annasiniti, ¹⁸annarivati, annasemara ni annahatitha. Wahoolo mahimo o annakanani yahomwaryaca.

¹⁹Miinano co Kanaa caakhuma uSitomi, ni carwaa mpaka uKerari, ni camphiya uKaasa ni, ukhuma wonwo, canrwa mpaka uSotoma, uKomora, uHatamaa ni Sepoyimi ciphiyaka mpaka uLaasa. ²⁰Ala phi mayaranacelo a Kaamu, nhina mahimo aya ni moolumo aya, mmicokoni ni mwiilaponi mwaya.

²¹Seemu aari nhimaawe Yafeti ni ciicammo ahaayaraca asaana. Ule phaari muulupale a athu othene oHeperi. ²²Ala phaari asaana a Seemu: Elawu, Asuuri, Arifacate, Luuti ni Arami. ²³Ala phaari asaana a Arami: Usi, Huli, Kether ni Meseki. ²⁴Arifacate ahonnyara Selah, ni Selah ahonnyara Heperi. ²⁵Heperi ahaayarela asaana eeli: Mmoca uyo eehaninya Peleki, kontha ukati awe ilapo yahokawaninya; ni nhimaawe eehaninya Yokitani. ²⁶Yokitani ahonnyara Almotati, Salefi, Hasaramarvete, Yerah, ²⁷Haturami, Usaali, Tikala, ²⁸Opal, Apimayeli, Sepaa, ²⁹Ofiri, Havilaa ni Yopapi. Ala othene ala yaari asaana a Yokitani. ³⁰Ncoko wakhalacaya uyo weecatala ukhuma uMeesa mpaka uSefari, mmwakoni uri mphantte unkhuma ncuwa. ³¹Ala phi mayaranacelo a Seemu, nhina mahimo aya ni moolumo aya, mmicokoni ni mwiilaponi mwaya.

³²Ala phi mahimo a asaana a Nowee, ookawanaceene mwiilaponi mwaya, toko ciriyaya mayaranacelo aya. Ukhuma wo yaayo, athu ahomwareela mwiilaponi, uvira wawe naphuvu.

Inupa yoorekama yoophiya wirimu

11 Mwiilaponi mothene nariwo paahi nuulumo nimoca ni moolumeliyo mamoca. ²Vano athu akhumaka mphantte unkhuma ncuwa, yahophwanyaca nikuwa uSinari ni vaavale yahokhalaca. ³Yaheerelana ayaayoru coo: Nrwee nuupe incirwa ni nipahehe sana sana. Yatthuminri

incirwa nnyo nipuro no maluku, ni alikatarawu nipuro no mattope. ⁴Wahoolo yaheerelana tho: Nrwee niteke iparasa ni inupa yoorekama yoophiya wirimu. Commo ncina ni ninkoruma ni kxaninhala umwaruseliya mwiilaponi.

⁵Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahokhuruwa wiira oone iparasa ile ni inupa yatekaya athu ale. ⁶Ni Mwaneene Nluku aheera coo: Nkoonani, athu ala ari nloko nimoca paahi, anoolumaca nuulumo nimoca paahi, ni ahopacera nteko ule. Woohipica khiiwo inhala waahiha uvara yuupuwenlyaya. ⁷Nrwee, nikhuruwe ni naavirikanihe nuulumo naya, wiira ahiiwanane ntthu ni nkhwawe. ⁸Vaavale, Mwaneene Nluku ahaamwarusela athu ale ilapo yothene, ni yahohiyaca uteka iparasa ile. ⁹Phimaana waheehaninya uPapeli, kontha vaavale Mwaneene Nluku ahovirikaniha moolumelo ottuniya yothene. Ukhuma vaavale Mwaneene Nluku ahaamwaruselaca athu ale mwiilaponi mothene.

Mayaranacelo onrukulu na Seemu

¹⁰Ala phi mayaranacelo o nloko na Seemu:

Uvira wawe naphuvu mwiilaponi, cahovira myakha miili, ni Seemu ahopihera myakha iminya (100) ceyarelo ni ahonnyara Arifacate. ¹¹Nannyareene Arifacate, Seemu ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya thanu (500) ceyarelo ni ahaayara asaana akina asilopwana na asithiyana. ¹²Arifacate wapiihenyawe myakha talathini nuwa mithanu (35) ceyarelo, ahonnyara Selah. ¹³Nannyareene Selah, Arifacate ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya cese nuwa miraru (403) ceyarelo ni ahaayara asaana akina, asilopwana na asithiyana.

¹⁴Upiihera wawe myakha talathini (30) ceyarelo, Selah ahonnyara Heperi. ¹⁵Nannyareene Heperi, Salah ahokhala nkumi myakha iminya cese nuwa miraru (403) ceyarelo ni ahaayara asaana akina, asilopwana na asithiyana.

¹⁶Upiihera wawe Heperi myakha talathini nuwa micese (34) ceyarelo, ahonnyara Peleki. ¹⁷Heperi unyara wawe Peleki, ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya cese nuwa talathini (430) ceyarelo ni ahaayara asaana akina, asilopwana na asithiyana.

¹⁸Peleki upiihera wawe myakha talathini (30), ahonnyara Rewu. ¹⁹Peleki unnyara wawe Rewu, ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya piili na khenta (209) ni ahaayaraca asaana akina, asilopwana na asithiyana.

²⁰Rewu upiihera wawe myakha talathini na miili (32) ceyarelo, ahonnyara Sirukwe. ²¹Rewu ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya piili na saapa (207) ni ahaayaraca asaana akina, asilopwana na asithiyana.

²²Sirukwe upiihera wawe myakha talathini (30) ceyarelo, ahonnyara Nahori. ²³Sirukwe nannyareene Nahori, ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya piili (200) ceyarelo ni ahaayaraca asaana akina, asilopwana na asithiyana.

²⁴Nahori upiihera wawe myakha sirini na khenta (29) ceyarelo, ahonnyara Tera. ²⁵Unyara wawe Tera, Nahori ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya imoca nuwa khumi na khenta (119) ceyarelo ni ahaayaraca asaana akina, asilopwana na asithiyana.

²⁶Tera upiihera wawe myakha sapini (70) ceyarelo, ahonnyara Aparamu, Nahori ni Harani.

Mayaranacelo o nrुकulu na Tera

²⁷Ala phi mayaranacelo o nloko na Tera: Tera ahonnyara Aparamu, Nahori ni Harani; ni Harani ahonnyara Loti.

²⁸Harani akhwenle uUri yo Kasiti wayerenyawe, ukati waryaya athumwane akumi.

²⁹Aparamu ni Nahori yahaathelaca asaraya. Ncina na amwaarawe Aparamu naari Sarayi, ni ncina na amwaarawe Nahori naari Milika; ula aari mwana a Harani, athumwane Milika ni Isikaa. ³⁰Vano Sarayi aari oohiyara, khaarina asaana.

³¹Tera ahonkusa Aparamu mwanawe, wamoca ni Loti mwanculawe, mwana a Harani, ni Sarayi mwaara a mwanawe ni othene yahorwaa ikwaha yookhuma uUri yo Kasiti arwaaka uKanaa. Nanso uphiyaca waya yahokhalaca wonwo.

³²Tera ahokhala nkumi mpaka myakha iminya piili na thanu (205) ceyarelo ni ahokhwela uHarani.

Apwiya Nluku ahomwiirela Aparamu

12 Nkwaha mmoca Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiirela Aparamu: Ukhume ilapo aa iyo, iriyari ya alokwaa ni wapuani wa athumwana, ni urwee ilapo inhalaka wuthonyera. ²Kinawuvaha atthu enci ookhuma mwirutthuni mwa mmo ni kinawuvaha iparackha, ni kinawunnuwiha ncina naa nno ni we unhala ukhala iparackha. ³Kinawareeraha anhala wureeriha ayo ni watapaniha anhala wulaphakaca ayo. Vano mwanlattu wo we, atthu othene omwiilaponi anakhala ooreerihiya.

⁴Vaavale Aparamu ahokhuma toko Mwaneene Nluku camwiirenyawe, ni warwawe va ahontthukana ikwaha Loti. Ukati wakhumawe uHarani, Aparamu ahaana myakha sapini na mithanu. ⁵Wakhumawe va ahonkusa Sarayi mwaarawe, Loti mwana amunnawe, mihakhu cawe cothene caphwanyilyawe ni ipottha cawe cathumilyawe uHarani. Yahokhumaca arwaka ilapo yo Kanaa ni yahophiyaca salama. ⁶Aparamu ahottupulaniha

ilapo eyo mpaka uphiya nipuro no Sikeni. Yooyo ukati uyo annakanaa phakhala ilapo eyo.

⁷Mwaneene Nluku ahonkhumelela Aparamu phimwiirelaka: Ipyo aa iyo kinaahala uvaha ila itthaya ela. Vano ahoteka ikhilompi yoonalapelela Mwaneene Nluku ankhumelenle.

⁸Vaavale aheetta arwaka myako ciri ncoko woohitto wo Peteli. Wonwo ahonkhurutula heema awe, akakhelaka uPeteli moonoo unkela ncuwa ni Ayi unkhuma ncuwa. Vano ahontekela ikhilompi Mwaneene Nluku ni ahonlapela Mwaneene Nluku. ⁹Wahoolo Aparamu ahokhuma arwaka mphantte wo Nekepi.

Aparamu ni Sarayi Wiciipitu

¹⁰Yooyo ukati uyo ilapo iyo yahovola itala yinci. Vano Aparamu ahokhuruwela ilapo yo Wiciipitu wiira akhale ukati vakani kontha itala eyo yanatapa mwilaponi mmo. ¹¹Ukati wattamenryawe Wiciipitu, ahomwiirela Sarayi mwaarawe: Yoowe! Mi kihocuwela wiira we uri nthiyana ooreera venci. ¹²Phimaana annaciipitu ayo yakela yawoonaka, ankocuwela wiira: Ala amwaarawe! Vano ankokiiva ni wuhiya we nkumi. ¹³Sontte weere mwanrokoraka wiira yakipanke nnema mwanlattu wo we ni commo kxanhala ukiivaca. ¹⁴Khweeli Aparamu uphiya wawe Wiciipitu, annaciipitu yahoonaca wiira amwaarawe ayo ari ooreera venci. ¹⁵Asuulupale a Farawoo yahomoonaca Sarayi nunttotopela venci, mpaka Sarayi yahonkusaca uhano wa Farawoo. ¹⁶Vano mwanlattu wa Sarayi, Aparamu ahopankiya nnema. Ule ahovahiya ikhontwaa, imope, apuru, ipottha cilopwana ni cithiyana, apuru onthiyana ni inkamela.

¹⁷Nanso Mwaneene Nluku ahonrakaliha Farawoo na akhuulupale awe othene ni iretta cowoopiha mwanlattu

wa Sarayi, amwaara a Aparamu. ¹⁸Phimaana Farawoo ahomwiirana Aparamu, ni ahomwiirela: Isiyani yeeyo ikipankilyaa iyo? Wahakihimyacenryaa wiira ala mi amwaaraka? ¹⁹Weerelani wiira ula mi mwanrokoraka? Hapo mi kahonthela! Pahi, yakhala amwaaraa wakuseke ni urweke. ²⁰Farawoo ahomwiirela Aparamu na amwaarawe wiira akhume mWiciipitu mmo ni ahaaruma anakhotto awe wiira anvelele mpaka umpikani ni citthu cothene carinawe.

Umwalanana wa Aparamu ni Loti

13 Vano Aparamu ahokhuma Wiciipitu ni ahorwaa uNekepi na amwaarawe ayo, ni citthu cothene carinawe ni Loti ahontthukana ikwaha. ²Aparamu ahothaciri venci, ahaana inama, ipheeta ni iwooru. ³Ule ahokhuma uNekepi arwaka uPeteli, mpaka ahophiya nipuro naapacenryawe unkhurutula heema nipuro niri iriyari uPeteli nu Ayi. ⁴Ahophiya nipuro naapacennyawe uteka ikhilompi ni Aparamu ahonlapela Mwaneene Nluku.

⁵Ciicammo Loti, antthukannyawe ikwaha Aparamu ahaana mihuwo cawe, imope na aheema. ⁶Vano nipuro nno khanaatosi wiira oyeeli akhalace ntthethe mmoca, kontha yahaanaca mihakhu cinci cahaalamuliyaya ukhala khala nipuro nimoca. ⁷Phimaana yahokhuma ipokoho ya ahakheli a Aparamu na ayo a Loti; ni yooyo ukati uyo maKananewu ni maPerisewu yakhalaca yeeyo ilapo eyo.

⁸Vano Aparamu ahomwiirela Loti: Va ihikhume ipokoho we ni mi, ni ihikhume ipokoho ya ahakheli aa na ahakheli aka kontha va niri ayaayoru. ⁹Ilapo eyo khimala, va nrwee nimelane. Weeraka kinthanla moonoo nthiyana mi kinhala urwa moonoo nlopwana; atthuna weeraka kinthanla moonoo nlopwana mi kinrwa moonoo nthiyana.

¹⁰Vaavale ahoweha Loti micoko cothene niwahoncivela uthako wo Yoortani, wari wowunttelana ratta mpaka uSowari; wari toko iluwani ya Mwaneene Nluku, toko wenryaya itthaya yo Wiciipitu. Iyo yeeranele Mwaneene Nluku hinakwanyula uSotoma nuKomora. ¹¹Loti ahothanla uthako wo Yortani eettaka arwaka unkhuma ncuwa, ni oyeeli yahomwalaanaca. ¹²Aparamu ahokhala ilapo yo Kanaa. Nanso Loti ahorwaa wakhurutula aheema awe mmaparasa ciri muuthakoni cooco uSotoma. ¹³Nanso alopwana yaakhalakhalaca uSotoma ayo yaari oohiloka ni yaanankosera Mwaneene Nluku.

¹⁴Aparamu namwalanne ni Loti, ni Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiirela: Uwuse miitho aa ayo ni uwehe ukhuma nipuro niryaa mpaka mphantte wooculu ni woohitto, unkhuma ncuwa mpaka unkhala ncuwa. ¹⁵Kontha ilapo yothehe inoonaa eyo, kimmowuvaha we ni ucuulu aa wothene mpaka khalayi. ¹⁶Ni ipyo aa kinopanka toko ntthupi no mwiilaponi mothehe; maana aya ntthu ooryaka waa-likela ntthupi no mwiilaponi mothehe, ciicammo ni ipyo aa nahala woorya waa-likela. ¹⁷Wunwe ni weettakace ilapo yothehe. Mwiittayi waya ni mwikhuvi waya kontha kimmowuvaha we.

¹⁸Ni Aparamu ahonkhuna heema awe, mpaka urwaa ukhala ilapo yo Manree iri cooco Heporoni, ni anttitthimihaka Nluku ahontekela ikhilompi.

Mamwene macesa yaanaka ikhotto ni mamwene mathanu

14 Ila yaakhumelenle ukati waryawe mwene uSineyari ehaninya Anrafeli, Ariyoki ari mwene o Elasari, Ketolameri nari mwene o Lamu ni Titali ari mwene o Koyimi.

²Yahowana ikhotto ni Peera, mwene o Sotoma, ni Pirisa mwene o Komora, ni Sinape mwene o Atama, ni Semeperi mwene o Sepoyimi ni amwananaka ni mwene o Pela weehaninya Sowari.

³Othene ale yahaatakaniha anakhotto aya unikuwani no Sitimi, niri ipharyaa yo maakha.

⁴Myakha khumi na miili yahommarela nteko Ketolameri, nanso mwakha wonakhumi na miraru yahonhanyurihela. ⁵Mwakha wonakhumi ni micese, ahowa Ketolameri ni mamwene yarinawe ni yahaatthema Amarefayimi o Asteroti-Karimeyimi ni Asusimi o Hamu ni a Emini o Save-Kiriyatayimi.

⁶Ni Mahorewu o myakoni co Seyiri, mpaka El-Parani uri vakhiviru ni itakhwa. ⁷Wahoolo yahoturuwa ni yahophiyaca o En-Misipati uneehaninya uKate ni yahotthema ilapo cothene ca Amalekita ni ca Amorewu, yakhala uHasasoni-Tamar.

⁸Vano yahokhuma mamwene o Sotoma, ni o Komora, o Atima, o Sepowimi ni o Pela uneehaninya Sowari ni yaholamulelana ni wanca ikhotto yaananaka yaale onikuwani no Sitimi, ⁹amwaanana Ketolameri, mwene o Lamu ni Titali mwene o Koyimi ni Anrafel, mwene o Sinar, ni Ariyoke, mwene o Elasar. Mamwene macese yaanaanaka mamwene mathanu. ¹⁰Vano nikuwa no Sitimi nahocara maliti o marove. Mamwene o Sotoma nu Komora yahotthawa. Akina yahovariya ni yahanle ayo yahotthawela umwakoni.

¹¹Yahokusaca mihakhu cothene co Sotoma ni uKomora ni coolya caya cothene ni yahorwaca. ¹²Ni ciicammo ahovariya Loti, mwana a munnaawe Aparamu, akhala oSotoma, ni mihakhu cawe ni yahokhumaca.

¹³Nanso ahowa mmoca ootopweele, phuntonkelaka Aparamu, Nheperewu;

akhala ncoko wo Manre, Mmorewu, munnaawe Esikole ni Aneri, othene yari asikhwawe Aparamu. ¹⁴Wiiwa wawe Aparamu wiira mwana amunnawe hotthukiya, ahaakumiha alopwana iminya ttharu nuwa khumi na nanne

(318), yayareliye wapuwanani wawe ni yahoomolanihaca mpaka uTani.

¹⁵Ni yahokawanaca uhiyu yaavyaka mananna owaatthema. Uyo ni ipottha cawe, yaheevaca eenani ni akina ayo woomolanihaca mpaka uHopaa, unkhala mphantte wonthiyana wo Tamasiku. ¹⁶Ni ahaakihera mihakhu cothene ni ahomwakihera Loti mwana amunnawe, ni mihakhu cawe, athiyana othene ni anantthukiya othene yariwo.

Aparamu ni Melekesatiki

¹⁷Mwene o Sotoma ahomwikamela Aparamu akhumaka okhottoni yonrakaliha Ketolameri ni mamwene yarinawe onikuwani no Save, niri nikuwa na amwene.

¹⁸Melekesatiki, mwene o Salemu, ahowiha nkatthe ni ivinyu ni yooyo ari nhooleli ottiini ya Nluku o wirimu.

¹⁹Ahonreeriha numwiirela:

Nluku muulupale mwaneene irimu ni itthaya

oreeriheni Aparamu.

²⁰Ni attotopeliye Nluku o wirimu oovahile eenani mmatatani mwaa.

Ni ahommaha mphantte wonakhumi wo citthu cothene carinawe. ²¹Ni mwene o Sotoma ahomwiirela Aparamu: Ukivaheke atthu ayo, weva ukuseke mihakhu nnyo. ²²Nanso Aparamu ahomwiirela mwene o Sotoma: Kihowusa matata aka kilupelaka wa Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku Ooculu, mwaneene irimu ni itthaya.

²³Akintthuna itthu phi itthu iri yawaa, hata nripwe wokwakwaatta caa, wiira we uhikiirele: Kihonthaciriha Aparamu.

²⁴Khiwo imphavelaka, kahiki yoolya

ililyaya ipottha caka ni mphantte ommwaca Aneri, Esikoli ni Manree, yakiveleenle. Ayo yakheleke mphantte aya.

Nluku nankhuluveliha mwana

15 Cinavinrene nnya citthu nnya, nuulumo na Mwaneene Nluku nahowa waAparamu munttorani:

Uhoove, Aparamu! Mi phi mi, mwaakihi aa.

Itthuwo aa inhala ukhala yuulupale.

²Nanso Aparamu ahokoha: Pwiya Nluku, unhala ukivahani, kamana nanlelo akirina mwana ni nohala uhalana cirinaka phi Eliyeseri o Tamasiku? ³Ni ahoncerera tho eeraka: We khukivahile mena mwana! Karumeya aka phinhala ukhala nkalanupa aka.

⁴Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahomwaakhula eeraka: Nkalanupa aa khanhala ukhala uyo. Mwana oonyara yo weva phinhala wuuranttela. ⁵Anku-miheraka vate inupa, ahomwiirela: Uwehe wirimu ni waalikele itthoottwa, wooryaka waalikela. Ni ahopwaherera eeraka: Nloko naa nno phinhalaya ukhala toko nnya itthoottwa nnya.

⁶Aparamu ahonkupali Mwaneene Nluku ni yeeyo yahopankiya ukhala ikhweeli aya.

⁷Ahomwiirela nanlelo: Mi Mwaneene Nluku kuukumihile Ur yo Kasiti wiira kuvaha ila ilapo ela ukhala yawaa.

⁸Aparamu ahonkoha eeraka: Pwiya Nluku, kinhala ucuwela cani wiira khweeli kimmopattha?

⁹Ule ahomwaakhula: Ukiwiihere mwamope, ipuri ni ikhontwaa, cothene cokhalana myakha miraru cookumi ni ciicammo nciya nimoca ni ikhunnta imoca.

¹⁰Aparamu ahowiha cothene cenye inama nnye, ahottupula iriyariru ni aheekathi khula mphantte uhoolo wa nkhwaya, nanso asanuni ayo khat-

tupulanihile. ¹¹Vano inaka cahopacera ukhuruwela vanamani vale, nanso Aparamu anhakha. ¹²Wakelaya ncuwa, Aparamu cahomola ikhove cuulupale ni yahommwela ipiphi yiinci.

¹³Vano Apwiya yahomwiirela: Ucuwele wiira uneethi aa unokkhala ilapo ihiri yawaya, inkelaya upankiye ipottha ni uhuvihya myakha iminya cese. ¹⁴Nanso mi kimmottarusa ilapo inhala wupankani ipottha ni wahoolo mumokhuma ni mihakhu cinci. ¹⁵Nanso we unaahala urwaa ni mpuha waanhakhalayi aa ni unhala uvithiya unooluvanle cinenne.

¹⁶Nloko noneecese, uneethi aa unaturuwela va kontha utakhali wa Amorewu khunaya uphiya nlipa naya.

¹⁷Wahoolo ncuwa ninakenlene ni iwaaka ipiphi, yahoonnya niikho yotthuwa mwiisi ni nthuko woopharela wahovira nnamani coottupulanihaciya nye. ¹⁸Nenne nihuku nne Mwaneene Nluku aholeehana ni Aparamu. Uneethi aa kihovaha ilapo ela ukhuma mooloko wo Wiciipitu mpaka mooloko muulupale uneehaninya Ufarati, ¹⁹ilapo yo maKenii, yo maKenesii, yo maKetimonii; ²⁰yo maHitita, yo maFeresii; yo maRefayinii, ²¹ya Amorewu, yo maKanaa, yo maKirkasii ni yo maYepusii.

Uyarya wa Sumayili

16 Vano, Sarayi, amwaarawe Aparamu khaayanre. Kamana ahaana ipottha awe yo mwanthiyana o Wiciipitu, eehaninya Hakari. ²Sarayi ahomwiirela Aparamu: Kamana Mwaneene Nluku hokateliha uyara, nkuseke ipottha aka. Pooti kinapanka nloko nhina mo yeeyo. Aparamu aheewelega yahimilyawe Sarayi. ³Wakhumelenyaya ukati wapiihenyaya Aparamu awaanyawe myakha khumi akhalaka uKanaa. Wari yooyo ukati uyo, Sarayi wanvahile

awe Aparamu ipottha awe yo Wiciipitu yiihaniyaka Hakari. ⁴Uyo ahonthukumanana Hakari ni ahorupala. Woonyaya irukulu, Hakari ahopacera waweha nseru athiyana a akunya awe.

⁵Vano Sarayi ahomwiirela Aparamu: Wumorele yo weva ula uruttu ula ukihuviha waa. Kihoovaha ipottha aka mmatatani mwaa, vano woonyaya wiira ihorupala, inakitarawa. Mwaneene Nluku akhale mayohukumu; ni mayonihukumu mi ni we. ⁶Aparamu ahomwaakhula Sarayi: Ipottha aa iri mmatatani mwaa. Upanke inhala wucivela. Vano Sarayi ahonhuviha Hakari mpaka ule utthawa.

⁷Ncelo aApwiya ahomphwanya Hakari vakhiviru ni ilusi muthakoni, ni iphiro inrwaa uSuri, ⁸ni ahonkoha: Hakari, ipottha ya Sarayi, unkhuma vayi? Unkela vayi? Ule ahaakhula eeraka: Kinontthawa Sarayi, nkunya aka. ⁹Ncelo a Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiirela: Uturuwele wa nkunya aa ni wevagherere wa yooyo. ¹⁰Ncelo aheera tho: Kimmowuncerera nloko naa ni khaawo nohala woorya waalikela. ¹¹Aheereliya tho ni Ncelo a Mwaneene Nluku:

We uhorupala ni unamphwanya mwana ni urwaa ummaha ncina na Sumayili, kontha Mwaneene Nluku homwiiwa muhuvani mwaa.

¹²Uyo nohala ukhala toko mwaapuru oontakhwani.

Ntata nawe ninhala ukhala no waanana othene

ni matata a atthu othene anhala ukhala umwanana uyo,

ni makhalelo awe anhala ukhala uwaana na asunnawe.

¹³Nna phi ncina nanvahilyawe Mwaneene Nluku amuulumannyawe: We El Royi, kontha eenre: Kihomoonu ule nokoonu? ¹⁴Phimaana ilusi iri iriyariru

o Kattes ni Perete, wiihaninye Iluusi yo Lahayi-Royi.

¹⁵Hakari ahonnyara mwana a Aparamu ni ule ahommaha ncina na Sumayili. ¹⁶Aparamu aarina myakha thamanini na siita (86) ceyarelo ukati wannyanryawe Hakari Sumayili.

Wuula icantto phi ikanyero yo nleehano

17 Aparamu unhaleelaka mwakha mmoca wiira apiihere iminya (99) ceyarelo, ahomphwanyinya ni Mwaneene Nluku ni ahomwiirela: Phi mi Nluku Okuru Cothene.

Weette toko cintthunaka ni wiivagherere wa mi.

²Kinawuleehanana we.

Kinawuncerera venci ucuulu aa.

³Aparamu ahooromela vathi ni Nluku ahomwiirela: ⁴Uviriyane. Nna phi nleehano naka we ni mi. We unhala ukhala athumwanaya ilapo cinci. ⁵Khunhala wiihaninya tho Aparamu. Ncina naa ninhala ukhala Aparahamu, kontha mi kihoohela ukhala athumwanaya ilapo cinci.

⁶Kinaahala uwunnuwiha venci ni nhina mwawe kinapanka maloko menci mwawe ammokhuma mamwene. ⁷Kimopanka nleehano naka mi ni we ni ucuulu aa uttuli waya mmalokoni mwaya, wiira kikhale Nluku aa ni Nluku a alokwaa, nimmokhala nleehano noohimala. ⁸Ilapo yothene yo Kanaa, uryaa nletto, kimmowuvaha toko yawaa mpaka khalay; we ni ucuulu aa ni mi kinhala ukhala Nluku aya.

⁹Vaavale Nluku ahomwiirela tho Aparahamu: Usunke nleehano naka, ukhuma we mpaka ucuulu aa wothene unhalaa ukhalana. ¹⁰Nna phi nleehano naka kimpankaka we nu ucuulu aa, ninlamuliya usunkiya, alopwana othene nhina wa nyu, anlamuliya wuula icantto. ¹¹Nnolamuliya upanka

ila icantto ela toko ikanyero yo nleehano naka mi ni we. ¹²Ukhuma nloko naa urwaka uhoolo, mwana mwanlopwana rina mahuku nanne, nolamuliya wuula icantto, akhale ooyariya wapuwani waa hata nayo oothuminya toko ipottha pooti ohikhala alokwaa. ¹³Akhale ooyariya wapuwani waa, atthuna oothuminya ni nsuruku, anlamuliya wuulihya icantto wiira nleehano naka nooheliya ikanyero mwirutthuni mwinyu nikhale nleehano noohimala. ¹⁴Ntthu phi ntthu mwanlopwana oohuula icantto, nolamuliya ukumihinya iriyari wo uneethi aka, hohanyuriha nleehano naka.

Asaara anannyara mwana

¹⁵Nluku ahomwiirela tho Aparahamu: Ukhuma nenna vaa mpaka wahoolo, amwaaraa kxanhala wiihaninya tho Sarayi. Ncina naya ninhala ukhala Asaara. ¹⁶Mi kinawareeriha ni nhina wa yaayo kinnowuvaha mwana. Khweeli, mi kinawareeriha ni mwa yaayo ammokhuma maloko, mamwene ni ilapo ca atthu.

¹⁷Vano, Aparahamu ahooromela vathi, ahothyaa ni aheera: Wana-wooryaa nlopwana o myakha iminya (100) ceyarelo unnyara mwana? Wanawooryaa Asaara uyara toko warinaya myakha miloko mithanu na micesei (90)? ¹⁸Aparahamu ahomwiirela Nluku: Unhiye Sumayili akhale nkumi wamiithoni waa. ¹⁹Vano Nluku ahomwaakhula: Khweeli Asaara amwaaraa, unannyarana mwana ni we unnomwiihana Isaki. Ni yooyo kimmopankana nleehano noohimala wamoca nu ucuulu awe wothene. ²⁰Mwaha wa Sumayili, kiheewa. Uviriyane. Kinonreeriha, kinnonvaha atthu enci ni kimmowuncerera ucuulu awe. Uyo nohala ukhala athumwanaya

mamwene khumi na meeli ni nhina wo yooyo immokhuma ilapo yuulupale. ²¹Nanso nleehano naka, mi kinhala upanka ni Isaki, mwana nohala unnyara Asaara mwahiyu yoola ukati ula. ²²Wamanlyawe wuulumaca na Aparahamu, Nluku ahothama nuuwela.

²³Nenno nihuku nno, Aparahamu ahonkusa Sumayili ni othene yayarenle wapuwani wawe na ale yathuminye, alopwana othene owapuwani wawe ahooliha icantto toko Nluku canlamulenlyawe.

²⁴Ukati woolihiyaya, Aparahamu wahalela mwakha mmoca wiira apiihere iminya (99) ceyarelo ²⁵ni mwanaya aarina myakha khumi na miraru. ²⁶Aparahamu ni Sumayili yoonle icantto nenno nihuku nno. ²⁷Wamoca na Aparahamu, yahoolihya icantto atthu othene owapuwani wawe, ooyareela vava na ale oothuminya uttayi.

Aletto araru wa Aparahamu

18 Nihuku nimoca ukati woothana Mwaneene Nluku ahonkhumelela Aparahamu nonkomile wankhora wo heema ankhuruttunlyawe mmitthucini co mooko co Manree. ²Aparahamu ahowusa miiitho awe ni ahoona alopwana araru anamwemeleenle vakhiviru. Woono wawe ahonwa wankhora wonkomilyawe ni wowakuvyaca wene aheekamela ni ahooromela mpaka vathi. ³Aheera: Pwiya, wakhala wiira wanakiphwanela, nhipwaha wakarumeya enyu, woheemela. ⁴Kinaruma wiira awaaniye maasi wiira nrapihe inyaa cinyu ni mmumule vathi mwiri ula. ⁵Kinawuwiiherani yoolya wiira mphwanye ikuru, wahoolo nnapwahaka ukhala wiira nhophiya wakarumeya enyu. Ale yahaakhulaca: Aye, upanke toko cuulumacilyaa.

⁶Wowakuvyaca wene, Aparahamu ahokela nheemani ni aheerela Asaara wiira ahaawule iphepa yotteela ya atthu araru, ni anyatte ni apanke mikatthe. ⁷Wahoolo ahorwaa muncicini ni ahonthanla mwaamope omaana, ahonvaha ipottha awe wiira antthenkace wowakuvyaca. ⁸Ahowana nhuci wookikitthiya, ileeti ni ipilipica conama catthenkacye ni ahaavahaca. Alyacaka ono, yaheemelelaca wantthucini.

⁹Vano yahonkohaca: Amwaara Asaara ayo, ari vayi? Ule ahaakhula: Ari nheemani mwe. ¹⁰Vano nlopwana mmoca aheera: Kinawuphwanya tho mwaahiyu ni amwaaraa Asaara kinhala waaphwanya ni mwana. Asaara yeera yiiwaka moolumo ayo nari wiithela nkhora wo heema.

¹¹Aparahamu ni Asaara yahoolu-valaca venci ni Asaara wahaanvirela ukati wooyara. ¹²Phimaana yahothyaa veekhawe yupuwelaka wiira, kinooluvanlene wanaahala ukitteeliha tho nrima?

¹³Nanso Mwaneene Nluku ahomwi-irela Aparahamu: Asaara ayo anthyani yiraka: Khweeli kinaahala uyara mi kinooluvanlene? ¹⁴Ihaawo itthu inolwanawe Mwaneene Nluku? Kinawuphwanya tho mwaahiyu yoola ukati ula ni Asaara kinhala waphwanya anayanre. ¹⁵Vano Asaara yahoova phimaana yahoruna yiraka: Mi akithyele. Ule aheerela: Nhirune, nthothyaa nyu.

Aparahamu naswalela uSotoma ni uKomora

¹⁶Vano alopwana ale warwaya yahoona uhitto nwo ilapo yo Sotoma. Aparahamu ahaaveleela ni waleeha. ¹⁷Vaavale Mwaneene Nluku aheera: Kinanvithela Aparahamu itthu inhalaka upanka, ¹⁸ukhala wiira Aparahamu nohala ukhala athumwanaya ilapo

yuulupale ni yokuru, ni mwanlattu wo yooyo ilapo cothene cinareerihya. ¹⁹Kontha mi kihonthanla wiira aahimerye asaanawe ayo ni ucuulu awe uyo wiira yiisunke mphironi mwa Mwaneene Nluku, apaankaka coosariya ni ceekhweeli wiira Mwaneene Nluku anvahe Aparahamu citthu cinkhuluvelihilyawe.

²⁰Mwaneene Nluku aheera tho: Cinriyeleliyaya a Sotoma ni a Komora ciri ciinci ni itaampi caya nnyo cihotepa. ²¹Kinakhuruwela wonwo koone wakhala wiira cinhiminya nnyo ciri ceekhweeli, cakhala cowootheriya kacuwele.

²²Vano alopwana ale yahokhumaca arwaka uSotoma nanso Aparahamu ahohala ninlelo ni Mwaneene Nluku. ²³Aparahamu ahaattamerya ni aheerela: Unantankanyaa nasariya wamoca ni nkaafiri? ²⁴Kaahiki yakhalaka anasariya hansiini mparasa mmo nanlelo nnatankanyaa ni khannohala unemecera nipuro nno mwanlattu wo wafenta anasariya hansiini ariwo ayo? ²⁵Yukhaleni uttayi upanka yeeyo itthu iyo, umwiiva nasariya wamoca ni nkaafiri toko wiira oyeeli ayo analikana, yukhaleki uttayi! Khanhala wuuluma wosariya hukhumu olapo yothene?

²⁶Mwaneene Nluku ahaakhula: Mi kaaphwanyaka anasariya hansiini uSotoma nwo, mwanlattu wo wafenta yaayo, kinaahala unemecera iparasa eyo yothene.

²⁷Aparahamu ahaakulela tho: Kihocuwela wiira kihooocurweelani uwuulumanani Pwiya, mi kinari ntthupi ni ittura. ²⁸Nanlelo kinakoha: Kaahiki yahalaka athanu wiira aphyere anasariya hansiini? Nnatankanyaa iparasa eyo mwanlattu wo yaayo athanu ayo? Ayo yahaakhula: Kaaphwanyaka nwo arupayini nathanu akintankanya.

²⁹Ahaakhanyereriha Aparahamu: Kaahiki mwaphwanyaka arupayini paahi? Ayo yahomwaakhula: Mwanlattu wowafenta atthu arupayini ayo, akintankanya.

³⁰Vano ule ahopwaherera: Nhiviruwe Pwiya, nkilevele kuulume. Kaahiki mwaphwanyaka talathini pahi? Mwaneene Nluku ahomwaakhula: Kaaphwanyaka talathini akintankanya.

³¹Aparahamu aheera tho: Kihocuwela wiira kihocurweelani uwuulumanani Pwiya; kaahiki mwaphanyaka nwo siriini? Mwaneene Nluku ahaakhula: Mwanlattu wowafenta siriini ayo, akintankanya.

³²Vano Aparahamu aheera tho: Nhiviruwe Pwiya, nanso nkilevele wiira kuulume ikwaha imoca pahi. Kaahiki mwaphwanyaka khumi pahi? Mwaneene Nluku ahaakhula: Mwanlattu wo wafenta khumi ayo, akintankanya.

³³Namanleene umuulumana Aparahamu, Mwaneene Nluku ahokhuma ni Aparahamu ahoturuwela uwaani.

Ancelo eeli yahophiyaca uSotoma

19 Wakelaya ncuwa nno ancelo eeli ale yahophiyaca uSotoma, ni Loti onkomile wankhora woparasa. Ukati woonnyawe ahoonwa ni ahorwaa wakhelelaca. Ahokhoroma ni ahopiiha iyuci awe vathi, ²ni aheerelaca: Asuulupale aka, sontte. Nkivelele mpani wa karumeyi inyu. Wonwo nnaahala urupa nuurapa. Wasaka meelo mpwaheke nrwaka. Ayo yahaakhulaca: Mena, ninkorupa vate. ³Nanso ule ahaakhanyererihaca, ni ale yahommelelaca ni yahokelaca mpani. Loti ahoruma watthonkomanisheraca yoolya ni woosa mikatthe cohi miropo, ni ale yaholyaca.

⁴Ahinaya urwaca wurupani, alopwana othene o miphantte cothene

co Sotoma, ukhuma acikani ni oolupale yahovirelaca inupa eyo. ⁵Ni yahomwiihanaca Loti amwiirelaca: Ari vayi alopwana awacile wapuwanani waa ayo ula uhiyu ula? Uniwihere vate va nimphavela waarupana. ⁶Loti ahokhuma mpani mmo, ni ahotthyaa nkhora uyo ntuli ntuli, ⁷ni aheerelaca: Mena asimpwanaka! Nhipankace itthu yoonanara! ⁸Moonace, kihaana asaana eeli asithiyana asimwarusi. Kinawawana wiira nyu mwapankace itthu imphavelenyu. Nanso ala asilopwana ala nhaapankace itthu, kontha ari mmatatani mwaka ni ankhicera ipuwa aka. ⁹Yahokhuwelaca yiiraka: Ukhume va! Ni yaheeraca tho: Ula nlopwana ula ri nletto, vano nophavela ukhala mayoohukhumu! Ninkowupanka we itthu yootepa wavikana ayo. Vano yahonkakhaca Loti wonkhitto ni yahorwaca uhoole wiira yaakace nkhora. ¹⁰Commo, aletto eeli ale yahonvaraca Loti nuumpurulela mpani ni yahotthyaca nkhora oyo. ¹¹Vano yaharakalihaca ni iretta yohoona alopwana yari wankhora wonupa ayo, ukhuma acikani mpaka asuulupale ayo, mpaka wahinooryaya uphwanya nkhora.

Nluku ahokurusela mooro iparasa yo Sotoma ni uKomora

¹²Alopwana eeli ale yahonkohaca Loti: We uhaana tho ntthu mparasani mu, mivokohica, asaana asilopwana na asithiyana, atthuna mmuci nkina? Mwatamihace va, ¹³kontha nimphavela ukwanyulaca nna nipuro nna. Cinariyelelawe Mwaneene Nluku ala atthu ala ciri cinci, phimaana honiruma ukwanyula iparasa. ¹⁴Vano Loti ahorwaa wuulumana mivokohi cawe, ale yahala waathelaca asaanawe, ni yaheerelaca: Nkhumace wowakuvyaca nna nipuro nna, kontha Mwaneene Nluku

nophavela ukwanyulaca iparasa ela! Nanso ayo yahopuwelaca wiira uyo aanawathwelana.

¹⁵Ukhuma waya ncuwa, ancelo ale yahonkhanyererihaca Loti yiiraka: Wakuve! Wakuse amwaaraa na asaanaa eeli, athhuna ni nyu nnaahala ukhwaca wanhalaya uttarusiya iparasa eyo. ¹⁶Amananihaka ukhotta, asilopwana ale yahommaraca moonoo oyo, wamoca na amwaarawe na asaanawe, ni yahaakumihaca nipuro nno wokuru ni yahohiyaciya uta waya iparasa, kontha Mwaneene Nluku ahoonelaca ikiriri. ¹⁷Ukumihiya waya mparasa mmo, ncelo mmoca ahomwiirela Loti: Nthhawe mwanlattu wofenta ukumi! Uhiwehe uttuli wala uheemele nipuro nnikuwani! Utthawe umyakoni, athhuna we unaahala wiiviya!

¹⁸Wahoolo Loti aheerelaca: Mena, Pwiya aka! ¹⁹Karumeyi inyu hokhala uwoopwa mwanlattu wokiriri cinyu, kontha nyu nhokoonela ikiriri nrat-tavelelaka ukumi aka. Akinoorya utthawela mpaka umwakoni, wiira yowerya ila ihikiphwanye ni mi kikhwaaka. ²⁰Vakhiviru va ihaawo iparasa yankani. Iri vakhiviru cinenne wahoreera utthawa mpaka uphiya wonwo. Nkihiye kirwee wonwo! Hata ikhale yankani cinenne, kinkokhala uwoopwene. ²¹Ule ahaakhula: Wahoreera. Mi kinaahala wukavihera yeeyo ivekenlyaa eyo. Akinhala ukwanyula iparasa inhimilya eyo. ²²Wakuve utthawe. Akinhala upanka itthu we uhinaya uphiya wonwo. Phi-maana iparasa iyo yihihaniyaka Sowari, manaaya ikani.

²³Loti, uphiya wawe uSowari, ncuwa nahokhuma mwilaponi mmo. ²⁴Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahokurusela ilapo yo Sotoma nuKomora mooro wowopiha wookhuma wirimu. ²⁵Commo yahokwanyula nye iparasa nye ni nikuwa nothene, wamoca na athhu

yakhalaca ayo ni imatta caya nyo. ²⁶Nanso amwaarawe Loti yahoweha uttuli ni yahothatuwa iruwa yo maakha.

²⁷Wasilyaya, Aparahamu ahonwa ni ahoturuwela nipuro namoonananyawe Mwaneene Nluku. ²⁸Ni ahoweha uSotoma nuKomora, nu nikuwani nothene, ni ahoona mwiisi mwinci uwelaka ukhuma vathi, toko mwiisi wo ntukutthani.

²⁹Ukati wakwanyunlyawe iparasa ciri unikuwani, Nluku ahomuupuwela Aparahamu ni ahonkumiha Loti mmasakhani wokwanyuliya iparasa cakhalawe.

Loti ahokhuma uSowari na asaanawe eeli asithiyana

³⁰Loti ahokhuma uSowari na asaanawe eeli asithiyana ni yahorwaca ukhala umyakoni, kontha anawoova ukhala uSowari. Ule akhala nnikhukuni wamoca na asaanawe eeli asithiyana.

³¹Nihuku nimoca, mwana mwanthiyana omuulupale, ahomwiirela omwankani uyo: Apaapehu ahooluvala, ni khaawo nlopwana vakhiviru unithela toko ilemalelo yolapo yothene.

³²Nrwee naavahe nipha apaapehu ni wahoolo va nathukumananeke wiira nloko nihi nihikhwelakhwele.

³³Yoole uhiyu ule yahaavahaca nipha apaapaya. Vano mwana mwanthiyana oomuulupale uyo ahokela ni ahaathukumanana athumwane. Ni ale khayaacuwelenle ukati warupilyawe ni wonwilyawe. ³⁴Usa waya, mwana mwanthiyana omuulupale uyo ahomwiirela omwankani uyo wiira: Uhiyu kihaathukumanana apaapa. Nrwee naavahe tho nipha ula uhiyu ula, ni we unaahala waathukumanana, wiira nihikhwelakhwele nloko na apaapehu. ³⁵Vano tho yahaavahaca nipha athumwanaya yoole uhiyu ule, ni mwana mwanthiyana omwankani

uyo ahorwaa wathukumanana. Ni ayo khayaacuwelenele ukati warupawe ni wonwilyawe. ³⁶Commo, asaana oyeeli a Loti yahorupalihaciya na athumwanaya.

³⁷Omuulupale uyo ahonnyara mwana, ni ahommaha ncina na Mwape. Yooyo phiri athumwane Amwape oleelo. ³⁸Omwankani uyo ciicammo ahonnyara mwana, ni ahommaha ncina na Pin-Amii. Ula phiri athumwane athu Amonii oleelo.

Aparahamu na Apimeleke

20 Aparahamu ahokhuma vale arwaaka nttethe wo Nekepe ni ahorwaa ukhala iriyariru Katesi nuSuri. Wahoolo ahokhala ukati vakani uKerari. ²Uyo eerela: Asaara wiira mwan-rokoraka. Vano, Apimeleke, mwene uKerari ahoruma urweliya Asaara ni ahaakusa ukhala awawe. ³Yooyo uhiyu uyo Nluku ahowa waApimeleke munttorani ni ahomwiirela: We unaakhwa! Athiyana yakusilyaa ayo ahotheliya. ⁴Nanso Apimeleke, hinaya waarupana aheera: Pwiya, nnowa ukwanyula uneethi wohicuwela itthu? ⁵Kahimmwe yooyo phikiirenle: Nthiyana ola mwan-rokoraka? Ni ayo khayinre: Nlopwana ola nrokoraka? Ipankilyaka iri yo nrima wooreera ni wohinlattu.

⁶Vano Nluku ahomwaakhula munttorani: Aye, mi kinacuwela wiira upankile itthu iyo ni nrima wooreera. Mi kihohiha wiira uhikufuru phimaana kiwatelihaka warupana. ⁷Vano waturusele athiyana ayo wa awannyaya. awannyaya Ayo nnapiyu, ni anawuswalela wowufentelela, wiira we uhikhwe. Nanso wahaturuseke ukupali wiira we ni awaa othene nnakhwaca.

⁸Wasilyaya wicisuru Apimeleke ahaalattula mahumu awe ni wattonkela

cothene cankhumelenle, ni yahoovaca venci.

⁹Wahoolo Apimeleke ahomwiihana Aparahamu ni ahomwiirela: Unipankile cani? Kukosenre isiyani mpaka ukikosiha venci ni omwene aka wothene? Ikipankile iyo khampankiya ntthu. ¹⁰Ni Apimeleke ahonkoha Aparahamu: Yupankihile isiyani commo? ¹¹Aparahamu ahaakhula: Kahoopuwela wiira: Khweeli khaawo nomoova Nluku nna nipuro nna ni kinawiiyiya nlattu wa amwaaraka. ¹²Uhiya commo, ayo khweeli mwanrokoraka mphantte wa apaapa, nanso wohikhala mpantte wa maama. Vano ahokhala amwaaraka. ¹³Ni Nluku wakikumihilyawe uwaani wa apaapa, mi kaheerela amwaaraka ayo: Nkiweele iraati: Nipuro phi nipuro ninhalehu uphiya, nkiireleke wiira: Ule nrokoraka.

¹⁴Vano Apimeleke ahowiha ikhontwaa ni imope, ipottha cilopwana ni cithiyana, ahommaha Aparahamu ni ahonturusela amwaarawe ayo. ¹⁵Ni Apimeleke aheera: Ilapo aka iri ni we. Ukhaleke nipuro phi nipuro ninoocivela. ¹⁶Apimeleke ahomwiirela Asaara: Arokoraa ayo kihaavaha ncurukhu elufu (1000) wopheeta, wiira walivyane wutthekenlyaka va wamiithoni wa athu othene. Commo othene phinhalaya ucuwela wiira we khiwo incuwelaa yookosa.

¹⁷Wahoolo, Aparahamu ahonvekela Nluku wiira avone, ni Nluku ahomvonihani ni amwaarawe ni ipottha cawe, mpaka yahanca uyaraca, ¹⁸kontha Mwaneene Nluku ahaapankaca eekupa asithiyana othene a Apimeleke nlattu wa Asaara, amwaa a Aparahamu.

Uyarya wa Isaki

21 Mwaneene Nluku ari ooloka ni Asaara, toko camwiirenlyawe, ni

ahompanka toko cankhuluvelihilyawe. ²Ukati wacilyawe Nluku, Asaara ahonnyara mwana ni ahommaha Aparahamu nooluvanle. ³Mwana annyaryawe Asaara, Aparahamu ahommaha ncina na Isaki. ⁴Isaki wapiihenyawe mahuku mathanu na mararu ookumi, Aparahamu ahomuuliha icaantto, toko calamuleliyawe ni Nluku. ⁵Ukati wannyaryawe Isaki, Aparahamu ahaana myakha iminya (100). ⁶Asaara aheera: Nluku hokiteeha, ni othene anhala ucuwela ila itthu ila anaahala uthyaa ni mi wamoca. ⁷Ni ahopwaherera eeraka: Aacuwela tipani wiira Asaara anhala umwaamwiha mwana? Mothene mmo, mi kihommaha mwana Aparahamu nooluvanle.

Uthama wa Akaari ni Sumayili ntthoko na Asaara

⁸Isaki ahonnuwa ni ahohiihiya nipele. Ni nenno nihuku nno Aparahamu ahopanka isukuhuulu. ⁹Woonnyaya Asaara wiira mwana a Akaari, munnaciipitu, annanveha Isaki, ¹⁰yahomwiirela Aparahamu: Umoomole Akaari ni mwanawe uyo, kontha mwanaka mi kxanhala ukhala nkelanupa wamoca ni ula mwana ula. ¹¹Iyo yahoncukuliha venci Aparahamu kontha ahokela mpwiini mmo mwanawe. ¹²Nanso Nluku ahomwiirela Aparahamu: Uhicukulace nlattu wo mwana ni wopottha. Upanke yothene inhalaya uhimya Asaara, kontha nhina mwa Isaki phinhalaya ulemelihiya amucyaa ayo. ¹³Nanso, ciicammo nhina wa mwana eepottha unakhala uneethi, kontha ni uyo ri mwanaa.

¹⁴Wasilyaya wicisuru, Aparahamu ahokusa mikatthe ni nipinka no maasi oocareene, phunvahaka Akaari wiira akuse wanikhatani wawe ni ahonleeha wamoca ni mwanawe ule. Uyo ahottotta

nttala, phurwaaka arukureryacaka itakhwa yo Peresepa.

¹⁵Wamanlyaya maasi nnipinkani mmwe, ahonhiya mwanawe waniphumpuluni ¹⁶ni ahonkoma vakhiviru wene, mattalivelo aya yaari toko wanvelavelaya muupa wovonyinya ni muura, kontha eera: Akinthuna umoona mwanaka akhwaka. Ni nonkomilene vaavale, ahopacera wunla.

¹⁷Nluku aheewa wunla wo mwana, ni ncelo a Nluku o wirimu, ahomwiirela Akaari ni ahomwiirela: Unocukulani, Akaari? Uhoove, kontha Nluku heewa wunla wa mwanaa nwo nipuro nimweesilyaa nno. ¹⁸Unkuse mwanaa uyo, kontha nhina mwa yooyo kim-mopanka uneethi mwinci.

¹⁹Vano Nluku ahontthukula wiitho Akaari ni ahoona iluusi. Ahorwaa mpaka nenne nipuro nne, ahocariha maasi nnipinkani mmwe nuunvaha mwanawe wiira awurye. ²⁰Nluku ari ni mwana uyo. Uyo ahonnuwa, ahokhala ntakhwani ni ahokhala mayolupattha ni muura. ²¹Aakhala itakhwa yo Paraa, ni anumwane yahomphavelela nthiyana olapo yo Wiciipitu.

Aparahamu nawaatana ni Apimeleke

²²Yoole ukati ule, Apimeleke naveleeliyene ni Fikoli, nhooleli aanakhotto awe, ahomwiirela Aparahamu: Nluku ri ni we ni cithu cothene cimpankaa. ²³Vano, ukilupelele, wamiithoni wa Nluku, wiira khunkithepya tho, ukhuma mi mpaka asaanaka nu ucuulu aka wothene. Ulokihe ilapo iwakhelenle unari nletto ni malokelo yupakilyaka. ²⁴Aparahamu ahaakhula eeraka: mi Kiholupela.

²⁵Nanso Aparahamu ahonkuphula Apimeleke nlattu woluusi yakhiyaya ipottha cawe ni nkhitto. ²⁶Nanso Apimeleke ahomwaakhula:

Akinoncuwela pankile iyo itthu iyo. Khunakihimerya itthu, ilelo va phincuwelaka.

²⁷ Paahi, Aparahamu ahowiha ikhontwaa ni imope, phimmahaka Apimeleke ni othene yaholehana itthu imoca. ²⁸ Aparahamu ahothanlela nipuro naya ikhontwaa saapa. ²⁹ Apimeleke ahonkoha eeraka: Inthoonyera isiyani ikhontwaa saapa cikumihilyaa munhuwoni mmo? ³⁰ Uyo ahaakhula: Utthune ikhontwaa cinoovahaaka nnya, toko usaahiti wocuwanyaa wiira thi mi kithipile ilusi ila.

³¹ Phimaana nne nipuro nne nihaaninyaka uPeresepa, kontha oyeeli wonwo phaatanacilyaya.

³² Anaatanacilene uPeresepa, Apimeleke ni Fikoli, nhooleli anakhotto awe, yahohokoleela ilapo yo mafalistiya.

³³ Aparahamu arwaaka ahomphattyya wepa uPerisepa ni vaavale aholapela ncina na Mwaneene Nluku Oohimala.

³⁴ Ni Aparahamu ahokhala ukati mwinci ilapo yo mafalistiya.

Nluku ahonlawiha Aparahamu

22 Unavinre ukati vakani, Nluku ahonlawiha Aparahamu, amwi-irelaka: Aparahamu. Uyo ahaakhula: Phi mi va. ² Vano Nluku aheera: Unkuse mwanaa, mwanaa mmoca yooyo, Isaki nonfentesaa uyo, ni urwee ntetthe wo Muriyaa. Wakipankele yooyo wonwo isataka yoopahiya wamwaakoni unhalaaka wuthoonyera.

³ Wasilyaya vale, Aparahamu ahonwa ni ahontthenkemaniha puuru awe, ahaatthukana nloko amirawo awe eeli wamoca ni Isaki mwamwanawe, ahopharula ikhuni cosataka, ahopwaha arwaaka nipuro nahimeriyawe ni Nluku. ⁴ Nihuku noneeraru, Aparahamu

ahowusa miittho awe ni ahoona nipuro nno nari uttayi. ⁵ Ule aheerela amirawo awe: Nhalaceke va ni puuru ula. Mi ni mmirawo ola ninrwaa uswali nwe ninawuphwanyacani.

⁶ Aparahamu ahokusa ikhuni nnye coorwa upaha isataka ni ahonrya Isaki, ni uyo ahokusa makhala o mooro ni mwaalo. Ni yeettacaka wamoca. ⁷ Isaki aheerela athumwane: Paapa! Aparahamu ahaakhula: Phi mi va, mwanaka. Isaki ahaakoha: Makhala o mooro ni ikhuni phi nnya, vano iri vayi ikhontwaa yotthuwo yoopahiya. ⁸ Aparahamu ahaakhula: Mwanaka, Nluku nanivaha ikhontwaa yotthuwo yoopahiya. Ni yahopwahaca yeettacaka wamoca.

⁹ Waphilyaya nipuro nathoonyeriyawe ni Nluku, Aparahamu ahoteka ikhilompi yoopaha isataka ni ahotataanihaca ikhuni vaavale. Ahontthuka Isaki, phumweesaka waculu ikhuni vale. ¹⁰ Vano ahaawula ntata nakusilyawe mwalo ule wiira anhitte mwanawe. ¹¹ Nanso Ncelo a Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiihana eeraka: Aparahamu! Aparahamu! Ule ahaakhula: Phi mi va. ¹² Vano Ncelo ule aheera: Uhinhonone mmirawo uyo. Uhimpanke itthu. Vano kihocuwela wiira we unamoova Nluku, kontha khukithuwile mwanaa, mwanaa yooyo rinaa mmoca paahi.

¹³ Aparahamu ahowusa miittho awe ni ahoona ikhontwaa inaphanre inyaka caya nnyo wataparikhwani. Ahorwaa ukusa ni ahovaherera itthuwo yoopahiya nipuro no mwanawe. ¹⁴ Aparahamu ahovaha nenno nipuro nno ncina na Mwaneene Nluku Naavaha.* Phimaana mpaka ilelo waneereliyaya: Mmwaakoni mwa Mwaneene Nluku naavaha.

¹⁵ Ikwaha yonayeeli Ncelo a Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiihana

*22:14 i.e. Yehova-Yire

Aparahamu ¹⁶ eeraka: Mwaneene Nluku heera: Kinalupela, mwanlattu wa yeela itthu ipankilyaa, uhikithuwaka mwanaa, mwanaa mmoca yooyo urinaa, ¹⁷ waamini wiira kinawureeraha ni nloko naa kinapanka ninci toko itthoottwa co wirimu ni toko nhava wo mpharyaa. Nloko naa nimmotthema isittatti ceenani aya, ¹⁸ ni nhina mwa neno nloko nno, ilapo cothene cimmoreerihya, kontha we uhokiiwelela.

¹⁹ Vano ahohokoleela Aparahamu waariaya amirawo awe ni othene wamoca yahoturuwela uPereseepa wakhawele.

Ucuulu wa Nahori

²⁰ Unavinre ukati vakani, ahohimerya Aparahamu wiira Milka ahaayara asaana ni Nahori, munnaawe Aparahamu. ²¹ Ussi ari oontthara, Pussi munnaawe, Kemuweli, athumwane Arani, ²² Kesette, Haso, Piltasi, Yitlafi ni Petuweli, ²³ athumwane Repeka. Ala asaana athanu na araru yaayanryawe Milka ni Nahori, munnaawe Aparahamu.

²⁴ Ni mwaarawe oohittelihaninya, neehaninya Reuma, ahaayara asaana ala: Tevaa, Kahami, Tahasi ni Maaka.

Ukhwa wa Asaara

23 Vano Asaara yahokhala myakha iminya wo siriini na saapa (127) ceyarelo, ² ni yahokhwa anari uKiriati-Arapaa uneehaninya Eforoni, ilapo yo Kanaa. Aparahamu aheekhupanya ni wonlela Asaara. ³ Ni Aparahamu ahiyaka mayithi awe ahonwa arwaaka wa asaana a Heti ni aheerela: ⁴ Mi ki nletto, ni mweettakaci. Kinaalepela nipuro noopanka mahiye wiira kivithe mayithi aka. ⁵ Vano asaana a Heti yahomwaakhula Aparahamu yiiraka: ⁶ Univiriyane muulupale,

nhooleli a Nluku uri ni hi. Waavithe amwaraa ayo mahiye anhalaa utthuna. Khaawo nohala wuuthuwa mahiye wiira waavithe amwaraa.

⁷ Vaavale, Aparahamu ahonwa ni ahooromela vathi wamiithoni wasineene ilapo, asaana a Heti. ⁸ Ule aheera: Wakhala wiira nhokitthunihera wavitha amwaraa mu, nkiviriyane. Mwakulumele Eforoni, mwana a Sowari, ⁹ wiira akivahe nikhuku no Makipela niri umaverihela imatta awe iyo, ni akihimerye ihisapu enoncivela wiira akhale mahiye aka.

¹⁰ Vano Eforoni onkomile wamoca na asaana a Heti, ni Eforoni, nHitita, ahomwaakhula Aparahamu, yiwaka asaana a Heti ni atthu othene yaari wa nkhora woparasa eeraka: ¹¹ Mena, muulupale, ukiviriyane. Imatta iyo kinawuvaha, ciicammo nikhuku niri mmattani ni kinawuvaha wa miithoni wa amucyaka, uvitthe mayithi aa ayo.

¹² Vaavale Aparahamu ahooromela wiitho waya asineene ilapo. ¹³ Ni ahomwiirela Heporoni yiwaka atthu othene: Ukiiwe, wakhala wiira unakupali ukihimerye ihisapu yomatta iyo mi kinawuliva, wakhelele ncurukhu aka uyo wiira kivithe mayithi aka.

¹⁴ Vano Eforoni ahomwaakhula Aparahamu eeraka: ¹⁵ Ukiiwe muulupale aka: Imatta iyo ncurukhu aya uri iminya cese wopheeta. Isiyani vava vaa we ni mi? Uvithe mayithi aa ayo. ¹⁶ Aparahamu ahokupali ihisapu ile ni ahokumiha ncurukhu nuunliva Eforoni wahimycilyawe yiwaka asaana othene a Heti, ncurukhu iminya cese wopheeta wathumeliya itthu nnakosoni.

¹⁷ Phimaana nthala na Efromi naari uMakipela uhoolo waya uManre; ukhuma nthala nno, nikhuku naari munthalani mmo, ni miri cari munthalani mmo ni nnyo cari nceresere

nnyo, ¹⁸cahokhala ca Aparahamu maana ahothuma yoonaka asaana othene a Heti naale yari wa nkhora woparasa.

¹⁹Wahoolo Aparahamu ahaavitha amwarawe yeehaninya Asaara nikhukuni niri imatta yo Makipela uhoole waya uManre uneehaninya Eforoni, ilapo yo Kanaa. ²⁰Phimaana imatta iyo ni nikhuku nari mmattani mmo yahokhala mahiye Aparahamu kontha anotumiheriya na asaana a Heti.

Uthela wa Isaki

24 Yooyo ukati uyo Aparahamu ahooluvala ni Mwaneene Nluku ahonvaha iparakha wo citthu cothene. ²Vano Aparahamu amwiihanaka karumeyi awe omuulupale owapuwani arina nlamulo no citthu cothene cariwo, ahomwiirela: Weese ntata naa nno wanatarani waka, ³ni ulupele wa Mwaneene Nluku, mwaneene irimu ni itthaya wiira wamphavele nthiyana oonthela mwamwanaka uhinthanle iriyari ya asithiyana annakanaa anakhalaneehu ala mu. ⁴Nanso urwee uwaani, ilapo iyareliyaka ni wamucyaka ni wanthanle nthiyana nohala unthela mwanaka Isaki.

⁵Vano karumeya uyo ahokoha: Kaahiki nthiyana uyo ahithtuneke uwa ni miyano uno, kaankuseke mwamwaninyu uyo nuunrwana ilapo ikhumileenyu?

⁶Aparahamu ahomwiirela: Kaasope. Akinphela wiira mwamwanaka uyo unturusele uwaani. ⁷Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku o wirimu kikumihile ilapo yo mayapaapa ni iyareelyaka aholupela ni ahokikhuluveliha ukivaha mi ni ucuulu aka ila ilapo ela. Ayo anaahala wuvellelihera ncelo uhoole waa, wiira we waanthanle woonwo nthiyana omaana oohala unthela mwanaka. ⁸Nanso nthiyana uyo ahithtuneke uwa ni we uno, unahala

wothopwa ulupela waa nwo. Itthu ihimphavelaka iri unturusela mwana uyo uwaani. ⁹Vano karumeya ule aheesa ntata nawe wanatarani wa Aparahamu nkunya awe ni aholupela upanka.

¹⁰Vaavale karumeya ule ahokusa inkamira khumi ca nkunya awe, ni ahokhuma ni mihakhu ca nkunya awe ule mmatatani mwawe, ni ahorwaa uMesapotamiya, iparasa yo Nakoori. ¹¹Ni ahokhoromihaca inkamira cawe uta woparasa, vakhiviru ni iluusi, yococilo ukati asithiyana unrwaya urika maasi. ¹²Vano aheera: Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku a nkunya aka Aparahamu, ukivahe ilelo ukumaana wooreera, ni umpanke nnema nkunya aka Aparahamu. ¹³Kinawoona va kemeenle waluusi, ni asaana asithiyana a atthu oparasa ela ammweesa urika maasi va. ¹⁴Nna va kinoolepelani wiira, mwali nohalaka umwiirela uyo: Wiinamihe mwaapu uyo kiwuryee; ni uyo akiirelaka mmuryeke ni kinavaha maasi inkamira cinyu nnyo; yooyo phimwacileenyu wiira anthele karumeya enyu Isaki, ni mi kinahala ucuwela wiira nhonpanka nnema nkunya aka.

¹⁵Vaavale, hinamaliha uswali, ahowa Repeka, mwana a Petuweli, mwana a Milka, amwaara a Nakori, munnaawe Aparahamu, nakusile mwaapu wanikhatani. ¹⁶Mwanthiyana ole aari ooreera venci, mwali oohipaca urupa ni nlopwana; ahophiya waluusi nuucariha mwaapu awe nuuturuwa. ¹⁷Karumeya awe Aparahamu ahontthimakela nuumwiirela ukivahe maasi aari mmwapuni ayo kiwurye. ¹⁸Ule ahaakhula: Uwuryeke nkunya. Wowakuvyaca ahorula mwaapu ule nuunvaha mmatatani mwawe wiira awurye. ¹⁹Vano namanleene unvaha maasi owurya aheera: Kinarika tho maasi kivahe inkamira caa

nnyo wiira ciwurye maasi ootosa.
²⁰Wowakuvyacawene aheethela maasi ale nwuryeryoni monkamira, ni ahorwaa tho uluusi urika maasi mpaka uvaha inkamira cothene.
²¹Nlopwana ole anomaala aweehaka ni awehereryaka wakhala wiira Mwaneene Nluku khaamweetihacile mahala ikwaha awe eyo.

²²Wahoolo inkamira nnyo umala waya uwurya, karumeya a Aparahamu ahokumiha ipaara imoca yopirinku cowooru cookhala imaara siita celemelelo aya ni ikhankani piili cowooru cookhala imaara iminya wosirini celemelelo aya nuunvaha mmatatani mwawe.
²³Vano ahonkoha eeraka: We mwana awani? Kinawulepela ukihimyacere. Ni kahiki nihaawo nipuro waathumwana nwo wiira nomake?
²⁴Mwanthiyana ole ahaakhula eeraka: Mi ki mwana a Petuweli, mwana awannyawe Milka, yariye ni Nakori.
²⁵Ahomwiirela tho: Nihaana malasi, coolya cinci ni nipuro noorupa.
²⁶Vano nlopwana ule ahooroma phinlepelaka Nluku
²⁷eeraka: Areerihye Mwaneene Nluku a nkunya aka Aparahamu, hitamihile nifento neekhweeli wa nkunya aka. Ni Nluku uhokihola mi ikwaha yothene mpaka ukipiha walokwawe nkunya aka.

²⁸Vaavale mwanthiyana ole ahokhuma atthawaka mpaka waanumwane ni ahottonka yakhumeleenle.
²⁹Repeka ahaana nrokorawe eehaniya Lapanu. Ni Lapanu wiiwa wawe mwaha oyo, wowakuvyaca ahokhuma atthawaka mpaka umphwanya nlopwana ule uluusi.
³⁰Kontha weenre coo: Lapanu wamonnyawe mwanrokorawe nawanre ipirinku ni ikhankani nnye, ni wamwiiwilyawe mwanrokorawe uyo ni weewilyawe moolumu amwanrokorawe ayo eeraka: Coo phikulumacenyawe

nlopwana uyo. Vano Lapanu ahonrwela ni ahomphwanya neemenle waluusi ni inkamira cawe nnyo.
³¹Ni ahomwiirela: Nrwee uwaani we ooreerihya ni Nluku unhala urupelani vate? Kontha mi uwaani nwo kihotthenkemaniha mapuro oorupa we mpaka inkamira caa nnyo.
³²Vaavale nlopwana ule uphiya wawe uwaanyawe Lapanu, ahovahiya nipuro noorupa, maasi oorapiha inyaa cawe, wamoca na athu yarinawe, ni inkamira nnye cahoheliya malasi ni makukhu.
³³Vano nawiiheriyeene yoolya, ule aheera: Akinlya mpaka kipacereke uhimya itthu yawenlyaka eyo. Lapanu ahomwaakhula eeraka: Wuulumaceke.
³⁴Ule phenryawe: Mi ki karumeya a Aparahamu.
³⁵Mwaneene Nluku honvaha iparackha ciinci nkunya aka, hokhala thaciri, honvaha ikhontwaa ni imope ciinci, ipheeta ni iwooru, haana ipottha cilopwana ni cithiyana, inkamira ni apuuru.
³⁶Mpaka Asaara mwaara a nkunya aka, honnyarana mwana nooluvanleene ni citthu cothene honvaha mwana uyo.
³⁷Vano nkunya aka hokilupeliha mi eeraka: Uhinkuse nthiyana Annakanaa ri yeela ilapo inkhalaka ila unvahaka mwanaka wiira anthele,
³⁸nanso urwee uwaani, ilapo yo mayapaapa ni wamucyaca wonwo wanthanle nthiyana nohala unthela mwanaka.
³⁹Phimaana mi kahonkoha nkunya aka, wiira kaahiki nthiyana uyo ahitthuneki ukithara uno?
⁴⁰Ule ahokaakhula eeraka: Mwaneene Nluku ri ni mi. Uyo naahala wuuvelelihera ncelo owuuhola iphiro wiira wankuse nthiyana o wanrukuluni waka, o wapuwani wa apaapa wiira anthele mwanaka.
⁴¹Nna unhala wothopwa itthu yurumilyaka weeraka uphiya wamucyaca nwo ukhottiheryaka uvahiya nthiyana oyo. Paahi uhotopwa itthu yurumilyaka eyo

⁴²Phimaana ilelo uphiya waka ulu-usi kiholepela kiiraka: Sontte Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku a ankuya aka Aparahamu, wakhalaka wiira ikwaha impankaka ila iri yotthuna winyu nkeettihe ratta. ⁴³Nna va kiri waluusi yo maasi, nki-iwe, mwali nohala uwa urika maasi uyo, ni mi kimwiirelaka: Ukivahe maasi ki-wurye ommwaapuni mwa ayo; ⁴⁴ni uyo akiirelaka: Uwuryeke we, ni ciicammo kinahala uvaha maasi inkamira caa nnyo paahi yooyo phi nthiyana mwacilyawe Mwaneene Nluku wiira akhale amwaara a mwana a nkunya aka.

⁴⁵Wanowiira kihinamaliha uswali nwo, pha wawe waluusi va Repeka nakusile mwaapu awe wanikhatani ahophiya mpaka waluusi ni ahorika maasi. Vano mi kahomwiirela: Ukivahe maasi kiwurye. ⁴⁶Ule wowakuvyaca aheenamiha mwaapu awe nuukiirela uwuryeke, ni ahovaha uwurya inkamira caka nnyo. ⁴⁷Vano kahonkoha wiira we mwana awani? Uyo ahokaakhula eeraka: Mi ki mwana a Petuweli mwana a Nakori nnyanryawe ni Milika. Phimaana kihommwariha ipirinku nnyo, ni ikhankani mmyononi mmo; ⁴⁸ni kahoromela vathi kinlapelaka nuunsukuru Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku a nkunyaka Aparahamu, kiveleenle iphiro yomaana wiira koonkuse mwana a alokwawe nkunya aka wiira anthele mwanawe.

⁴⁹Nna va munthonyihere ikhweeli nkunya aka, mwatthuna nkihimyacere, ciicammo mwahitthune nkihimyacere wiira mi kicuwele yoweettela.

⁵⁰Vaavale Lapanu ni Petuweli yahaakhula: Cothene cipankaciye ni Mwaneene Nluku, hi khaninoona yowuhimerya yoonanara atthuna yooreera. ⁵¹Nna va Repeka uyo phu ula. Unkuseke ni urweke wiira atheliye ni mwana akunya aa, toko cihimilyawe Mwaneene Nluku. ⁵²Vano

karumeya Aparahamu, ahoromela vathi anlapelaka Mwaneene Nluku. ⁵³Ni ahokumiha mihaca copheeta, cowooru ni ikuwo phummahaka Repeka. Ciicammo ahokumiha citthu comaana phummahaka nrokorawe eehaninya Lapanu ni anumwane.

⁵⁴Wahoolo, ule na alopwana yarinawe ale aholya nuurupa. Usa waya, karumeya Aparahamu aholeeha eeraka kihorwaa wankunya aka. ⁵⁵Nanso anumwane ni mwanrokorawe Repeka yaheera: Unihiyere mwanthiyana ula mahuku vakani, atthuna mahuku khumi paahi uhooolo nwo naarwaka. ⁵⁶Vano ule aheerela nhikiporonkanihe. Ikwaha ila Mwaneene Nluku hokireeriha. Nkihiye kituruwele ratta wankunya aka.

⁵⁷Ale yaheeraca: Nrwee nimwiihane mwanthiyana uyo nankohe. ⁵⁸Vaavale yahomwiihana Repeka phunkohaka: Unatthuna urwaa ni ula nlopwana ola? Ule ahaakhula eeraka: Kinatthuna.

⁵⁹Vano amucyawe yahonleeha Repeka wamoca ni nthiyana amwamwihile, karumeya Aparahamu na alopwana yarinawe. ⁶⁰Ni yahonreeriha Repeka amwiirelaka: Mwanrokorihu, wunnuwe ni waayarace asaana iminya iminya cene, ni ucuulu aa uyo waattheme eenani!

⁶¹Vaavale Repeka nacikhwawe yahowelaca inkamira, nunttthara karumeya ule. Phimaana karumeya ule ahonkusa Repeka nuurwa.

⁶²Yooyo ukati uyo Isaki aakhuma iphiro yoluusi Ulayi-Royi, kontha akhala ilapo yohitto. ⁶³Nihuku nimoca ukati wococilo, Isaki anaswali mmattani, ahowusa miitho awe ayo ni ahoona inkamira ciwaka. ⁶⁴Ciicammo Repeka, ahowusa miitho awe ayo ahomoonna Isaki, ni ahokhuruwa munkamirani, ⁶⁵ni ahonkoha karumeya ule eeraka: Tipani ule

nonisicerya mmattani ule? Karumeya ule ahaakhula: Yoole phi nkunya aka. Wowakuvyaca wene Repeka ahekhunela wiitho nwo nikuwo.

⁶⁶Wahoolo karumeya uyo ahont-tonkela Isaki citthu cothene ceeranele. ⁶⁷Paahi, Isaki ahonkusa Repeka mpaka nheemani mwa anumwane yeehaniya Asaara, ahonthela nuunfenta. Phimaana Isaki ahomaalihiya ni Repeka, ukhwa waya anumwane.

Ukhwa wa Aparahamu

25 Aparahamu ahonthela nthiyana nkina, eehaninya Ketura. ²Ketura ahonnyarana Aparahamu ala asaana ala: Sinra, Yookisa, Meeta, Miitiya, Isipaki, ni Suwaa. ³Yookisa ahonnyara Sapaa ni Tetaa. Ucuulu wa Tetaa waari Asurita, Letusi ni Lewuma.

⁴Asaanawe Miitiya yari Efa, Eferi, Enoki, Apita ni Elita. Othene ale yaari ucuulu wa Ketura.

⁵Aparahamu ahonhiyera Isaki mi-hakhu cawe cothene. ⁶Nanso asaana a Aparahamu yayanryawe na asarawe oohitteleliheraninya, aavahacile itthuvo vakani; nari nkumi, ahamwalaaniha ni mwanawe Isaki nuwarweha uttayi, ilapo iri mphantte unkhuma ncuwa.

⁷Aparahamu ahokhalana ukumi mpaka ahopiiha myakha iminya wo sapini na thanu (175) ceyarelo. ⁸Aakhwile noluvaleehile ni myakha cinci ceyarelo ni ahaatthara mayathumwane. ⁹Nanso, asaana a Aparahamu, Isaki ni Sumayili, yahaavithaca athumwanaya nnikhukuni no Makipela, vakhiviru ni uManree, nthala na Eforomi, mwana a Suwari, nHitita, ¹⁰nenne nthala, Aparahamu nathumanannyawe maHitita. Vaavale phivithiyawe Aparahamu wamoca ni Asaara amwaarawe. ¹¹Nanso nakhwileene Aparahamu, Nluku

ahonreeriha Isaki. Vano Isaki aakhala vakhiviru ni Iluusi yo Lahayi-Royi.

Ucuulu wa Sumayili

¹²Vano ula phu ucuulu wa Sumayili, mwana annyanryawe Aparahamu ni Akaari o Wiciipitu, ipottha ya Asaara. ¹³Ala phi macina a asaana a Sumayili, yantikhaciye ittharihiyaka eyareelo aya: Nepawoti, mwana omuulupale a Sumayili, Ketari, Apeteli, Mipisamu, ¹⁴Misima, Tumaa, Masaa, ¹⁵Hattatti, Temaa, Yeturu, Nafisi ni Ketemaa.

¹⁶Ala phaari asaana a Sumayili, yakhacile ahooleli o mahimo, mmawaani mwaya ni mmapuroni mwamakiya yeehaneliya yaala macina ala. Ahooleli ayo yaari khumi nuuwa eeli.

¹⁷Sumayili ahokhala myakha iminya wo talathiini na saapa (137) ceyarelo. Ahokhwa ni watthara mayathumwane okhalayi.

¹⁸Ucuulu awe wahokhala nttette unkhuma o Havila urwaka o Suuri, vakhiviru ni mwiinano wo Wiciipitu, mphantte unrwaa o Siiriya. Ni yaheeserana mpika na asunnaya.

Uyarya wa Isawu ni Yakopi

¹⁹Ala phi mayaranacelo o nrukulu na Isaki, mwana Aparahamu: Aparahamu ahonnyara Isaki. ²⁰Isaki narina myakha arupayini ceyarelo, ahonthela Repeka, mwana a Petuweli, Nramewu o Patan-Aramu, aari mwanrokorawe Lapanu, ni uyo ciicammo Nramewu.

²¹Vano Isaki ahonlepela Nluku, kontha amwaarawe ayo yari mwali eekupa. Phimaana Mwaneene Nluku ahaakhula iswali cawe nnyo ni Repeka ahorupala irukulu. ²²Urupala wawe, asaana ayo munthukwani mmo yaanawaanaca, ni Repeka aheera: Nlattuni ikikhumelelaka ila itthu ila? Ni ahorwaa unkoha Mwa-

neene Nluku. ²³Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahomwaakhula:

Ilapo piili phiriwo munthuukwani mwaa mmo,

phimaana anakhuma mommo atthu eeli ni anaahala umwalana:

Mmoca uyo nokookhala okuru oomp-waha nkhwawe,

nanso omuulupale uyo naahala unvarela nteko omwankani uyo.

²⁴Vaavale, waphiilyaya ukati wooyara, khweeli ahorumelelihiya wiira yaari mavatta munthukwani mwawe mmwe. ²⁵Oopacera uyariya uyo aari okharari cookhwiila, ni irutthu awe yothene yaari yo mapururu; phimaana ahovahiya ncina na Isawu. ²⁶Wahoolo ahoyarya mwanhimaawe, ntata nawe naavarenle ikottokottho ya Isawu; phimaana ahovahiya ncina na Yakopi. Ukati waayarawe Repeka, Isaki aarina myakha sitiini ceyarelo.

Isawu natumiha iyuulupale awe

²⁷Asaana ale yahonuwaca. Isawu aari nlupa oocuwela utotha ni aari nantakhwani. Nanso Yakopi waari nteko awe paahi uhakhela imope ni aakhala mmaheemani.

²⁸Isaki anfenta Isawu, kontha cancivela ukhura inama ceevawe; ni cicammo Repeka anfenta Yakopi.

²⁹Nanso ikwaha imoca, Yakopi aapyaacaka yoolya, ahowa Isawu navoliye itala, akhumaka utakhwani, ³⁰ni ahommekele eeraka: Ukimeele vakani nhuci woserya uyo. Ukivola itala! Phimaana ehaninyaka ciicammo Eetomu. ³¹Vano Yakopi ahomwaakhula eeraka: Woopacera ukitumihereke iyuulupale aa. ³²Vaavale Isawu aheera: Nna vaa kihanle vakani ukhwa. Kimphurela isiyani iyuulupale eyo? ³³Wahoolo Yakopi ahonkhanyereriha

Isawu eeraka: Woopacera unlamuliya ulupela. Ni ule aholupela untumihera Yakopi iyuulupale eyo. ³⁴Vano Yakopi ahonvaha Isawu isima ni maruru. Ule aholya nuwurerya, ahonwa nurwaa. Commo Isawu ahovyavyeeha iyuulupale awe.

Isaki ni Repeka anari uKerari

26 Yahovola itala yeele ilapo ele, toko weracilyaya ukati wa Aparahamu. Phimaana Isaki ahorwaa ilapo yo Kerari, wonwo Apimeleke waaryawe mwene o mafilisitiya. ²Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahomphwanyana Isaki ni ahomwiirela: Uhikhuruwele Wiciipitu. Urwee wakhale ilapo inhalaka wuthoonyera. ³Ukhale ila ilapo ela, mi kinaakhala ni we ni kinawureeriha. Kontha we nuucuulu aa uyo kinaahala wuuvahani ila ilapo ela, ni kinarwa uttharihelela yolumacenryaka athumwaninyu aneehaniya Aparahamu.

⁴Kinaahala wuncerera ucuulu aa toko ithhooftwa co wirimu ni waavaha nnya ilapo nnya cothene; ni nhina wo ucuulu aa atthu othene omwiilaponi anaahala ureerihya,† ⁵kontha Aparahamu hosunka malamulo aka inrumilyaka ni isariya caka.

⁶Commo Isaki ahokhala o Kerari. ⁷Vano alopwana o nenno nipuro nno ukati waankohilyaya wiira ala phamwaaraa, ule ahaakhula eeraka: Mwanrokoraka. Anawoova uhimyaca wiira amwaaraka, kontha oopuwela wiira, alopwana o yeela ilapo ela anaahala ukiiva nlattu wa Repeka, kontha ahotepa ooreera.

⁸Isaki ahokhala o Kerari ukati mwinci. Nihuku nimoca, Apimeleke, mwene o mafilisitiya, anawehecesa wacanelani yaari uculu, phuukati wamonnyawe

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Isaki anthwelanaka Repeka amwaarawe. ⁹Vano Apimeleke ahomwiihana Isaki ni ahomwiirela: Khweeli, uhirune. Ale amwaaara. Vano weerelani mwanrokora? Isaki ahaakhula eeraka: Kontha kineenre amwaaraka kanawoova wiviya. ¹⁰Apimeleke aheera: Unipankenleni commo? Kontha nlopwana phi nlopwana uyo aanawaarupana amwaaara ayo, ni wananiwiihera ikoosi. ¹¹Vaavale Apimeleke ahaahimyacera athu othene eeraka: Ntthu nohala umwiiriha itthu ula nlopwana ula atthuna amwaarawe ala, naahala ukhwa!

¹²Vano Isaki ahotthimpula imatta ni yooyo mwakha uyo ahoruwerya venci, kontha Mwaneene Nluku ahonreeriha. ¹³Ule ahothaciri ni nhakhu awe wahoncererya mpaka ahothacireeha. ¹⁴Ahaana ikhontwaa ni imope cinci ni ipottha cinci mpaka mafilisitiya upacera unrama. ¹⁵Phimaana, mafilistiya yahotthunttuwanihaca nuuwuhelalaca iluusi cothene cathiye ni ipottha ukati wa Aparahamu, athumwane Isaki.

¹⁶Vano Apimeleke ahomwiirela Isaki: Ukhume mwilaponi mwihu mu, kontha uri ntthu oonhakhu cinenne woonipwaha hi. ¹⁷Phimaana Isaki ahokhuma nuthamela wuuthakoni wo Kerari waakhalawe khalayi. ¹⁸Wahoolo Isaki ahowuhulaca iluusi caathipiye ukati wathumwane. Nnye cawuhelalaciye ni mafilisitiya ukhwa wawe Aparahamu ni ahovaha macina yavahilyaya athumwane. ¹⁹Vano ipottha ca Isaki cahothipaca muuthakoni mmwe ni cahottenla maasi menci oociva. ²⁰Vano ahakheli o Kerari yahonyakulihana na ahakheli a Isaki, yiirelanaka: Maasi ala awihu! Phimaana Isaki ahovaha iluusi ile ncina na Eseke, nlattu woonyakuliiheraninya. ²¹Vano ipottha nnye cahothipaca iluusi ikina, ni ile yahonyakuliiheraniya. Phimaana aheehana Sitina. ²²Wahoolo Isaki

ahothama nne nipuro nne ni ahothipa iluusi ikina ni khayanyakuliiheraniye tho. Phimaana ahovaha ncina na Riyopoti, eeraka: Vano Mwaneene Nluku honihulela ikhato ninaahala wiithawala yeela ilapo ela.

Isaki naphwanyinya na Mwaneene Nluku munttorani

²³Ukhuma vaavale Isaki ahorwaa o Peresepa. ²⁴Yoole uhiyu ule, Mwaneene Nluku ahomphwanya ni ahomwiirela: Mi kiri Nluku a Aparahamu athumwanaa. Uhoove, kontha kiri ni we. Mi kinaahala wureeriha ni wuncerera ucuulu aa mwanlattu woofenta karumeya aka Aparahamu.

²⁵Isaki ahoteka ikhilompi ni aholapela ncina na Mwaneene Nluku. Vaavale ahomaka ni ipottha cawe yahothipaca iluusi ikina.

Waatana wa Isaki na Apimeleki

²⁶Yoole ukati ule, Apimeleki ahowa akhumaka o Kerari wamoca ni Awusate nlakakano awe ni Fikoli, muulupale aanakhotto awe. ²⁷Vaavale Isaki ahaakohaca eeraka: Nlattuni mmwaaka ukiweha, mi mwahokipanka mwiinani ni mwahokoomola? ²⁸Ale yahomwaakhulaca yiiracaka: Kontha nihwoona weekhweeli wiira Mwaneene Nluku ri ni we, phimaana niiraka: Nrwee nilupelace we ni hi. Nimphavela waatana ni we. ²⁹We uhinipanke yoonanara, toko hi cihupankileehu itthu, nanso nihoopanka ratta ni wuleeha wo mpuha. Vano nihocuwela wiira Mwaneene Nluku hooreeriha.

³⁰Vano Isaki ahaavahaca yoolya ni ale yaholyaca nuuwuryaca. ³¹Usa waya oyeeeli yaholupelihana. Isaki ahaalehaca ni ale yahorwaca ni mpuha.

³²Nenno nihuku nno ipottha ca Isaki cahowaaca unhimerya ciiraka: Iluusi

yathipehu iyo nihottenla maasi! ³³Isaki ahovaha iluusi ile ncina na Sepa, phi-maana mpaka nihuku nolelo, ile iparasa ile icuweliyaka ncina no Peresepa.

³⁴Isawu naphihenrene myakha aru-payini ceyarelo ahonthela Yutiti, mwana a Peeri, nhitita, ni ciicammo ahonthela Pasimati, mwana a Elomi, nhitita. ³⁵Ale asithiyana ale yahaacukulihaca Isaki ni Repeka.

Yakopi nawaakhela iparakha

27 Ukati wooluvanlyawe Isaki wiitho wawe wahonripela ni khoona. Vano ahomwiihana mwanawe omuulupale eehaniya Isawu, eeraka: Mwanaka. Ni ule ahomwaakhula eeraka: Kiri va. ²Ule ahomwiirela: Mi kihooluvala ni akincuwela nihuku ninkhwaka. ³Nna va, ukuse myuupa, muura ni nivaka naa nno, urwee utakhwani wakaaverye inama. ⁴Vano waakaapyele sankanya ookicivela ni ukiwiihere kaanlye wiira kuuvahe iparakha kihinakhwa.

⁵Ukati woolumacawe Isaki anhimeryaka mwanawe Isawu, moolumo ale Repeka eera eewaka. Vano Isawu ahorwaa utakhwani wiiva inama wiira aawiihere athumwane. ⁶Phimaana Repeka ahonhimerya mwanawe eehaniya Yakopi eeraka: Kiheewa athumwana ayo amwiirelaka munna Isawu: ⁷Wakilupatthele inama ni wakaapyeele sankanya oociva wiira kinlye ni kuuvahe iparakha wamiithoni wa Mwaneene Nluku kihinakhwa. ⁸Nna vaa mwanaka, uviriyane inoohimeryaka ila. ⁹Urwee muncicini mmo wakuse ipuri piili. Mi kinnowaapyela sankanya oociva toko athumwana cinaacivelaya, ¹⁰ni waarwehele athumwana yanlye wiira yuvahe iparakha ahinakhwa. ¹¹Nanso Yakopi aheerela anumwane: Kinawoona amunna Isawu irutthu aya iyo iri yo mapururu. Mi kiri

oohimapururu. ¹²Pooti apaapa ayo ankokapaapela ni wamiithoni waya kinkokhala mayowootha. Commo kinawiiwaanala mahusi woohikhala iparakha. ¹³Anumwane yahomwiirela: Mwanaka, nihusi naa nno ninhala ukhala nawaka. Wiiwelele paahi nuulumo naka. Urwele ni ukiwaanele.

¹⁴Vano ule ahorwela ni waawiihera anumwane, ni ale yahomwaapyela sankanya oociva, toko athumwane caacivelaya. ¹⁵Wahoolo, Repeka ahokusa coowara comaana ca Isawu, mwana omuulupale, carinawe uwaani ni ahommwariha Yakopi, mwana omwankani. ¹⁶Vano ahommwariha nrapala nopuri nsiko ni mmatatani, ¹⁷ni ahonvaha mmatatani mwa Yakopi, mwana omwankani, sankanya oociva ni nkatthe watthenkacilyawe. ¹⁸Vano Yakopi ahorwaa woolumana athumwane ni aheerela: Paapa! Athumwane yahomwaakhula yiiraka: Kiri va. We tupani mwanaka? ¹⁹Yakopi ahaakhula athumwane eeraka: Mi Isawu mwaninyu oontthaara. Kihopanka toko caakirenlenyu. Vano, munkome ni nlye ilupathilyaka wiira nkireerihe. ²⁰Isaki ahonkoha mwanawe eeraka: Weeraceele cani wakuvaka ulupattha? Ule ahaakhula: Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku inyu ahokaakuvyehera umphwanya mwannama.

²¹Vaavale Isaki ahomwiirela Yakopi: Mwanaka, ukaattamerye wiira kiwaapaapele ni kuucuwelele wakhala wiira we khweeli mwanaka Isawu. ²²Yakopi ahaattamerya athumwane ni ale yahomwapapela ni yaheera: Ncu nno na Yakopi nanso myoono nnyo ca Isawu. ²³Isaki khaancuwelenle Yakopi kontha myoono cawe caari co mapururu toko ca Isawu munnaawe, phimaana ahonreeriha. ²⁴Wahoolo Isaki ahonkoha tho eeraka: We khweeli mwanaka Isawu? Ni ule ahaakhula

eeraka: Phi yeemi. ²⁵ Vaavale Isaki ahomwiirela: Mwanaka, ukiwiihere ilupathilyaa eyo wiira kilye ni kuureerihe. Yakopi ahaawiihera ni athumwane yaholya, ni ciicammo ahaawiihera ivinyu ni ale yahowurya. ²⁶ Vano Isaki ahomwiirela Yakopi: Nkaawe woono mwanaka ni ukivahe alaahuma. ²⁷ Ule ahaattamerya ni ahaavaha alaahuma. Ukati wonnyawe ikuwo cawe nnyo nhiriri wonama, Isaki ahonreeriha eeraka:

Nhiriri wa mwanaka
uri toko inukhelelo yotakhwa ireeri-
hilyawe Mwaneene Nluku.

²⁸ Nluku oovahe ukame wo wirimu,
uruwerye vathi va,
itiriku yinci ni malaaso menci.

²⁹ Wiira atthu othene waarume,
ni ilapo cuulemelihe,
ni ukhale nkunya a asihimaa,
na asaana a anumwane yuulemelihe we,
natakhaliya ule nohala wuulapha,
ni nareeriya ule nohala wureeriha.[‡]

³⁰ Isaki umaliha wawe unreeriha
Yakopi ni nakhumileene wamiithoni
wa athumwane, phawawe Isawu
akhumaka wulupatthani. ³¹ Ni ule
ahomwaapya sankanya oociva ni
ahaawiihera athumwane ni aheerela:
Paapa, munnwe ni nkhuureke inama
ilupathilyaka wiira nkireerihe. ³² Vano
athumwane yahonkoha yiiraka: We
tupani? Ule ahaakhula: Mi Isawu,
mwaninyu oontthara.

³³ Vaavale Isaki ahothukumela
venci cinenne ni aheera: Tupani ule
kiwiihenre inama yoolupatthiya?
Mi kihokhuura yothene we uhinaya
uwa. Yooyo ntthu uyo, mi kihonvaha
iparakha ni ciicammo nakhala
ooreerihiya.

³⁴ Vano Isawu weewilyawe moolumo
athumwane ale, ahothulana ni un-

laka ahokhuwa wowirunya eerelaka
athumwane: Nkireerihe ni mi, paapa.
³⁵ Isaki ahomwaakhula phimwiirelaka:
Mwanhimaa ahowa va mmirukuni, ni
hokusa iparakha caa nnyo. ³⁶ Vaavale
Isawu ahopwaherera eeraka: Khweeli
ule uhomphwanela wavahiyawe ncina
na Yakopi, kontha imaara piili nnya
akithepyaka. Woopacera hokaakha iyu-
ulupale aka, nna va hokaakha iparakha
caka. Vano Isawu aheera tho: Khankihal-
ihenre tho mi iparakha?

³⁷ Vano Isaki ahomwaakhula Isawu
eeraka: Kinawoona kihompanka
ukhala owulamula we, ni asunnaa ayo
othene kihonvaha ukhala ananrumiya
awe; mpaka itiriku ni malaaso
kihomuncerera. Vano we mwanaka
kiwiiiriheke cani? ³⁸ Vano Isawu
aheerela athumwane: Nrina iparakha
imoca paahi? Paapa, nkireerihe ni mi
ciicammo. Vaavale Isawu ahokhuwa
ni wunla. ³⁹ Vano Isaki, athumwane,
yahomwaakhula yiiraka:
We unkookhala uttayi ni mapuro
oocayira

ni oohikhuruwa ukame.

⁴⁰ Malelyo aa ankokhala okhotto,
ni unhala ukhala nanrumiya a nhimaa.
Nanso we wooryaka wiicopola
phinhalaa urula nipisi niri nsiko mwaa
mmo.

Yakopi nantthawa munnaawe

⁴¹ Vano Isawu ahoncukula Yakopi
mwanlattu womwakha iparakha
yavahiyawe na athumwane. Phimaana
ahoopuwela wanrimani wawe eeraka:
Anaphiya mahuku ookhwa apaapa.
Kimwomwiiva nhimaka Yakopi.

⁴² Vano Repeka ahohimerya
yalakenlyawe Isawu, mwana
omuulupale, ahomwiihana Yakopi
mwanawe omwankani, phimwiirelaka:

[‡]27:29 Mphattuwelo 12.3

Munnaa Isawu neepisiha nrima ni hoolakela uwiiva.⁴³ Nna vaa, mwanaka, wiwe inhalaka wuuhimerya: Wunwe ni urwee wamwanrokoraka Lapanu, ilapo yo Harani,⁴⁴ wakhale wonwo mahuku vakani, mpaka uvire uviruwa wa munnaa,⁴⁵ mpaka uvire urusiya wa munnaa, ni aliyale itthu impankilyaa. Mi kinaahala uleehera ni wuhokolosiha. Isiyani inhalaka wuhalelacerani oyeeli nihuku nimoca?

⁴⁶Phimaana Repeka ahomwiirela Isaki coo: Ahokitosa asaana a Heeti, kontha Yakopi aathelaka athiyana o yeela ilapo ela, mi phatari kikhwe.

28 Vano Isaki ahomwiihana Yakopi, ahonreerihana nunhimerya eeraka: Uhaathele athiyana o Nkanani mu.² Ukhume ni urwee uPatan-Aramu, wa Petuweli, athumwanaya anumwana ni wanthele mwana a Lapanu, mwanrokoraya anumwana.³ Ni Nluku Okuru Cothene ureerihe, upanke mayoyara ni awuncereryanihe wiira nkhale atthu enci,⁴ ni uvahere iparakha ca Aparahamu, we ni ucuulu aa uyo, wiira uhalane ilapo iryaa nletto, Nluku invahilyawe Aparahamu.

⁵Phimaana Isaki ahonveleeliha Yakopi ilapo yo Patan-Aramu, wa Lapanu, mwana a Petuweli Nramewu, mwanrokorawe Repeka, anumwane Yakopi ni Isawu.

Isawu nanthela Nsumaili

⁶Vano Isawu woonyawe wiira Isaki honreerihana Yakopi ni honveleeliha uPatan-Aramu wiira anthele nthiyana wonwo ni waanreerihawe va ahomwiirela: Uhaathele athiyana o Nkanani mu.⁷ Yakopi aheewelega athumwane na anumwane ni ahorwaa uPatan-Aramu.⁸ Isawu woonyawe athumwane wiira khayatteeliye nrima

na athiyana o Nkanaa,⁹ ule ahorwaa wa Sumayili ni ahonthela nthiyana, ehaninya Malati, mwana a Sumayili, mwana a Aparahamu, mwanrokorawe Nepakoti, woohatakanihera athiyana yarinawe akina.

Nluku nankhumelela Yakopi o Peteli

¹⁰Yooyo ukati uyo Yakopi ahokhuma uPerisepa arwaka uHarani¹¹ ni ahophiya nipuro narupilyawe kontha waheela. Nenno nipuro nno ahokusa nluku nimoca, aheesa wiimuru ni aheecatalela.¹² Vano aholoha nttora woonyawe makwantta aneemesiye vathi mpaka ukwanya irimu ni phoonawe ancelo a Nluku awelaka ni akhuruwaka makwantta ayo.

¹³Mwaneene Nluku phaari uculu waya makwantta ni aheera: Mi kiri Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku a Aparahamu, athumwana, ni Nluku a Isaki; yeela ilapo irupilyaa ila kinawuvaha we ni ucuulu aa uyo.¹⁴ Ucuulu aa unhala ukhala toko ntthupi no vathi, ni unhala umwaryeela urwaka unkhuma ncuwa mpaka unkela ncuwa, urwaka uculu mpaka uhitto, ni mwanlattu wawaa we ni ucuulu aa uyo, unkophwanya iparakha uneethi wothene wo mwiilaponi.⁴

¹⁵Phi mi kiri ni we. Kinawusunka mapuro othene ankela uvira, kinawuturusela tho ila ilapo ela, kontha akinhala wuuhiya mpaka kipankeke itthu yukhuluvelihilyaka.

¹⁶Vano Yakopi wunwa wawe nkhoveni aheera: Khweeli Mwaneene Nluku ri nna nipuro nna. Mi akaacuwela.¹⁷ Ni uvaka aheera: Wopihilyaya nna nipuro nna! Nna khaninhala nipuro nikina; iri inupa ya Nluku. Ula nkhora wo wirimu.

⁴28:14 Mphattuwelo 12.3; 22.18

¹⁸Paahi, Yakopi ahonwa wicisuru, ahokusa nluku neesilyawe wiimuru nne, aheemesa, ni ahomiinela makhura waculu waya va. ¹⁹Phimaana ahovaha ncina nenno nipuro nno Peteli⁸, nanso yeeyo iparasa eyo ncina naya nokhalayi neehaniya Luusi.

²⁰Ni Yakopi ahomooa natiri eeraka: Nluku akhalaka ni mi ni akisunkaka ila ikwaha ila, akivahaka yoolya, ni ikuwo coowara, ²¹ni kituruwelaka wosalama uwaani wa apaapa, Mwaneene Nluku nahala ukhala Nluku aka. ²²Ni nenna nluku neemesilyaka nna ninwa ukhala inupa ya Nluku ni cothene cinhalaa ukivaha, khweeli kinawuvaha mphantte wonakhumi.

Yakopi naphiya uHarani

29 Vaavale Yakopi ahokhuma arwaka ilapo iri mphantte unkhuma ncuwa. ²Nanaanoru ahoona iluusi mmathalani ni mihuwo miraru cokhontwaa cinarupile nceresere mmo, kontha yeeyo iluusi iyo phawuryaya ikhontwaa nnyo. Nahaawo nluku nu-ulupale nakhuneliya iluusi iyo. ³Nenne nipuro nne canthukumana mihuwo, ahakheli yantamiha nluku nakhuneliya iluusi iyo nuurika maasi wiira avahe mihuwo caya nuukhunela tho iluusi iyo.

⁴Vano Yakopi ahaakohaca eeraka: Asunnnaka nnokhumaca vayi? Ni ale yahaakhulaca yiiraka: Ninkhuma uHarani. ⁵Ni uyo aheerelaca: Nnancuwela Lapanu, mwana a Nahori? Nale yahaakhulaca yiiraka: Ninancuwela. ⁶Ahaakohaca tho eeraka: Haawo nkumi? Ni ale yahomwaakhulaca: Haawo nkumi, ni mwanawe mwanthiyana neehaniya Rakeli phuula wiihile nnya ikhontwaa nnya. ⁷Ule aheera tho: Nanlelo uthana, khunaphiya ukati wothukumanihani ikhontwaa nnyo. Nvahe maasi

ciwurye ni nvira nliha. ⁸Vano ale yaheeraca coo: Khaninoorya, mpaka cithukumanihyeke ikhontwaa cothene ni nluku nikhuneeliye iluusi iyo nitamihiye wiira nivahe ratta maasi oowurya.

⁹Nanlelo oolumacaka nale, ahowa Rakeli ni ikhontwaa ca athumwane kontha uyo aari nhakheli. ¹⁰Ni waakhumelenle coo, Yakopi umoona wawe Rakeli mwana a Lapanu arokoraya anumwane, ni ikhontwaa ca Lapanu, Yakopi ahorwaa walusi ni ahotamiha nluku nakhuneleliye nuuvaha uwurya ikhontwaa ca Lapanu, mwanrokoraya anumwane. ¹¹Vaavale Yakopi ahonsalameeha Rakeli, mpaka upacera wunla. ¹²Yakopi ahonhimerya Rakeli wiira ule mwamunnaya athumwane ni ari mwana a Repeka. Vano Rakeli ahokhuma atthawaka urwaa wahimyacera athumwane.

¹³Ukati weewilyawe Lapanu ihapari ca Yakopi, mwana a mwanrokorawe, ahomwiikamela nuunkapatta nuunsalameeha mpaka umpiha uwaanyawe, ni ule ahonttonkacera Lapanu citthu cothene caankhumelenle munkwahani mwawe. ¹⁴Vano Lapanu ahomwiirela: Khweeli we uri nikhuva ni irutthu aka. Ni ahokhala ni ule mweeri mmoca.

Uthela wa Yakopi

¹⁵Wahoolo Lapanu ahomwiirela Yakopi: Kamana we uri nhimaaka unaakivarela nteko wo mahala? Ukihimerye ihisapu yowuliva.

¹⁶Lapanu ahaana asaana eeli asithiyana. Omuulupale uyo ncina nawe Leya ni omwankani uyo ncina nawe Rakeli. ¹⁷Vano Leya arina miitho oolocwaca nanso Rakeli arina irutthu yooreera ni ikhove yomaana. ¹⁸Ni Yakopi anancivela venci Rakeli

§28:19 *manaaya wiira: Inupa ya Nluku*

ni aheera: Kinaawuwarela nteko myakha saapa nlatu wa Rakeli, mwanaa oomwankani. ¹⁹Vano Lapanu ahaakhula eeraka: Wanaareera wuvaha we woohikhala wumvaha nlopwana nkina. Ukhale va ni mi. ²⁰Yakopi ahovara nteko myakha saapa amphavelaka Rakeli, cenyu myakha nnyo oonne ukhala mahuku vakani kontha anancivela cineene.

²¹Wahoolo Yakopi ahomwiirela Lapanu: Ukivahe amwaaraka, kontha kihomalihera mahuku aka ayo ni kimphavela waathela.

²²Vano Lapanu ahaathukumanihia alopwana othene o yoole nttetthe ole ni ahopanka isikuhuulu. ²³Vaavale uhiyu, Lapanu ahonkusa Leya ni ahommwihera Yakopi. Ni ahonthukumanana. ²⁴Vano Lapanu ahokumiha ipottha awe yeehaniya Silipa ni ahonvaha mwanawe wiira arumeke. ²⁵Nanso usa waya amoone Leya. Vano Yakopi ahomwiirela Lapanu: We ukipankile cani? Mi akivanre nteko kimphavelaka Rakeli? Nlattuni we ukithepyacaka?

²⁶Lapanu ahaakhula: Uno khinakhalaka ilemalelo upacera utheliya mwana omwankani, omuulupale hinaya utheliya. ²⁷Vano uhiye umala isumana ithenlyaa ila, ninaahala wuvaha tho omwankani uyo, nanso uvareke tho nteko myakha saapa.

²⁸Vaavale Yakopi ahokupali. Yahovira isumana yanthenlyawe Leya ni Lapanu ahonvaha Rakeli ukhala amwaarawe. ²⁹Lapanu ahonvaha Rakeli ipottha awe yeehaninya Piila wiira arumeke. ³⁰Yakopi ahonthukumanana Rakeli. Yoole aancivenle wompwaha Leya ni ahonvarela nteko Lapanu myakha saapa.

Asaana a Yakopi yayanryawe ni Leya

³¹Ukati woonnyawe Mwaneene Nluku wiira Leya anavyavyehiya, ahonvaha asaana, nanso Rakeli ari mwali eekupa.

³²Leya ahorupala irukulu, ni ahonnyara mwana ni ahonvaha ncina na Rupeni, kontha eera: Mwaneene Nluku hoono icuku caka. Vano, weekhweeli awannyaka anaahala ukifenta. ³³Leya ahorupala tho irukulu, ni unnyara wawe mwana nkina aheera: Kontha Mwaneene Nluku heewa wiira kinavyavyehiya, hokivaha tho ula, ni yahonvaha ncina na Simeyoni. ³⁴Ahorupala tho irukulu ikina ni wannyanryawe mwana, aheera: Paahi, awannyaka anaahala waatana ni mi, kontha kihayarana asaana araru. Phimaana yahonvaha ncina na Levi. ³⁵Ahorupala tho irukulu ni unnyara wawe mwana aheera: Ula nkwaha ola kinamunnuwiha Mwaneene Nluku. Commo yahonvaha ncina na Yutta. Ni ahohiya uyara.

Yakopi ahoyariha ipottha piili asaana

30 Vano ukati woonnyawe Rakeli wiira khannyananne asaana Yakopi, ahopacera unrama munnaawe ni ahomwiirela Yakopi: Ukiyarane asaana, atthuna phatari kikhwe. ²Yakopi ahorusiya ni Rakeli ni aheera: Kinokhala Nluku, watelihile uyara?

³Vano ule ahaakhula: Haawo Piila ula, ipottha aka, unthukumananeke wiira aayare asaana toko waahalaka waayara mi, wiira nhina mwa yaayo kaakhalane asaana. ⁴Phimaana ule ahonvaha Yakopi uthela ipottha awe yeehaninya Piila, ni ahonthukumanana. ⁵Piila ahorupala irukulu ni ahonnyarana Yakopi mwana. ⁶Vano Rakeli aheera: Nluku hooluma, heewa ncu naka ni hokivaha mwana. Phimaana ahonvaha ncina na Tani.

⁷Piila, ipottha ya Rakeli, ahorupala tho irukulu ni ahonnyarana Yakopi mwana onayeeli. ⁸Vaavale Rakeli aheera: Kaari ni ikhotto yuulupale ni munnaka ni kihotthema. Phimaana ahonvaha ncina na Nafitalii.

⁹Ukati woonnyawe Leya wiira ho-hiya uyara, ahonkusa Siilipa ipottha awe ni ahonvaha uthela Yakopi. ¹⁰Si-ilipa, ipottha ya Leya, ahoyarana Yakopi mwana mmoca. ¹¹Vano Leya aheera: Ila iparakha! Phimaana ahomwiihana Kaate.

¹²Wahoolo, Siilipa, ipottha ya Leya ahonnyarana tho Yakopi mwana onayeeli. ¹³Vano Leya aheera: Kihotteeliya! Athiyana ayo ankokiirela kiri ootteeliya, ni aahonvaha ncina na Aseri.

Yakopi nawaayariha asaarawe asaana akina

¹⁴Ukati woohephiya itiriku, Rupeni ahorwaa umattani ni ahophwanya mirette cooyariha ni ahaawiihera anumwane. Vano Rakeli ahomwiirela Leya: Ukivahe mirette cooyariha ca mwanaa nnyo. ¹⁵Nanso ule ahomwaakhula: Khawutosile wakaakhilyaa alopwana ayo? Umphavela ukaakha tho mirette ciwiihilyawe mwanaka nnyo? Vano Rakeli ahaakhula: Ula uhiyu ula Yakopi naahala wuthukumanana. Naakakhanihaka ni mirette ciwiihilyawe mwanaa nnyo.

¹⁶Ucoocilo, ukati waturuwilyawe Yakopi umattani, Leya ahomwiikamela numwiirela: Ilelo we unaahala ukithukumanana, kontha kihowuthu-mani ni mirette ca mwanaka. Ni yoole uhiyu ule ahonthukumanana.

¹⁷Nluku ahomwiiwa Leya. Ule ahorupala irukulu ni ahonnyarana Yakopi mwana oneethanu. ¹⁸Vano Leya aheera: Nluku hokiliva wammahilyaka ipottha

aka waathukumanana awannyaka. Phimaana ahonvaha ncina na Isakari.

¹⁹Leya ahorupala tho irukulu ni ahonnyarana Yakopi mwana onasiita. ²⁰Leya aheera: Nluku hokitthuva it-thuvo yomaana. Ula nkwaaha ula awannyaka anakunkomana, kontha kihaa-yarana asaana siita. Phimaana ahonvaha ncina na Sepulomi.

²¹Ukati vakani tho, ule ahonnyara mwana mwanthiyana ammahilyawe ncina na Tina.

²²Vano Nluku ahomuupuwela Rakeli. Nluku aheewa ukhuwela wawe ni ahompanka mayooyara. ²³Ule ahorupala irukulu nuunnyara mwana ni aheera: Nluku hotamiha ihaaya caka nnyo. ²⁴Ahonvaha ncina na Yusufu ni aheera: Mwaneene Nluku akivahe tho mwana nkina.

Unyakulihaninya Yakopi ni Lapanu

²⁵Rakeli nannyanreene Yusufu, Yakopi ahomwiirela Lapanu: Ukihiye kituruwele uwaani, ilapo aka. ²⁶Ukivahe asaaraka ayo yuvarenlyaka nteko, na asaanaka ayo, kontha mi kimphavela urwaa uwaani. We uhocuwela ciinryaka wowuwarela nteko.

²⁷Nanso Lapanu ahomwiirela: Wakhala wiira kihophwanya iparakha wa miithoni waa kinawulepela wiira ukhale ni mi. Kihoonna wiira Mwaneene Nluku hokivaha iparakha nlattu wawaa we. ²⁸Ni ahopwahera eeraka: Ukihimerye ihisapu yowuuliva; mi kinaahala wuuliva. ²⁹Yakopi ahomwaakhula: We uhocuwela cuvarenlyaka nteko, ni mihuwo caa cihoncererya nlattu wowehaweha mi. ³⁰Ni citthu vakani caarinaa kihinawa, cihoncererya venci, kontha Mwaneene Nluku hovaha iparakha ukati uwilyaka uno. Vano mi kinhala upanka yakhani itthu yowakavihera alokwaka?

³¹ Vano Lapanu ahonkoha: Untthuna kuuvaheke isiyani? Yakopi ahaakhula eeraka: Uhikivahe itthu. Kinaahokoleela uwacawaca nuuhakhela mihuwo cinyu wakhala wiira nnakupali imphavelaka. ³² Ileo kinaahala uvira mmihuwoni mwinyu ni kimmothanla ikhontwaa co manepa ni co mitthottwe, ni asikhontwaa othene ooripa, ni ipuri co manepa ni co mitthottwe, cole phinhalaka ukhala mpokerero aka. ³³ Ni isariya aka inkowuvaha uhoolo usaahiti, ukati unhalaa uwehaweha mapokerero aka. Yakhalaka mmatatani mwaka ipuri yohimanepa ni yohimitthottwe, ikhontwaa cohiripa, pooti wiira cowiinyina.

³⁴ Lapanu aheera: Nihotthukelana, weerannyyee toko cihimilyaa.

³⁵ Nanso, nenno nihuku nno Lapanu ahaakawaniha apeperu o mitthottwe ni o manepa ni ipuri cothene co mitthottwe ni co manepa cothene cari coteelatteela ni asikhontwaa othene ooripa ni ahohiya mmatatani mwa asaanawe. ³⁶ Vano Yakopi ahokhuma nipuro nne arwaka ncoko woweettiya mahuku mararu. Wahoolo Yakopi ahopwaherera uliha mihuwo ca Lapanu.

³⁷ Vaavale Yakopi ahokusa miri cikithi co mphari, ntholo ni rokoci ni ahokhava apankaka mitthottwe. ³⁸ Wakhavaawe, aheesa uhoolo waya mihuwo, mmakuwani, mawureryoni ni mapuro yarupaya ni canapepheryana ukati wawaya uwurya. ³⁹ Ni campepheryana uhoolo waya miritta, cantoholiya co marephurephu, co manepa ni co mitthottwe.

⁴⁰ Vano Yakopi anawawayaniha cikani nnyo, ni aanapanka wiira cennyo cikhale wamoca ni inama co marephurephu ni cooripa ca Lapanu. Commo antthonkomania mihuwo cawe woohitakanihera ca Lapanu. ⁴¹ Ukati warupalaya

ikhontwaa coonenevaca nnye, Yakopi anaweesa uhoolo waya nwo miritta, cineemelacilene mmasepani, wiira citholele mmirittani mmo. ⁴² Nanso kheesa miritta nnye uhoolo waya inama cokenkennya, kontha cokenkennya nnyo caakhala ca Lapanu ni cooneneva nnyo cakhala ca Yakopi.

⁴³ Phimaana Yakopi ahothaciri venci mpaka ahaana mihuwo cinci, ipottha cithiyana ni cilopwana, inkamira ni apuuru.

Yakopi naathama wa Lapanu

31 Yakopi aheewa wiira, asaana a Lapanu yanawuulumaca yiraka: Yakopi howyaa citthu ni mi-hakhu cothene carinaya apaapa eh, phimaana athaciriki. ² Yakopi ahoona wiira makhalelo a Lapanu ni uyo khayari toko khalayi.

³ Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiirela Yakopi: Uturuwele ilapo yo mayathumwanaa ni wamucyaa. Mi kinkokhala ni we. ⁴ Vaavale Yakopi ahoruma wiihaninya Rakeli ni Leya wiira arwace utakhwani yoone mihuwo cawe. ⁵ Uwaca waya aheerelaca coo: Kinawoona makhalelo athumwaninyu ayo ni miyano khaanakhala toko khalayi. Nanso Nluku Apaapa ari ni mi. ⁶ Nyu nnaacuwela wiira kihaavarela ratta nteko athumwaninyu, ⁷ nanso ayo ankipanka mi ntirikhi, avirikanihacaka mpokerero aka imaara khumi. Nanso Nluku khaatthunihenre wiira akipanke yoonanara. ⁸ Yakiirelaka wiira inama co manepa nnyo cikhaleke cawaa, phuupokera waa; vano mihuwo cothene cakhala co manepa. Ni yakiirelaka coorephuwaca nnyo cothene cikhaleke cawaa, wonwo phuupokera waa, vano mihuwo cothene caatthola asaana oorephuwaca. ⁹ Nluku ala mananna ala phipankilyawe wowaakha mihuwo athumwaninyu akivahaka mi.

¹⁰Weeracele coo: Ukati warupalaya mihuwo nnyo, mi kahoweha ni kahoona munttorani mmo anapinkula athuku-mananaka ikhontwaa cithiyana nnyo cari co manepa, co marephurephu ni co mitthottwe. ¹¹Vano ncelo a Nluku ahokiirela munttorani: Yakopi, mi kahomwaakhula kiiraka: Kiri va. ¹²Ni ule ahomwiirela tho: Uwuse miitho aa ayo, ni uawoona anapinkula othene anthukumanana ikhontwaa cithiyana nnyo, ari o manepa, o marephurephu ni o mitthottwe, kontha kihoona cothene cuupankilyawe Lapanu. ¹³Mi phi mi Nluku o Peeteli wonwe we-meessilyaa nluku uttikitthelaka makhura ni ukoopelaka natiri. Wunwe nna va, ukhume ila ilapo ela ni uturuwele ilapo ya alokwaa.

¹⁴Vano Rakeli ni Leya yahonkoha Yakopi yiiraka: Wapaapa nwo uhaawo mphantte wonhakhu unnaaca? ¹⁵Khanalikelela ukhala amalaponi? Maana ahonitumiha ni aholya ncurukhu uyo. ¹⁶Kontha nhakhu wothene Nluku ukumihilyawe wathumwanihu uri wawihu ni wa asanehu. Nna vaa upanke cothene cinoohimeryawe Nluku.

¹⁷Vano Yakopi ahaaweliha asarawe na asaanawe ayo mmankamirani. ¹⁸Ahokusa mihuwo cawe cothene ni mihakhu caphwanyilyawe uPatan-Arami, wiira arwee ilapo yo Kanaa, uri Isaki athumwane. ¹⁹Ukati Lapanu warwelyawe uthikila mapururu okhontwaa, Rakeli aheennya ananttunta a athumwane. ²⁰Ni Yakopi ahomwiita Lapanu nramewu wohinhimerya itthu kontha anattthawa.

Nluku naamwakihya Yakopi

²¹Ahonwa nuuttthawana cothene carinawe ni aholapuwaa mooloko awehaka muru mwaako wo Kiliyati. ²²Nihuku noneeraru Lapanu ahohimerya wiira Yakopi hotthawa.

²³Vano ahaakusa asunnawe ni ahontthimakela mahuku saapa eettaka ni ahomphwanyana nari mwaako wo Kiliyati. ²⁴Vano Lapanu Nramewu ahophwanyanya ni Nluku, uhiyu munttorani phimwiirelaka: Wiisunke, uhuulume itthu ni Yakopi, hata ikhale itthu yooreera atthuna yoonanara. ²⁵Lapanu ahomphwanyana Yakopi naakhurutunle aheema awe umyakoni co Kiliyati. Ciicammo Lapanu na asunnawe ahaakhurutula aheema awe umwaakoni.

²⁶Vano Lapanu ahonkoha Yakopi eeraka: Ukipankile cani? Yokiita iyo wakusaka asaana ayo toko ipottha coovariya ukhottoni? ²⁷Nlattuni ukithawaka womwiitho ni ukisempaka, wohikihimyacera itthu? Hapo mi kanawuweleliha wootteeliya ni icipo, ikoma ni cece. ²⁸Ciicammo khukihile kavahaka alaaahuma asaanaka nu ucuulu aka wiira kaaleehe. Uheetta wootirikhi. ²⁹Kahaana ikuru cooreera wuuttarusa, nanso Nluku athumwaninyu, hokuulumana ncana uhiyu eeraka: Wiisunke uhimuulumele itthu hata ikhale yooreera atthuna yoonanara. ³⁰Vano we wapheela urwaa, kontha wahoonukhela uturuwela waathumwanaa, kahiki wennyerani anluku aka ayo?

³¹Yakopi ahomwaakhula Lapanu eeraka: Kanawoova. Kontha kooniha wiira unakaakha asaana ayo. ³²Ule nohalaa umphwanyana anluku aa ayo umwiive. Unikukhuryace mi na asunnaka ayo waphwanyanya itthu yawaa ukuse. Kontha Yakopi khaacuwela wiira Rakeli pheennyile anluku ayo.

³³Vano ahokela Lapanu nheemani mwa Yakopi, nheemani mwa Leya, nheemani mwa ipottha cithiyana piili nanso wohaphwanyana anluku ayo. Ni ukhuma wawe nheemani mwa Leya, ahokela nheemani mwa Rakeli.

³⁴Nanso Rakeli ahaakusa ananttuntta ayo ni wattukhunyera munhukhoni yonkamira ni ahonkomela. Vano Lapanu ahaakukhurya nheemani mothene, ni khaaphwanyile. ³⁵Rakeli aheerela athumwane: Paapa, nhikiviruwele akinlamuliya wunwa kontha kiri ni nteko wathiyana. Lapanu ahaawehaweha ananttuntta ayo, nanso khaaphwanyile.

³⁶Vaavale Yakopi ahorusiya nunviruwela Lapanu amwiirelaka: Kithekileni? Kukosenre isiyani yooreera we uviruwana ni ukoomolanihaca?

³⁷We uhokukhuryaca mirintti caka cothene wakhala wiira uhophwanya itthu yawaa, uwiihe va yoonaka alokwaa ayo ni alokwaka wiira anihukhumu. ³⁸Myakha sirini kihoovarela nteko. Ikhontwaa ni ipuri cinyu akinarihakaciha ni akinakhura inama yo nhuwo enyu.

³⁹Kakinowiiherani inama yoorakalaca. Nkilivihaka inama cothene cenyinya uhiyu atthuna uthana. ⁴⁰Uthana kaakhwa nttukuttha ni uhiyu kaakhwa uriiriyana ni nkaarupa. ⁴¹Kihokhala myakha sirini, kuuvarelakani nteko. Myakha khumi na micese kihovarelani nteko wiira kaathele asanaa eeli, ni myakha siita kihovarelani nteko nkipokerihaka inama, nanso nyu nhorukunusaca mapokerero aka imaara khumi. ⁴²Ahaari Nluku a apaapa, Nluku a Aparahamu, Nluku ri ihisima ya Isaki, khweeli nyu mwankoomola wohiitthu. Nluku heewa icuku caka ni hoona nteko uvanryaka, phimaana hookuphulani uhiyu wo ncana.

⁴³Vaavale Lapanu ahomwaakhula Yakopi eeraka: Ala asithiyana ala asaanaka ni asilopwana ayo ucuulu aka, nnya mihuwo caka ni cothene cinoonaa nnyo ciri cawaka. Ilelo kinhala weerihana cana asaanaka ala ni asaana yayanryaya

ayo? ⁴⁴Nna va nileeane wiira ukhale usaahiti we ni mi.

⁴⁵Vano Yakopi ahokusa nluku ni aheemesa upanka nivatta. ⁴⁶Ni Yakopi aheerela asunnawe: Mpanke nikuttha no maluku.

Ni ale yahopankaca nikuttha no maluku ni othene yaholeyaca wanikutthani vale. ⁴⁷Lapanu aheehana nipuro nno Yekar-Saatuta, nanso Yakopi eehane Kaleeti. ⁴⁸Vano Lapanu aheera: Nna nikuttha nna nikhale saahiti ehu we ni mi. Phimaana wiihaninyaka uKaleeti ⁴⁹ni Misipa, kontha heera: Mwaneene Nluku nniwehawehe we ni mi ni anihukhumu hata nimwalane ntthu ni nkhawawe. ⁵⁰Wahuhivhaka asaanaka ala, waathelaka athiyana akina mi hata kihikhale, ucuwele wiira Nluku nawoona.

⁵¹Lapanu ahomwiirela tho Yakopi: Nikuttha phi nna, ni nivatta neemesilyaka iriyari yo we ni mi phi nna. ⁵²Nikuttha nna nikhale saahiti. Ciicammo nivatta nna nikhale saahiti wiira yakhala yoonanara khitupihe nikuttha nna kiwanaka nwo, ni we yakhala yoonanara uhituphane nikuttha nna ni nivatta nna uwaka uno. ⁵³Nluku a Aparahamu, Nluku a Nahori, Nluku o mayathumwanaya anihukhumu.

Ni Yakopi, mwanlattu wo ihisima ya Isaki athumwane, aholupela. ⁵⁴Yakopi ahopanka isataka umwaakoni, ni aheehana asilokwawe yaari wonwo wiira alye. Yaholyaca ni yarupacile umwaakoni wonwo. ⁵⁵Lapanu ahonwa wicisuru ahaavaha alaahuma asaanawe asilopwana na asithiyana, ahaareeriha ni ahoturuwela uwaani.

Yakopi natthonkomaniha ikwaha yonkumaanana Isawu

32 Wahoolo Yakopi ahokhuma ni ahaakumanana ancelo a Nluku. ²Vano woona wawe, Yakopi aheera: Ala

anakhotto a Nluku! Ni ahovaha nipuro nno ncina na Manayimu.

³Vaavale, Yakopi ahaaveleliha mayanhupi awe wa Isawu munnaawe, akhala uSeyiri ilapo yo Eetomu. ⁴Ni aheerela mwanhimerye nkunyaka Isawu wiira: Mi karumeya enyu Yakopi kari wamoca ni Lapanu, kihaawo mpaka ilelo. ⁵Kihaana imope na apuuru, ikhontwaa, ipuri, ipottha cithiyana ni cilopwana. Nkunya, kinovelelihera ula nhupi ula, wiira ukakhelele wosalaama.

⁶Vano mayanhupi yahoturuwela wa Yakopi phimwiirelaka: Nihomphwanya munnaa Isawu ni uyo nowa wonwo, nawuphavela, ni haana alopwana iminya cese.

⁷Vano Yakopi ahoova venci ni ahocukula. Phimaana ahaakawaniha athtu ayo miphwinko miili, ciicammo ahokawaniha ikhontwaa, ipuri, imope ni inkamira miphwinko miili, ⁸kontha oopuwela coo: Isawu awaaka na anakhotto awe aatuphelaka mphwinko mmoca nkina uyo unkohala. ⁹Vano Yakopi ahoswali eeraka: Nluku a paapa Aparahamu, Nluku a paapa Isaki, we Mwaneene Nluku ukireenle wiira: Uturuwele uwannya waalokwaa kinawupanka yooreera. ¹⁰Mi kinacuwela wiira khaninkiphwanela nifento neekhweeli ninkipankaa mi karumeyaa. Kilapuwile mooloko Yortani ni nttontto aka paahi, nanso nna va kihaana miphwinko miili. ¹¹Sontte ukoopole mmatatani mwa munnaka Isawu, kontha mi kinamoova, wiira hiiwe ukiiwa mi, asaana wamoca na anumwanaya. ¹²Kontha we uheera: Kinaweettiha ratta. Kinawuvaha ucuulu mwinci toko nhava wo mpharyaa ni mphwinko wa athtu wohaalikelyaa.**

¹³Yoole uhiyu ule Yakopi ahorupa nenne nipuro nne ni ahothanla

mihuwo commaha munnaawe Isawu: ¹⁴ipuri cithiyana iminya piili ni anapinkula sirini, ikhontwaa cithiyana iminya piili ni anapinkula sirini okhontwaa, ¹⁵inkamira talathini cithiyana co wamwinya na asaana aya, imope cithiyana arupayini ni imope khumi cilopwana, apuuru onthiyana sirini ni apuuru onlopwana khumi. ¹⁶Ahaakawela mihuwo nnyo ipottha cawe wiira awacawace, ni wo khula nhuwo wari mphantte aya, ni aheerela: Nhoolelaceke ni nhiye ikhato nhuwo ni nhuwo nkhwaya. ¹⁷Ahonlamulela oopacera ole: Munnaka Isawu oophwanyaka, ni ookohaka wiira: We uri naani, unrwa vayi ni nhuwo urinaa ula wawani? ¹⁸Vano umwakhuleke wiira ca karumeya enyu Yakopi. Ciri itthuvo cinonveleliherawe nkunya awe Isawu ni uyo neera awaka uttuli wihu. ¹⁹Ciicammo ahonlamulela onayeeli, oneeraru nale othene yawa uttuli mihuwo eeraka: Uphwanyakani Isawu othene munhimyacere nuulumo nimoca nenna. ²⁰Munhimerye tho wiira: Karumeya aa Yakopi nawa uttuli uno. Kontha Yakopi hoopuwela coo: Kahoolihaka itthuvo caka nnyo, kinattipiha urusiya wawe nwo, vano nakumanacaka ni mi uyo, atthunaka nakakhelela wooreera. ²¹Phimaana inama cotthuvo nnye cahoolihiya, nanso ule ahohala veekhawo nipuro nomakiya nne ni ahorupa uhiyu wothene.

Nkhitto wa Yakopi uPenuweli

²²Yoole uhiyu ule ahonwa ni ahaakusa asaarawe eeli, na asaarawe eeli oohitteeliheraninya, wamoca na asaanawe khumi na mmoca, ni yaholapuwaca nsepa no Yappoko. ²³Ahaalapusaca nsepa nno asaarawe

ayo ni citthu cothene carinawe. ²⁴Vano Yakopi ahohala veekhawe ni ahomwanana nlopwana mmoca uhiyu wothene mpaka usa. ²⁵Nlopwana ule, wona wawe wiira khamoorya untthema, ahomwaatta wakumanacile makhuva oonataru, ni Yakopi ahorepenyuwa wakumanacile makhuva ni amwananaka ono.

²⁶Nlopwana ule aheera ukihiye kirwee kontha uhosa. Nanso Yakopi ahomwaakhula eeraka: Akinoohiya urwaka wahikireeriheke. ²⁷Ni ahonkoha: Ncina naa tipani? Ule ahomwaakhula: Mi kineehaninya Yakopi. ²⁸Vano nlopwana ule aheera: Ncina naa khaninhala wiihaninya tho Yakopi, nanso Israyeli, kontha we uhomwaanana Nluku na atthu ni uhotthema.

²⁹Ni Yakopi ahonkoha eeraka: Kinapheela ucuwela ncina naa. Ule aheera: Unkikoherani ncina? Vaavale ahonreeriha.

³⁰Vano Yakopi ahovaha ncina na Peniyeli neno nipuro nno, eeraka: Kontha kihomoonu Nluku ni miitho aka ala ni mi kinkumi.

³¹Aakhumile uPeniyeli, ukati wakhumaya ncuwa ni Yakopi anatumpela. ³²Phimaana mpaka nihuku noleelo annasirayeli khankhuraca ntinka unluttaniha natara ni iyuunu, kontha Yakopi ahaattiya wantinkani ukumanihile natara ni iyuunu.

Ukumana wa Yakopi ni Isawu

33 Yoole ukati ule, Yakopi ahoweha ni phamoonawe Isawu awaaka, nari na alopwana iminya cese. Vano ahaakawa asaanawe ayo anvahaka Leya, Rakeli na asaarawe eeli oohitteeliheraninya. ²Vano ahaaholiha asaarawe eeli oohitteeliheraninya na asaanaya ayo, ahomweesa Leya na asaanawe ayo uttuli waasaarawe

oohitteeliheraninya Rakeli ni Yusufu phaari oomalihera. ³Wahoolo Yakopi ahaapwahaca nukhala uhoolo, ni ahomomela vathi imaara saapa mpaka waphilyawe wamunnawe.

⁴Vaavale Isawu ahontthimakela, ahonkapatta nuunvaha alaahuma nuunsalameeha, ni othene yahonlaca. ⁵Wahoolo ahoweha ni ahoona athiyana na amirawo ni ahokoha eeraka: Ala phaasipani arinaa ala? Ule ahaakhula eeraka: Ala pha asaana anvahilyawe Nluku wotthuna wawe karumeya aa. ⁶Vano yahophiyaca asaarawe eeli oohitteeliheraninya wamoca na asaanaya ayo ni yahoroma. ⁷Ciicammo ahophiya Leya wamoca na asaanawe, ni ahoroma. Wiimaliheroni ahophiya Yusufu ni Rakeli, na ayo yahoromaca.

⁸Nanlelo Isawu anakoha: Unhala wi-irihani mihuwo cothene ciphwanyilyaka niphiro nnyo? Yakopi ahomwaakhula: Keera kiphwanye nnema wamiithoni wankunya aka. ⁹Nanso Isawu ahomwiirela: Mwanhimaka, mi kihaana mihuwo cinci. Cirinaa nnyo uhalaneke. ¹⁰Vano Yakopi ahomwaakhula: Mena, wakhala wiira uhaana nnema ni mi ukuse itthuwo yuvahilyaka ela, phimaana koonaka ikhove aa, toko wiira koonne ikhove ya Nluku, kontha we uhokaakhelela. ¹¹Kinawulepela ukuse iparakhaka iwaneliyaa kontha Nluku wo nnema hokivaha, ni kihaana cinci. Ni ahonkhanyereriha mpaka Isawu waakhelela.

¹²Isawu aheera: Nrwee neette. Mi kinahoola. ¹³Nanso Yakopi aheera: Nkunya, kinawoonu asaanaka ayo ukenkenyaca ni kihaana ikhontwaa ni imope cotothola naanano kaakuvihacaka, wonihuku nimoca kinawoova ukikhwacera cothene. ¹⁴Fatari uhooleke nkunya, mi kinawa uttuli nwo keettaka vakani vakani. Kintthariha malonce onama ciri

uhoolo nnya ni amirawo arinaka ala. Kinawuphwanya uSeyiri.

¹⁵Vano, Isawu aheera: Kinawuhiyera atthu arinaka ala. Ule ahonkoha: Nlattuni? Wanaatosa mi kaphwanyaru nnema ni nkunya aka. ¹⁶Phimaana Isawu ahoturuwela iphiro yaweenlyawe ahokoleelaka uSeyiri. ¹⁷Nanso Yakopi ahopwahera arwaka uSukoti. Uphiya wawe ahoteka inupa ni macici onama cawe. Phimaana wiihaninyaka nenno nipuro nno uSukoti.

¹⁸Paahi Yakopi ahophiya nari nkumi iparasa yo uSikeni ni ilapo yo Kanaa, akhumaka uPatan-Arami; ni ahomaka vakhiviru nuparasa. ¹⁹Ni ahothuma nthala nankhurutunlyawe heema munthalani na asaana a Hemori, athumwane Sikeni ni nsurukhu iminya imoca. ²⁰Vaavale ahoteka ikhilompi ni ahovaha ncina na Nluku, Nluku o Isirayeli.

Nkhitto wa atthu o Sikeni ni nrukulu na Yakopi

34 Nkwaha mmoca, Tina, mwana a Leya ayanryawe ni Yakopi, ahokhuma wiira aacuwelane athiyana oyeele ilapo ele. ²Sikeni, mwanawe Hamori, nHevewu, mwene o yoole nttetthe ule, ahomooni ni ahontuphela. ³Nanso nrima awe wahonphelyaa nlattu wa Tina, mwana a Yakopi, ni ule ahoncivela mwanthiyana ole ni ahomuulumana wonifento. ⁴Phimaana Sikeni ahorwaa waahimerya athumwane eerelaka: Nkuulumele ule nthiyana ole wiira akhale mwaaraka. ⁵Yakopi wacuwenlyawe wiira mwamwanawe Tina ahotankanyinya iharusi, asaanawe anari utakhwani walihaaya mihuwo; ahomaala awehereryaka uturuwaca. ⁶Vano Hamori, athumwane Sikeni yahorwaa woopa mwaha ni Yakopi. ⁷Ukati waturuwacilyaya utakhwani

asaana a Yakopi yahocuwelaca cothene ni yahocukulaca nuurusiya venci cinenne kontha Sikeni ahopanka itthu yowuulihaca muru uIsirayeli, wanrupanyawe mwana a Yakopi; itthu ihmpankiya. ⁸Nanso Hamori aheerelaca: Mwanaka Sikeni hociveliya ni mwaninyu. Kinawuvekelani wiira munvahe akhale mwaarawe. ⁹Ni niyaranace nyu ni hi, nnivahaka asaanenyu asithiyana ayo ni hi ninawuvahani awihu ayo, ¹⁰ni nkhole wamoca ni hi. Ilapo inoonenyu ila nkhole wohitwana. Mpanke marontta enyu ni nkhalane mathala. ¹¹Vano Sikeni aheerela athumwane ni asunnawe mwanthiyana ole: Nkikupali. Nkivahe mwanthiyana oyo. Mi kinawuulivani ihisapu yothene inhalenyu ukilamula. ¹²Mwatthuna mmwelihe ihisapu yoothela ni contthuva mwali uyo. Mi kinakumiha cothene cinhalenyu uhimya, nanso nkivahe mwali uyo kinthele.

¹³Vaavale, asaana a Yakopi yahontheypyaca Sikeni ni athumwane yeehaninya Hamori nlattu wootankanyaa iharusi ya Tina, mwanrokoraya. ¹⁴Ni yahomwiirelaca: Khaninlamuliya upanka commo, unvaha mwanrokorihu nlopwana oohuula icantto kontha iri itthu yowuuliha muru. ¹⁵Phimaana ninhala wutthunani nyu mwakhalaka toko hi. Mooliheke alopwana othene toko hi. ¹⁶Vano ninawuvahani asaanehu ayo wiira mwaatheleke, ni hi, asaanenyu ayo ninawathela. Ni ninhala ukhala wamoca ni amocaruru ni nyu. ¹⁷Nanso mwahiniweke ni mwahuuleke icantto, ninankusa mwanihu uyo nuuthama.

¹⁸Yaayo moolumo ayo yahoncivela Hamori ni mwanawe Sikeni. ¹⁹Sikeni khapicile nuupanka yeereliyawe iyo kontha ahoncivela venci mwana a Yakopi. Ni Sikeni phaari oofentiya venci wowapwaha atthu othene

yaariwo ntthoko na athumwane. ²⁰Phimaana ahorwaa Hamori ni Sikeni wathukumaniha alopwana othene oparasa ni wahimerya eeraka: ²¹Ale atthu ale ari osalaama ni hi, phimaana naahiye akhale ilapo ehu ila ni apanke marontta aya. Kinawoona ilapo ihu iyo iri yinci. Ananivaha waathela asaanaya ayo ni hi ninawavaha asaanehu ayo. ²²Nanso ayo atthu ayo anhala ukupali ukhala ni hi ni ukhala amocar. Hi alopwana va othene nolaka icantto, toko ayo cunlyaya. ²³Nnoona cani, imope caya nyo, ni nhakhu aya uyo, ni mihuwo caya nyo, khacinhala ukhala cawihu? Neewanane paahi ni anaahala ukhala wamoca ni hi. ²⁴Vaavale atthu othene yavira nkhora wo oparasa, yahomwiwelela Hamori ni mwanawe Sikeni, ni alopwana othene yaavira wa nkhora woparasa, yahoolihiya icantto.

²⁵Waphilyaya nihuku noneeraru, ukati waryaya muhuvani ni yaweryaka venci makhwatta ayo, asaana eeli a Yakopi, Simeyoni ni Levi, asirokorawe Tina, yahokusaca khula ntthu ikatana awe, yahokelaca mparasa mmwe ni yaheevakaca alopwana othene. ²⁶Ciicammo yahomwiivaca ni ikatana Hamori ni mwanawe ni yahonkusaca Tina aari inupa ya Sikeni ni yahokhumaca. ²⁷Asaanawe Yakopi yahophiyaca wa atthu ookhwa ni yahohukhaca mparasa mmo mothene kontha yanootankanyinya iharusi ya mwanrokoraya Tina. ²⁸Yahokusaca ikhontwaa, imope, apuuru caari mparasa ni cothene caari mmattani. ²⁹Yahokusaca mihakhu ni yahavarakaca asaana na athiyana urwaa wapanka ipottha, ni yahohukhaca mmapaani mothene. ³⁰Phimaana Yakopi ahomwiirela Simeyoni ni Levi: Mokivelaveliha, nhokiputaniha na atthu ankhala ilapo ela, ni makanani ni maperesewu ncuwelaka wiira hi niri

vakani, anaahala ulattulana nuuhonona ntthoko ehu. ³¹Vano ale yahaakhulaca: Mpaka uyo umpanka mwanrokorihu toko puuta?

Yakopi nawuulumaninya tho ni Nluku o Peteli

35 Nluku ahonlamulela Yakopi: Wunwe, urwee uPeteli ni wakhale wonwo ni wampankele ikhilompi Nluku ookhumelenle ukati wantthawa munnaa Isawu. ²Vano Yakopi ahohimerya ntthoko nawe na atthu othene yarinawe eeraka: Mwakumihe anluku a malaponi othene wariyari winyu mwiirapihe ni mmware ikuwo cikina. ³Vano nunwe nirwe uPeteli wonwo kinkontekela ikhilompi Nluku akaakhunle nihuku narinaka masukuli ni hokivelela mmaphironi mothene mweettaka. ⁴Vaavale Yakopi ahovahiya anluku othene oohimaana yari mmatatani ni ipirinku caari mmanyaruni ni Yakopi ahothipela vathi mooko uri wamoca nuSikeni. ⁵Vano yahokhumaca, na atthu yakhala yeeyo ilapo eyo Nluku ahaacariha woova mpaka woolwana wattharattara asaana a Yakopi. ⁶Commo, Yakopi na atthu othene yarinawe yahophiyaca o Lusu uneehaniya uPeteli uri ilapo yo Kanaa. ⁷Vaavale ahoteka ikhilompi ni nenno nipuro nno ahovaha ncina no El-Peteli, kontha Nluku ahonkhumelela ukati wantthawawe munnaawe.

⁸Ahokhwa Teepora, karumeya a Repeka, ni ahovithiya vakhiviru nuPeteli vathi waya mooko ni ahovaha ncina na Alompakuti.

⁹Wahoolo Nluku ahonkhumelela tho Yakopi, akhumaka uPatan-Arami ni ahonreeriha. ¹⁰Vano Nluku ahomwiirela: We ncina naa Yakopi. Ukhuma ilelo ncina naa khaninhala wiihaniya tho Yakopi nanso ncina naa ninhala wiihaniya Isirayeli.

Ni aheehaneliya ncina na Isirayeli. ¹¹Nluku ahomwiirela tho: Mi phi mi Nluku okuru cothene. Uyarace ni ukhalane ucuulu mwinci. Mwiirutthuni mwa we, inaakhumelela ilapo cinci na athu enci, ni ammokhumelela mamwene menci. ¹²Mi kimmowuvaha we ilapo invahilyaka Aparahamu ni Isaki. Wahoolo ilapo eyo kinavaha ucuulu aa. ¹³Vaavale, wuulumaca wawe Yakopi, Nluku ahowela. ¹⁴Vano aheesa nivatta no nluku nipuro noolumaninyawe ni Nluku, ni aheethela yoowuriya ni makhura waculu waya nivatta. ¹⁵Phimaana Yakopi ahovaha ncina no Peteli nipuro namuulumanyawe Nluku.††

Uyariyaa wa Pencamii, ukhwa wa Rakeli ni Isaki

¹⁶Wakhumilyaya uPeteli, unahanle ncoko vakani wiira aphiye ilapo yo Efarata, Rakeli ahonnyara mwana, nanso uyara wawe waari wookukuryaca. ¹⁷Nari mmekho, mayoyariha ahomwiirela: Uhoove, kontha uhaana tho mwana mwanlopwana. ¹⁸Vano wakhumaya nnepa awe, kontha hokhwa, ahonvaha mwana ule ncina na Penoni^{‡‡}, nanso athumwane yahonvaha ncina na Pencamii^{¶¶}. ¹⁹Ni ala mananna ala pheeracilyawe wookhwa Rakeli ni ahovithiya ni iphiro yorwaa o Farata uneehaniya uPetelehemu. ²⁰Waculu waya mahiye, Yakopi aheemesa nivatta no nluku. Mpaka nihuku noleelo, nenne nivatta nne ninathonyera mahiye a Rakeli. ²¹Vano Isirayeli ahokhuma arwaka unkhurutula heema awe withela Miktal-Eteri. ²²Anowiira Isirayeli athamelaka yeeyo ilapo eyo, Rupeni ahorwaa

unthukumanana Piila, amwaara athumwane oohitteeliheraninya, ni Isirayeli ahocuwela.

Yakopi ahaana asaana khumi nuuwa eeli: ²³Rupeni, ntthara na Yakopi, Simeyoni, Levi, Yutta, Isakari ni Sepuloni, ala yari asaana a Leya; ²⁴Yusufu ni Pencamii asaana a Rakeli; ²⁵Taani ni Nafitali asaana a Piila, ipottha ya Rakeli; ²⁶Kaate ni Aseri yaari asaana a Silipa ipottha ya Leya. Ala phaasaana yarelyawe o Patan-Arami.

²⁷Yakopi ahorwaa unthotola Isaki, athumwane, o Manree yo Kiriyate-Arapa o Heporoni wakhawele Aparahamu ni Isaki. ²⁸Mahuku ookumi a Isaki yari myakha iminya imoca ni myakha nuwa thamanini (180) ceyarelo. ²⁹Isaki ahomumula nuukhwa nooluvanle ni ahaathara mayathumwane. Isawu ni Yakopi, asaanawe, yahonvitha.

Ucuulu wa Isawu

36 Ula phu ucuulu wa Isawu, neehaniya Etomi. ²Isawu ahaathela athiyana iriyari ya asaana uKanaa: Ata mwana a Eloni, nHitita; Oholipama mwana a Anaa, mwana a Sipeyone nHivita; ³ni Pasimati mwana a Sumayili, mwanrokorawe Nepayote.

⁴Isawu ahonnyarana Ata, Elifasi, ni Pasimati ahonnyarana Reweli. ⁵Oholipama ahonnyara Yewusi, Yalawu ni Korani.

Ala pha asaana a Isawu yayarenlawe ilapo yo Kanaa.

⁶Vaavale Isawu ahaakusa asarawe othene, asaanawe asilopwana na asithiyana na athu othene ovatthokoni wawe; ni ahokusa mihuwo cawe, imope, mihakhu cawe ni citthu cothene caphwanyilyawe ilapo yo Kanaa, ni

††35:15 Mphattuwelo 28.18-19

‡‡35:18 manaaya wiira: Mwanawe Ucukula

¶¶35:18 manaaya wiira: Mwanawe Moono Nlopwana

amwalanaka ni nhimaawe Yakopi ahothamela ilapo ikina. ⁷Kontha mihakhu caya nnyo cari cinci, ni khacareerana ukhalakhala nipuro nimoca, ni ilapo yakhalakhalaya eyo khayarina coolya cootosa mwanlattu wonama carinaya nnyo. ⁸Phimaana Isawu, neehaniya Etomi, ahorwaa ukhala mwako wo Seyiri.

⁹Ula phu ucuulu wa Isawu athumwanaya annaEtomi, yakhalaca mwako wo Seyiri. ¹⁰Ala phi macina asaanawe Isawu: Elifasi mwana a Ata, mwaarawe Isawu; Ruweli mwanawe Pisamate, mwaarawe Isawu. ¹¹Asaana a Elifasi: Teemani, Umari, Seefu, Kaayita ni Keenasi. ¹²Timina ari mwaarawe oohitteeliheraninya a Elifasi, mwana a Isawu, ni ahonnyarana Elifasi Maalike; ala pha asaanawe Ata amwaara a Isawu.

¹³Ala pha asaana a Ruweli: Naate, Seraa, Samaa ni Miisa; ala yari asaana a Pasimati, amwaarawe Isawu.

¹⁴Ala pha asaana a Oholipama, mwanawe Anaa, mwanawe Sipeyone, athiyana oneeraru a Isawu; ni ahayarana Isawu: Yewusi, Yalawu ni Koraa.

¹⁵Vano ala phi mamwene asaana a Isawu, asaana a Elifasi, nthara na Isawu: Mwene Temaani, mwene Umari, mwene Seefu, mwene Keenasi, ¹⁶mwene Koraa, mwene Kayeta, mwene Maliki; ala phi mamwene yayanryawe Elifasi ilapo yo Etomi; asaana a Ata athiyana oolupale a Isawu.

¹⁷Ala pha asaana a Ruweli mwana a Isawu: Mwene Naate, mwene Seraa, mwene Samaa, mwene Misaa; ala phi mamwene yayanryawe Ruweli ilapo yo Etomi, asaana a Pasimati mwaara a Isawu.

¹⁸Ala pha asaana a Oholipama mwaara a Isawu: Mwene Yewusi, mwene Yalamu, mwene Koraa; ala phi mamwene akhumakhumile ni

Oholipama, mwana a Anaa, mwaara a Isawu.

¹⁹Ala pha asaana a Isawu ni mamwene aya; ule neehaniya Etomi.

²⁰Ala pha asaana a Seyiri nHorewu, yakhalakhala ilapo eyo: Lotanimu, Sopalimu, Sipeyonemu ni Anaamu, ²¹Tiisomimu, Eserimu ni Tisaamu. Ala phi mamwene o mahorewu, asaana a Seyiiri ilapo yo Etomi. ²²Ala pha asaana a Lotani: Hoti ni Homa. Mwanrokorawe Lotani eehaninya Timina. ²³Ala pha asaana a Soopali: Alvani, Manaate, Epali, Seefo ni Oona. ²⁴Ala pha asaana a Sipeyone: Ayaa ni Anaa; naaciya Anaa oonenenle iluusi co maasi oohiwelela ntakhwani, waahakhelawe apuuru a Sipeyone, athumwane.

²⁵Ala pha asaana a Anaa: Tisomi ni Oholipama, mwana mwanthiyana a Anaa. ²⁶Ala pha asaana a Tisomi: Hentta, Eesipa, Itera ni Kerani.

²⁷Ala pha asaana a Eseri: Piila, Saava ni Akaa. ²⁸Ala pha asaana a Tisomi: Usii ni Araa.

²⁹Ala phi mamwene o mahorewu: mwene Lotamu, mwene Soopelamu, mwene Sipeyamu, mwene Anamu, ³⁰mwene Tisomu, mwene Eserimu, mwene Tisomu; ala phi mamwene o mahorewu, toko caaryaya mamwene aya ilapo yo Seyiri.

³¹Ala phi mamwene yathawaanle ilapo yo Etomi hinapaca ukhala mwene mwasaana o wSirayeli. ³²O Etomi aholamula Peelamu, mwana a Peyori, ni ncina noparasa awe naari Tinapa. ³³Ahokhwa Peela, ni nipuru nawe, ahothawala Yopapimu, mwana a Seraa, o Posira. ³⁴Ahokhwa Yopapi, ni nipuru nawe, aholamulula Husamu, olapo yo Matanamita. ³⁵Ahokhwa Husamu, ni nipuru nawe, aholamula Hatatemu, mwana a Peetati, aarakalihile a Miitiya ncoko wo Mwape; ncina noparasa awe nari Avite. ³⁶Ahokhwa Hatatemu, ni

nipuro nawe, aholamula Samulamu, o Masireka. ³⁷Ahokhwa Samulamu, ni nipuro nawe, aholamula Sawulumu, o Reyopoti, wamoca ni mooloko Ufarati. ³⁸Ahokhwa Sawulumu, ni nipuro nawe, aholamula Paali-Hanamu, mwana a Akipori. ³⁹Ahokhwa Paali-Hanamu, mwana a Akipori, ni nipuro nawe, aholamula Hatarimu; ncina noparasa awe nari Pawu; ni na amwaarawe nari Meetapeli, mwana a Materete, mwana Min-saape.

⁴⁰Ala phi macina o mamwene a Isawu, toko caryaya malokwawe, mapuro aya ni macina aya: Mwene Timinamu, mwene Aluvamu, mwene Yetetemu, ⁴¹mwene Oholipamu, mwene Elaamu, mwene Pinomu, ⁴²mwene Kinasimu, mwene Temamu, mwene Mipisarimu, ⁴³mwene Makitiyelimu ni mwene Iramu.

Ala phi mamwene o Etomi, toko caakhaliyaya ilapo aya. Ula phi Isawu, athumwane o annaEtomi.

Yusufu

37 Yakopi ahokhala ilapo yo Kanaa wonwo athumwane warwelyaya weettakaca. ²Ila phi yookhumelela ya nloko na Yakopi.

Yusufu warinawe myakha khumi na saapa aahakhela inama na asunnawe. Anawaakavihera asaana a Pila na asaana a Silpa asaara athumwane ni anawaahimerya athumwane coonanara caapankaya asunnawe.

³Vano, Israel aananfenta venci Yusufu woopwaha asaana akina ayo kontha ayareele athumwane anooluvanle, phimaana yahonttotthihera ihancu yoorekama. ⁴Ni wacuwenlyaya asunnawe wiira phinfentiya venci na athumwane woopwaha mwana phi mwana, yahonramaca ni khayamulumana wo nnema.

⁵Vano aaholoha Yusufu nttora ni wahimenryawe asunnawe ale yahanca onrama wootepe. ⁶Ni aheerela: Nviriyane nttora olohilyaka: ⁷Natthukaca ihayi co tiriku omattani. Vano ihayi aka yahonwa ni weemela ni ihayi cinyu nnyo cahorukurerya ni woormela ihayi aka.

⁸Ni asunnawe yahomwiirelaca: Vano, weva onoono wiira unaahala unilamula? Ni yahonrama tho woopwaha nlatu wo nttora ni itthu yahimilyawe.

⁹Wahoolo aaholoha tho nttora ni wahimerya asunnawe eeraka: Kiholoha tho nttora nkina. Ila ikwaha ila ncuwa, mweri ni ithoottwa khumi ni imoca cahokikhoremela. ¹⁰Wahimenryawe athumwane na asunnawe, athumwane ayo yahoncaceraca yiiraka: Nttorani yooyo olohilyaa uyo? Maanaya wiira mi, anumwana na asunnaa ninwoworomela weva mpaka vathi? ¹¹Phimaana asunnawe othene Yanaanramaca. Nanso athumwane yeera yuupuwelaka itthu iyo.

Yusufu nathumihya na asunnawe

¹²Asunnawe Yusufu yahorwaa uhakhela inama ca athumwanaya vakhiviru nuuSikeni, ¹³ni Isirayeli ahomwiirela Yusufu: Toko cincuwelaa asunnaa anhakela inama vakhiviru ni nuuSikeni. Kimphela wuruma urwee wonwo. Yusufu ahaakhula eeraka: Aye. Kiheewa. ¹⁴Athumwane yahomwiirela: Urwee wonwo woone unari ukhaliyaka ratta, ukhuma asunnaa ni inama ciyo ni ukiwihere ihapari. Yakopi anrumile nari nikuwa no Heporoni, ni Yusufu ahophiya uSikeni. ¹⁵Vano nlopwana mmoca ahomphwanya akomankomacaka muthakoni ni ahonkoha eeraka: We, unaavyani? ¹⁶Yusufu ahaakhula: Kinaavya asunnaka. Nkihimerye nipuro ninhakhelaya inama nnyo. ¹⁷Nlopwana

ule ahaakhula: Ayo ahokhumaca va. Mi kiheewa yiiracaka nrwee uTotaani.

Vano Yusufu ahaatthara asunnawe. Ni ahaaphwanya anari vakhiviru ni uTotaani. ¹⁸Nanso ale yahomoonaca nttayi nttayi, ni hinaphiya Yusufu, yahovanela umwiiva. ¹⁹Ni yahohimeryana yiiraka: Hophiya nanttora uyo. ²⁰Vano nrwee nimwiive nunrihela nluusi, ni neereke hokhuriya ni nsene noone vano cinhalaya wiira ittora cawe nnyo.

²¹Vano, wiira wawe Rupeni ahomananiha umwaakiha eeraka: Nihimwiive! ²²Ni aheera tho: Nhivuvihe iphome. Munrihele nluusi iri muthakoni mu, yooyo uyo nhinvaravare. Rupeni olumacentre coommo aavyaka mananna omwaakiha ni wiira anturusele wathumwane.

²³Uphiya wawe Yusufu, asunnawe yahonrulaca ihancu awe, yoorekama eyo, ²⁴nunvaraca nunrihela nluusi moohimasi.

²⁵Wookomacilyaya wiira alye yahoona nttayi nttayi mphwinko wa Annasumayili wakhuma uKiliyati. Ikamelo caya capakhinre ikaruma coonukhela, makhura o nrette ni makhura oonukhela caarwanaya Wiciipitu. ²⁶Yutta aheerela asunnawe: Ninhala uphwanyani namwiiwaka nhimeehu uyo, nimaalanaka ukhwa wawe nwo. ²⁷Nrwee naathumihere Annasumayili. Nihinhasare ula nhimeehu iphula ni niitho. Ni asunnawe Yutta yahokupali.

²⁸Wattamenryaya anamarontta Annasumayili o Mitiyani, asunnawe Yusufu yahonkumiha Yusufu nluusi ni yahathumihera Annasumayili ni ncurukhu siriini nunkusa Wiciipitu.

²⁹Rupeni warwelyawe unweha nluusi mmo, khaamphwanyile. Woono wawe wiira Yusufu khaawo ahaahula coowara cawe, ³⁰aturuwelaka waasunnawe ni

aheera: Mmirawo uyo mmwe khaawo! Kinhala wiira cani?

³¹Vano yahomwiivaca napinkula nuruwya mphomeni ihancu ya Yusufu. ³²Ni yahorwaca waathonyera athumwanaya yiiracaka: Nihottotta ihancu ila kahiki khinakhala ihancu ya mwaninyu Yusufu? ³³Ni Yakopi ahoona wiira phi yeeyo ni aheera: Ila ihancu ila ya mwanaka! Nsene nihonhasara. Yusufu hokhuriya!

³⁴Vano Yakopi ahaahula coowara cawe nuwara icakho ni ahomunlela mwanawe mahuku menci. ³⁵Asaanawe othene, asilopwana na asithiyana yanawa ummaaliha, nanso aanakhotta umaalihiya nwo eeraka: Mena! Kinaahala wunla mpaka mmahiye nryawe mwanaka. Ni ahopwaherera umunlela. ³⁶Yooyo ukati uyo uWiciipitu, Annamitiyani yahontumiha Yusufu waPutifari, nhooleli a mayoorontta inupa ya Farawoo, mwene o Wiciipitu.

Yutta ni Tamari

38 Yooyo ukati uyo, Yutta ahaahiya asunnawe ni ahorwaa ukhala inupa ya nlopwana mmoca eehaninya Hiira, ilapo yo Atulami. ²Vano Yutta ahomoono mwanthiyana mmoca nKanaa eehaninya Suuwa. Ule ahonkusa nuunthela. ³Ni mwanthiyana ole ahorupala ni onyara mwana nuummahancina na Eeri. ⁴Ahorupala tho irukulu, ahonnyara mwana nlopwana nuunvaha ncina na Onani. ⁵Ahaakulela tho nuunyara mwana ni ahonvahanncina na Seela. Yooyo annyanre nari uKisipi. ⁶Vano Yutta ahomwaverya Eeri, mwanawe oontthaara, nthiyana eehaninya Tamari wiira anthele. ⁷Nanso Eeri, mwana oontthaara a Yutta, aari oohiloka wamiithoni wa Mwaneene Nluku, phimaana Mwaneene Nluku ahomwiiva. ⁸Vano Yutta

ahomwiirela Onani: Ukhale nkelanupa a munnaa, wiira munnaa akhalane ipyo. ⁹Nanso Onani wacuwenlyawe wiira asaana ayo kxanhala ukhala awawe, ukati wathukumananawe amwaara a munnaawe, aarihakacela vathi wiira hinyarele asaana munnaawe. ¹⁰Ni yaapankawe ile yaari yoonanara wamiithoni wa Apwiya, phimaana nuuyo yahomwiiva. ¹¹Vano Yutta ahomwiirela Tamari: Weenaneleke unankhwelyaa uyo wapuwanani wa athumwana mpaka wanhalawe wunnuwa mwanaka Seela. Kinawuvaha wiira unthele, kontha Yutta oolumacene commo aaceraka wiira Seela ni uyo hikhwe toko cikhwilyaya asunnawe. Phimaana Tamari ahorwaa waathumwane.

¹²Anavinrene mahuku menci, yahokhwa amwaara a Yutta, yaari mwana a Suuwa. Wahoolo Yutta aheepisiha nrima ni ahorwaa ni mpwanawe Hiira, Nnatulami, waweha ahakheli awe okhontwaa oTimina.

¹³Vano ahohimerya Tamari wiira atiithyaa anrwaa oTimina uthikila mapururu okhontwaa. ¹⁴Tamari ahorula ikuwo coonankhwele ni aheettiyelela wiitho nwo ni nleso wiira hucuweliye, ni ahonkoma wankhora wo Nayimi, uri iphiro yo Timina, kontha ahoona wiira Seela honnuwa ni khanvahiya tho wiira akhale awannyawe. ¹⁵Vaavale Yutta umoona wawe Tamari amoonihile toko puuta, kontha anoikhuneela ikhove awe iyo.

¹⁶Yutta ahorwaa waryawe Tamari nuumwiirela: Nkawe, kinawuvekela kuuthukumanane. Kontha khacuwela wiira amwaara-mwanaka. Ni ule ahonkoha: Unhala ukivahani wowiira ukithukumanane? ¹⁷Ule ahaakhula eeraka: Kinawuveleelihera ipuri yo muncicini mwaka. Ni Tamari aheera: Mwemesere itthu mpaka

wanhalenyu uwiiha. ¹⁸Vano ule ahonkoha eeraka: Kemesereke isiyani? Ule ahomwaakhula: Ikanyero eyo, ni nleso naa nno ni nttontto uri mmatatani mwa uyo. Yutta ahonvaha calepenlyawe, nuunrupana mpaka unrupaliha. ¹⁹Wahoolo Tamari ahonwa nuurula nleso nawanryawe, ni ahowara ikuwo coonankhwele cawe.

²⁰Yutta ahonvaherera mpwanawe Nnatulami wiira oopole cithu cemesenryawe mmatatani mwa nthiyana ole, nanso khaamphwanyile.

²¹Hiira ahaakoha alopwana o yoole nttette ole eeraka: Ri yayi namararuwa nonkomesa vakhiviru waya iluusi piili ciri ni iphiro yo Nayimi? Ayo yahomwaakhulaca: Mu mmwani mu khanirina namararuwa. ²²Vano uyo ahohokoleela wa Yutta ni ahomwiirela: Akimphwanyile. Uhiya commo, atthu o yoole nttette ule yiinre nwo khaawo nthiyana namararuwa. ²³Yutta aheera: Mweeco, ahalaneke cennyo cinhiyenryaka nyo. Akintthuna wiira nitarawyaace. Maana mi kahoovaherera ila ipuri ila wiira wanvahe, nanso we khumphwanyile.

²⁴Cinavinre myeeri miraru, Yutta ahohimerya wiira: Tamari aheetta uluva ni horupala irukulu. Vano Yutta aheera: Akumiherye vate ni apahiye. ²⁵Ukati wakumiherya awe vate wiira apahiye, Tamari aholeehera nhupi wa amaathi awe eeraka: Kirupalihile phi mwaneene nnya cithu nnya. Ni ahopwaherera eeraka: Nkoonani nnya, ni mmwaavye mwaneene ila ikanyero ila, nna nleso nna ni ula nttontto ola. ²⁶Vano Yutta ahocuwela cithu nnyo ni aheera: Amwaara-mwanaka ayo ahaana isariya yookivikana mi kontha kinoohavaha mwanaka Seela. Ni khaathukumananne tho.

²⁷Vano waphiilyaya ukati wooyara, wahoonyaa wiira haana mavatta

mmirimani mmo. ²⁸Wayaraawe va, mmoca uyo ahokumihera ntata nawe vate ni nthiyana mayooyariha ahonvara moonoo uyo nuunthuka nluuci nookhwiila, eeraka: Ula phi oopacera. ²⁹Ukati waturusa awe mwana ule ntata nawe nno, nhimaawe ule phaphovawe nuupacera uyaryaa, ni nthiyana mayoyariha aheera: Uphwanyile cani ikhato yoovira? Ni ahovahiya ncina na Peresi manaaya wiira ikhato. ³⁰Wahoolo ahoyarya munnaawe, natthukiye mmoononi nluuci nookhwiila, ni ahovahiya ncina na Seera.

Yusufu uwannyawe Putifari

39 Yusufu ahorwaaninya Wiciipitu. Wonwo Putifari wanthumilyawe Yusufu mmatatani mwAnnasumayili. Putifari ari nhooleli a mayoorontta inupa ya Farawoomu, mwene o Wiciipitu, ahonthuma mmatatani mwAnnasumayili yammwiihile. ²Mwaneene Nluku ari ni Yusufu, ni uyo anareeriya venci, nuupwaherera ni aakhala wapuwani wa nkunya awe munnaciipitu. ³Putifari ucuwela wawe wiira Mwaneene Nluku ari ni Yusufu ni yaammunnuwiha nuureeriha miteko cothene cavarawe, ⁴ni ahoncivela Yusufu mpaka onvaha ukhala nlamuli o wapuwani wawe wothene. Putifari ahonhiyera Yusufu ulamula wapuwani wawe wothene ni citthu cothene caarinawe. ⁵Ukhuma ukati wanhiyenryawe ulamula wapuwani wothene ni citthu cothene, Mwaneene Nluku ahovaha iparakha inupa ya munnaciipitu, mwanlattu wa Yusufu. Iparakha ca Mwaneene Nluku cahomwareela mwa citthu cothene carinawe Putifari, ukhuma wapuwani mpaka umattani. ⁶Vano, ahohiya citthu cothene carinawe, mmatatani mwa Yusufu, ni khaarina isukuli weethu phi

ithu, aawehererya ulya paahi. Yusufu aari ooreera ni aancivela na atthu.

⁷Wakhanlyawe ukati vakani, amwaara a nkunya awe yahanca unthokoca numwiihana yiiraka: Uwe wakirupane! ⁸Nanso ule ahokhotta ni aheera: Nkunya aka khanasukuli weethu phi ithu ciri wapuwani ni cothene cirinawe hiile mmatatani mwaka. ⁹Khaawo wapuwani va ookipwaha mi, ni khiiwo ikateelihilyawe, nanso nyu paahi, kontha amwaarawe. Kaahala upankelani ithu yoonanara toko ila, nuunkosera Nluku? ¹⁰Toko coo, ale yaanankhanyereriha Yusufu khula nihuku, nanso uyo anawakhotta ni khaatthuna waattamanana. ¹¹Nihuku nimoca ahokela mpani wiira avare miteko cawe ni yooyo ukati uyo, khaariwo ntthu hata mmoca. ¹²Vano ale yahovara ikuwo awe ni yahomwiirela tho: Nrwee, ukirupane! Nanso uyo ahokhuma mpani mmo ni waahiyera ikuwo eyo mmatatani mwaya. ¹³Waatthawawe va, yahoona wiira hohiya ikuwo awe mmatatani mwaya, ¹⁴ni yaheehana akarumeya ni weerelaca: Nkoonani! Ula Nheperewu ula niwiiheriyehu ula uwa uniruwana! Ule hokela mu ni aphavela ukirupana, nanso mi kihokhuwela. ¹⁵Wakiwiilyawe kikhuwaka, hokihiyera ikuwo awe nuukhuma mpani mmo. ¹⁶Vano ale yahosunka ikuwo eyo mpaka wawilyawe nkunya uwaani. ¹⁷Vano yahaakulela uttonka ithu yakhumile yiiraka: Ile ipottha yo uHeperewu ile iniwiihenryaa eyo, yahokiwela mi ukiruwana. ¹⁸Nanso wakhuwenlyaka wiira kaakuveliyeyo, uyo hokihiyera ikuwo eyo nutthawa. ¹⁹Wewilyawe nkunya awe ithu yattonkaya amwaarawe yiiraka: Coo phikipankilyaya ipottha iyo. Ahorusiya. ²⁰Ahoruma wiira arweeliye

Yusufu ni ahovonyeriya nkalaposo mawatthukeliyaya anantthukiya a amwene. Yusufu ahokhala nkalaposo, ²¹nanso Mwaneene Nluku ari nuule, yahomweettiha nnema, mpaka wiiwanana ni nhooleli onkalaposo. ²²Phimaana nhooleli onkalaposo ahomvaha Yusufu iyuulupale ya anantthukiya, ni yooyo phakhulela citthu cothene cakhumelela nkalaposo mmo. ²³Nhooleli khaarina masukuli ni Yusufu, kontha Mwaneene Nluku ari ni Yusufu ni yahonvaha iparakha wo miteko cothene cavarawe.

Yusufu naataphulela ittora nkalaposo

40 Unavinre ukati vakani, hutumu ni mayamikathe o wamwene o Wiciipitu, yahonkosera nkunya aya, mwene o Wiciipitu. ²Farawoo ahorusiya na ahooleli awe ale, nhooleli o mahutumu ni nhooleli o mayamikathe, ³ni aholamula utthukelaciya uwannyawe nhooleli o mayoorontta, nkalaposo mwaryawe Yusufu. ⁴Nhooleli o mayoorontta ahiile anantthukiya mmatatani mwa Yusufu ni eera aawehawehaka, ni yahokhala ukati vakani nkalaposo. ⁵Vano yaholohaca hutumu ni mayamikathe a mwene o Wiciipitu, yatthukeliye nkalaposo. Khula ntthu aholoha nttora nawe, oyeeli uhiyu mmoca yooyo ni khula nttora wahaana mataphuleleliyo aya. ⁶Yusufu warwawe waweha wicisu, ahoona wiira yanacukulaca. ⁷Phimaana ahaakoha akhuulupale a Farawoo, ni ale yaatthukiye wawaanyawe nkunya aya, eeraka: Nlattuni nyu ilelo nkhalaka oohitta? ⁸Ale yahaakhulaca yiiraka: Nihaana nttora ehu ni khaawo oonitaphulela. Yusufu aheerelaca: Utaphulela nwo khunakhala wa Nluku? Nkihimerye mittora nnyo.

⁹Vano hutumu ahonttonkela Yusufu nttora awe uyo: Munttorani mwaka

kihoona mwiri unari vakhiviru ni mi, ¹⁰ni mwiri uyo wahaana miritta miraru. Ni uyo wahophuwa, mpaka ukhalana ithutu ni wiima ni uttokottha mavareene. ¹¹Ikoomisi ya Farawoo yaari mmatatani mwaka. Kahokusa cowiima nnye ni waamela nkoomisini mwa Farawoo nuumvaha mmatatani mwawe. ¹²Yusufu ahomwiirela: Mataphuleleliyo aya pha ala: Miritta miraru nnyo phi mahuku mararu. ¹³Nhina wo mahuku mararu, Farawoo nowoowusa muru aa, ni nowowutaphula ni wuuhokolosera nteko aa ni we ummomvaha ikoomisi mmatatani mwawe toko caalemalenlyaa umpanka waarya hutumu awe. ¹⁴Ukiviriyaane cothene caweettelaka ratta ukuupuweleleke mi, wakihimye wooreera wa Farawoo nwo, wiira kikhume nkalaposo mu. ¹⁵Maana kiwiihiye utthuna nuuhitthuna, ukhuma ilapo yo maheperewu, ni ciicammo, uno khiiwo ipankilyaka yooreerela utthukeliya nkalaposo mu.

¹⁶Weewilyawe muulupale omayamikathe mataphuleleliyo omaana ale, ahomwiirela Yusufu: Ni mi ciicammo kihaana nttora aka: Wamuru waka cahaawo itthuttu tthaaru co mikathe cooteela. ¹⁷Itthuttu yooculu iyo cahaawo mikathe co khula nnanna ni cooviyola cikina caancivela Farawoo, nanso asaanuni yaanaawa ulya ntthuttuni yarinaaka wamuru iyo. ¹⁸Ni Yusufu aheera: Ala phi mataphuleleliyo aya: Itthuttu tthaaru nnyo, phi mahuku mararu. ¹⁹Nhina wo mahuku mararu, Farawoo nowowutthukacera ni wuuthomya mmwirini, ni asaanuni ammoolya irutthu aa.

²⁰Waphilyaya nihuku noneeraru, naari nihuku napiiherawe Farawoo myakha ceyarelo ni ahaalattula mayoonlaka othene ni waavaha yoolya. Wamiithoni waya athtu

ale ahaawusaca myuru nhooleli o mahutumu ni nhooleli o mayamikatthe. ²¹Ahonhokolosera nteko awe hutumu, mpaka wakhanlyawe tho yoole mayonvaha ikoomisi Farawoo. ²²Nanso, ahoruma wiiviya wootthukaceriya nhooleli o mayamikatthe toko Yusufu caahimenryawe muutaphulelani nttora. ²³Paahi, nhooleli o mahutumu ule khamuupuwenle tho Yusufu, mpaka ahonliyala.

Yusufu naataphulela ittora ca Farawoo

41 Wumaleloni wo myakha miili, Farawoo ahaana nttora awe. Ule anoweemela nceresere mooloko Niilu. ²Vano cahokhumaca mmoolokoni mmo imope saapa cooreera ni cooneneva, caalya nceresere mooloko. ³Wahoolo cahokhuma mmoolokoni mmo imope tho saapa, coonantaraca ni cowoottaca, carweele utakaneela ni cikhunanaya nnye nceresere mooloko. ⁴Vano imope coonantaraca nnyo ni cowoottaca nnyo cahokhura imope cooreeraca nnyo ni cooneneva nnyo. Vano Farawoo ahonwa. ⁵Ahohokoleela tho urupa ni aholoha tho nttora nikina. Miphapa saapa, cuulupale ni comaana, coocara ni cooreera, cahothapuruwa ntathi mmoca. ⁶Vano cahophuwela tho miphapa cikina saapa, cooyeevaca ni coowuuma mu ncasini mmo, caapahiye ni iphyoo yaakhuma wuuthakoni. ⁷Miphapa cooyeevaca nnyo cahomirya miphapa saapa coocara ni comaana nnyo. Vano Farawoo ahonwa, ni ahoona wiira aari nttora. ⁸Wicisuru, cinancanre cowuupuwela coonkukuryeeha, ahoruma wiihanaciya mayaahako ni mayoocuwelaca o Wiciipitu ni ahaattonkela mittora nnyo, nanso khaawo oonrye utaphulela.

⁹Vano nhooleli o mahutumu ahomwiirela Farawoo: Ilelo phinoopuwelaka

caaliyanlyaka. ¹⁰Ikwaha imoca Farawoo wahorusiya na arumeyi aa eeli ni waholamula otthukiya mi ni nhooleli omayamikatthe owannyawe nhooleli omayoorontta. ¹¹Uhiyu mmoca, khula ntthu wa hi, aholoha nttora ni khula nttora wahaana mataphuleleliyo aya.

¹²Wahoreera! Ahaawo ni hi mommo mmirawo mmoca Nheperewu, karumeya a nhooleli omayoorontta. Nahonttonkela cennye mittora cihu nnye ni ule ahotaphulela, anihimeryaka wo khula ntthu manaaya nttora awe. ¹³Ni cothene cahokhumelela toko canihimenryawe. Mi kihoturuseliya nteko aka ni nkina uyo heeviya wootthukeleliya.

¹⁴Farawoo ahoruma wiihaninya Yusufu eeraka: Awiihiye wowakuvyaa akhumihiyaka ukalapooso. Nametthileene irori nuuwara ikuwo cikina aheethoonyera wa Farawoo.

¹⁵Farawoo ahomwiirela Yusufu: Kahaana nttora nimoca ni khaawo noorya utaphulela. Nanso kiheewa wiira we, weewaka nttora unawoorya utaphulela. ¹⁶Yusufu ahomwaakhula: Iyo khinkhuma ni mi, nanso Nluku nawuvahani nyu ntaphulelo no nnema.

¹⁷Vano Farawoo ahonttonkela nttora ule Yusufu: Kiholoha kineemenle nceresere mooloko Niilu. ¹⁸Cahokhuma mmoolokoni mmo imope saapa cooreera ni cooneneva, caalya ni mooloko uyo. ¹⁹Wahoolo cahokhuma cikina tho saapa coonanara ni cowootta. Akinoona imope coonanara mwiilaponi mothene. ²⁰Imope coonanara ni cowootta nnyo cahokhura imope saapa cooneneva nnyo cakhumelenle woopacera nnyo. ²¹Hata cinakhuunreene, khacacuwannyaa wiira ciholya canvira cikhalaka yooyo nkhalalo uyo. Vano kahonwa. ²²Wahoolo kaholoha tho nttora nkina. Kahoona miphapa saapa, coocara ni cooreera, cathapuruwa

ntathi mmoca. ²³Vano cahophuwela tho saapa coonyaala ni cooyevaca, cowumihinya ni iphyoo yooviha yakhuma muuthakoni. ²⁴Miphapa cooyevaca nnyo cahomirya miphapa saapa comaana nnyo. Kihattonkela iyo acuweli, nanso khaawo oonrye utaphulela.

²⁵Farawoo, mwarina nttora mmoca, eera phi Yusufu. Nluku hoochimeryani Farawoo, itthu imphavelawe upanka. ²⁶Imope saapa cooreera nnyo, ciri myakha saapa ni miphapa saapa comaana nnyo, ciicammo ciri myakha saapa, va uri nttora mmocaruru. ²⁷Imope saapa cowootta ni coonanara nnyo cakhumelenle uttuli waya cikina nnyo, ni miphapa saapa cohicara ni coomihye ni iphyoo yooviha yakhuma muthakoni, ciri myakha saapa. Cinhala ukhala myakha saapa cotala. ²⁸Phi ciicammo toko cuuhimenryaka Farawoo, Nluku hoothoonyera itthu inhalawe upanka. ²⁹Myaakha saapa cooruweriya cihanle vakani uwa ilapo yo Wiciipitu. ³⁰Wahoolo cimmowa myakha saapa cotala. Vano ukati wothene wooruweriya ummooliyaliya, kontha itala eyo immohasara ilapo yothene. ³¹Itala inhala uwa immokhala yootepa, woovikana ukati waruweriye khunhala wuupweleliya tho mwiilaponi. ³²Nttora uhowela imaara piili Farawoo, kontha itthu ila iholakeliya ni Nluku ni immwa yakuvyaka. ³³We Farawoo umphavele nlopwana oocuwelaca ni unhele ulamulela ilapo yo Wiciipitu. ³⁴Farawoo waahela atthu oowehaweha, anhala utotokaniha mphantte wonethanu wo coolya co Wiciipitu nhina wo myakha saapa cooruweriya nnyo. ³⁵Ayo anlamuliya utotokaniha yoolya yootosa inhalaya wooryaniha ukati wooruweriya uyo, nuusunka itiriku, ni we Farawoo unlamuliya uwehaweheka ni usunkiha mmakhupini

ummasittatti. ³⁶Yeeyo yoolya iyo inhala usunkiya eyo, phinhala ulaminya myakha cotala cinhala uwa mWiciipitu mu, wiira ilapo ihahasaryee ni itala.

Yusufu mwaakhula a Farawoo.

³⁷Ala moopuwelo ala yahoncivela Farawoo na anamiruku awe othene. ³⁸Phimaana Farawoo ahaakoha: Nanso ninaahala umphwanya nthu toko ula ookhalana Nnepa wa Nluku? ³⁹Farawoo ahomwiirela Yusufu: Toko ciinryawe wowuthonyera Nluku citthu nnya cothene, khaawo nthu annkhili nuucuwelaca toko we. ⁴⁰We thi we unhala ulamulela inupa aka, ni uneethi aka wothene unhala wiiwelela nlamulo naa, nanso wahiceni, thi mi mulupale wowuupwaha we. ⁴¹Ni Farawoo ahopwaherera: Kinawuuvaha nenna vaa ulamulela ilapo yo Wiciipitu yothene. ⁴²Wahoolo, Farawoo ahonrula nnikokhoni nneela antthittelawe nuummwariha Yusufu nnikokhoni mwawe. Aholamula uwarihiya ihaancu yoovevyaala, ni ahommwariha nkuhu wowooru nsiko. ⁴³Ni ahommweliha ikaaro awe yonayeeli yo omwene ni uhoolo wawe yahaawo anamakhuwela yeera: Nhule iphiro. Yusufu heesiya ulamulela ilapo yothene yo Wiciipitu. ⁴⁴Farawoo ahomwiirela tho Yusufu: Mi Farawoo, nanso wohinuulumo naa, khaawo nolamuliya upanka itthu phi itthu mWiciipitu mothene. ⁴⁵Farawoo ahommaha Yusufu ncina na Safenate-Paneya ni ahommaha nthiyana wiira akhale mwaarawe, Asenate, mwana a Potifera, nhooleli osataka yo Oni. Wahoolo Yusufu ahorwaa wonoona ilapo yothene yo Wiciipitu. ⁴⁶Yusufu aarina myakha talathini ceyarelo wapacenryawe unvarela nteko Farawoo, mwene o Wiciipitu. Uyo ahonhiya Farawoo ni ahorwaa woonoona ilapo yothene yo Wiciipitu.

⁴⁷Ukati wo myakha saapa cooruweriya, ilapo yothene yahaana yoolya yinci. ⁴⁸Yusufu ahototokaniha yoolya yalikeleliye usunkiya, yo myakha saapa cooruweriya Wiciipitu ni ahosunka mmakhupini ummaparasa khula iparasa ahototokaniha itiriku yo mmattani. ⁴⁹Commo, Yusufu ahosunka itiriku yinci, toko nhaava wompharyaa. Uyo ahohiya waalikela yoolya iyo kontha khaawo tho oorya uphima mwanlattu wowinciva.

⁵⁰Cihinaya uphiya myakha cotala, Asenate, mwana a Potifera, nhooleli osataka yo Oni, ahonnyarana Yusufu asaana eeli. ⁵¹Oopacera uyo, Yusufu ahommaha ncina na Manasesi, eeraka: Nluku hokiliyalihah mahuviho aka othene ni inupa yothene ya apaapa. ⁵²Mwana onayeeli ahommaha ncina no Farayimi, eeraka: Nluku hokipanka ocayra ilapo yahuvaka.

⁵³Commo, cahophiya ummaleloni myakha cooruweriya Wiciipitu, ⁵⁴ni cahopacera myakha saapa cotala, toko Yusufu wahoolelihenryawe uhimya. Yahaawo itala ilapo cothene, nanso ilapo yo Wiciipitu yahaawo yoolya. ⁵⁵Wancenryaya uvola itala ilapo yothene yo Wiciipitu, uneethi wahanca unlepela Farawoo yoolya. Uyo ahaakhula atthu o Wiciipitu, eeraka: Nrwee wa Yusufu ni mpanke inhalaawe wuuhimeryani. ⁵⁶Wamwaryenlyaya itala ilapo cothene, Yusufu aholamula uhuliya makhupi ni ahopacera utumiha itiriku, aatumihheraka atthu o Wiciipitu, maana itala yahotepa. ⁵⁷Ni atthu ookhuma ilapo cothene, yammwa Wiciipitu wiira yathume itiriku wa Yusufu, kontha itala yaanvira itepaka ilapo cothene.

Asunnawe Yusufu anarwaa Wiciipitu

42 Yakopi Wacuwenlyawe wiira ihawo itiriku Wiciipitu, aheerela

asaanawe: Isiyani umakelaka uwehanaca paahi? ²Aheera tho: Kiheewa yiiriyaka ihaawo itiriku Wiciipitu. Nrwee wonwo mwanithumele itiriku wiira nipwaherere ukumi ni nihikhwe itala. ³Toko coo, asunnawe khumi a Yusufu yahorwaaca Wiciipitu uthuma itiriku. ⁴Yakopi khandthunihile Pencamii, nhimaawe Yusufu, wiira aathukane ikwaha, kontha aanawoova unkhumelela itthu yoonanara. ⁵Asaana a Isirayeli yaari na atthu akina yarwaca uthuma itiriku, nlattu wotala yavonnle uKanaa.

⁶Yusufu aari nlamuli olapo yo Wiciipitu ni yooyo phaatumihhera itiriku atthu othene. Phimaana uphiya waya asunnawe Yusufu yahomuramela mpaka uphiya vathi. ⁷Woono wawe, Yusufu ahaacuwelela asunnawe, nanso aakhanle toko khaacuwenle ni ahoopopiha eeraka: Nyu nnokhumakhuma vayi? Yahaakhulaca: Ninkhuma ilapo yo Kanaa naawile uthuma yoolya. ⁸Yusufu ahaacuwelela asunnawe, nanso ayo khayancuwelacile. ⁹Vano ahoopuwela ittoro calohilyawe nari na asunnawe ni aheerela: Nyu nri mayoohottela! Mwawile uhottelaca ilapo ehu ila wiira ncuwele nipuro nookhwyyaa. ¹⁰Ale yahaakhulaca: Mena, nkunya. Asaanenyu yawile uthuma yoolya. ¹¹Hi othene, athumwanihu ari amoca. Asaanaa ari atthu omaana, khaanakhala oohottela. ¹²Nanso Yusufu ahaakhanyereriha eeraka: Mena! Nyu mwile uhottela wiira moonenele nipuro nookhwyyaa ilapo ehu ila. ¹³Ni ale yaheeraca: Asaanaa yaari khumi neeli, othene athumwanaya ari amoca ilapo yo Kanaa. Itthyaako eyo ihanle uwaani na athumwanaya ni nkina uyo hokhwa. ¹⁴Yusufu ahaakulela eeraka: Phi vaava kihimilyaaka va. Nyu nri mayoohottela. ¹⁵Nyu nnaahala ulawihya. Kinalupela mwancina na Farawoo, nyu mu

khannokhuma, mwahimmwaneke uno mwanhimenyu eetthyako uyo. ¹⁶Munrume mmoca anrweele mwanhimenyu uyo vano akina vaa nthothukiya. Commo phinhaleehu ucuwela wiira cinhimyenyu nnyo ciri citthu ceekhweeli atthuna cowoothiya. Cahikhaleke ceekhweeli, kinalupela mwancina na Farawoo wiira wanaahala ucuwanyaa wiira nyu khweeli nri atthu oohottela! ¹⁷Ni ahaatthukela nkalapooso mahuku mararu.

¹⁸Nihuku noneeraru Yusufu aheerelaca: Mi kinamoova Nluku. Mwapheela woopwaa, mpanke coo: ¹⁹Mwakhala wiira nyu atthu omaana, munhiye munniinyu mmoca nkalapooso mu. Vano akina vaa nturowaceke nuukusaka itiriku wiira mwalye uwaani. ²⁰Nkiwiihere vaa nhimeenyu eetthyako uyo wiira acuwannyee moolumo enyu yakhala wiira eekhweeli ni nyu phinhaleenyu uhikhwa. ²¹Ayo yahoththuna upanka yahiminye eyo ni yaheerelana: Khweeli va ninattarusiya mwanlattu weetthu impankileehu nhimeehu uyo. Naammoonaka caacukula awe, ni waanisonttelelawe vaa, wiira ninhiye nkumi, nanso khanaanthunenle. Phimaana uniphwanyaka uno utapana uno. ²²Ruupeni ahaakhula: Akoohimenryeni wiira nhinhuvihe mmirawo uyo, nanso nyu khamwatthunne ukiiwa! Vano ninlamuliya waakhulela iphome awe eyo. ²³Nanso ale khayaacuwela wiira Yusufu naweewa, kontha oolumana ni ntthu aataphulela ni nuulumo naya. ²⁴Vaavale Yusufu ahothama ni wunla. Vano ahohokoleela tho ni ahoolumaca wiira atthukiye Simeyoni, othene amoonacaka.

Asunnawe Yusufu anaturuwa uKanaa

²⁵Wahoolo Yusufu aholamula wiira icarihiye itiriku mmirupani mwaya mmo

ni ituruseliye ipheeta yo khula ntthu munrupani mwawe, ni avahiye iphika coovira alyaaka. Ni commo wahopankiya. ²⁶Ale yahopakhira mirintti caya co tiriku mwa apuuru aya nuukhumaca. ²⁷Nipuro naamakilyaya nlattu wo wiileliya, mmoca uyo ahotthukula nrupa awe wiira ankumihe nankanka oonliha puuru awe, ni ahoona ipheeta umalakuni wonrupa awe. ²⁸Ni aheerela asunnawe: Kihoturuseliya ipheeta aka eyo. Ila mu munrupani mwaka mu. Yoovaka wanrimani waya ni attettemelaka yaheerelana: Isiyani ila Nluku ini-pankilyawe ela?

²⁹Waaphilyaya wathumwanaya, ilapo yo Kanaa, yahohimyaca cothene caakhumelenle, yiraka: ³⁰Nlopwana mwaneene ilapo eyo honuulumacera ni honihela ukhala hi atthu oohottela. ³¹Nanso hi nihonroromeliha wiira khanihiwena atthu oohottela niri atthu eekhweeli. ³²Niheera tho wiira naari asaana khuumi neeli athumwanihu ari amoca ni mwana mmoca uyo hokhwa, ni eethyako uyo ri na athumwanihu uKanaa. ³³Vano nlopwana mwaneene ilapo eyo honiirela: Nrwee noone mwakhala atthu eekhweeli: Nhimeenyu mmoca nolamuliya uhala vaava ni mi. Akina ayo aturuweke ni akuseke yoolya yalyeke uwaani na akhwaya. ³⁴Nanso mwakiwiihere nhimenyu eetthyako uyo phinhalaaka ukupali mi wiira nyu atthu omaana ni khannakhala mayoohottela. Vano phinhalaka wuhokoloserani munninyu uyo ni wutthuniherani upanka marontta ila ilapo ela. ³⁵Weetthiyaaya mirintti nnyo, wo khula nrintti wahophwanyinya nhukho woocara ipheeta. Yakopi na asaanawe woonnyaya mihukho nnye, yahoovaca. ³⁶Ni Yakopi aheerelaca: Nyu nnakimalihera asaanaka ayo! Kihanle wohi Yusufu, nnavaa kiri wohi Simeyoni, ninlelo nna

nnopheela unkusa Pencamii? Cothene cinkikhuma mi! ³⁷Vano Rupeni aheerela athumwane: Kahinturuwaneke Pencamii uyo, mweevakace asaanaka oyeeli khaweetthu. Nkihiyere Pencamii uyo, thi mi kinhala unwacawaca. ³⁸Nanso athumwane yahaakhula: Mwanaka uyo khannonkusa. Munnawe hokhwa. Uyo nna phihanle. Itthu phi itthu yoonanara inhala unkhumelela eyo munkwahani mmo, vano phinhalenyu uvitha ipwi caka nnyo mmahiye kinari ni icuku.

Asunnawe Yusufu anaturuwela tho Wiciipitu

43 Itala yaanatepa mwiilaponi mmo. ²Vano wamanlyaya itiriku yothene yawiihilyaya asaana a Yakopi akhumanaka Wiciipitu, athumwanaya yaheerelaca: Nhokoleelace ni mwathume tho yoolya. ³Nanso Yutta aheerela: Nlopwana uyo ahonileehera venci eeraka: Nnihokoleelace waryaaka wohimmwiiha nhimenyu uyo. ⁴Mwanivahaka nhimehu uyo ninrwaanaka, ninaarwa, ninkoothuma ni wuthumelani yoolya. ⁵Nanso mwahinivaheke ninrwanaka, khaninrwaa, kontha nlopwana uyo hoolumacile coo: Nnihokoleelace waryaka kahiki mwammwiihaka nhimenyu uyo.

⁶Isirayeli ahokoha: Nkipankenleni yoonanara toko ila, munhimeryaka nlopwana uyo wiira nhaanaca nhimenyu nkina? ⁷Ni ale yahomwaakhulaca: Uyo honikohakoha hi na amucihu. Ni honikoha tho eeraka: Athumwaninyu nanlelo ahaawo akumi? Nyu nhaana nhimenyu nkina? Hi nimwaakhunle paahi itthu yanikohawe. Nahala ucuwela cani wiira nohala uiiirela mummwiihe nhimenyu.

⁸Vano Yutta ahomwiirela Isirayeli athumwane: Munhiye mmirawo uyo

kinrwaane, ninarwaca, wiira nyu ni hi na asaanehu nikhale akumi ni nihikhwe. ⁹Ni kinawiilupelela veekhaka unvarelela uyo. Nkiheleke mi ukhala mayonvarelela mwana uyo. Kahinturuwaneke mpaka wuthonyerani wamiithoni winyu, phi mi cinhala ukikhalela ikhirini nnyo wamiithoni winyu ukati wothene. ¹⁰Toko cinooneyu, yiiriyaka khanapicile cono ninarwele ni ninaturuwile imaara piili.

¹¹Vano Isirayeli, athumwane Yutta, yahomwiirela: Wakhala wiira phinhalaya wiirannyaa, haya wakhale ciicammo. Nhele munrupani mwinyu mmo coolya comaana co mwiilaponi mwihu mu ni munkusere yooyo nlopwana uyo; makhura onrette vakani, urawo vakani, citthu coonukhela cikina ni miira, cowiima ni amentowa: ¹²Nkuse ipheeta yoopitaaninhina, imaara piili piili ni nhokolose ipheeta yaheliye munrupani mwinyu waturuwenyu wa malakuni wo nrupa enyu. Kahiki itthu iyo ikhumelenle nlattu woovonyaninhina. ¹³Munkuseke nhimenyu uyo ni nhokoleele wa nlopwana uyo. ¹⁴Nluku Okuru-Cothene awooneleni ikiriri iriyari ya nlopwana uyo wiira ootthunihereni onturuwana nhimeenyu Pencamii ni nhimeenyu nkina uyo. Mi, kakhalaka woohasaana, kinakhalaka.

¹⁵Vano asilopwana ale yahorwaa ni yahokhuruwela Wiciipitu anakusileene coovaha, ipheeta yoopitaaninhina piili piili ni Pencamii, ni yahorwaa wa Yusufu. ¹⁶Yusufu, wamoonnyawe Pencamii na asunnawe, ahomwiirela nhooleli owapuwani wawe: Waakuse alopwana ala owaanyaka, wamwiive mwanama ni onlokihace, kontha ayo yoolya yoothana anhala ulya ni mi. ¹⁷Ni ule ahopanka yahimeriyawe ni ahaakusaca mpaka inupa ya Yusufu. ¹⁸Ayo yahooovaca wakusiyaya

arwaaninyaka owaanyawe Yusufu ni yahopuwela yiiraka: Niwiiheriye va nlatu wopheeta ihokoloseriye munrinttini mwihu ikwaha yoopacera: Uyo nophavela onittarusa, onihuviha, onipanka ipottha nuukusa inama cihu nnyo. ¹⁹Phimaana, yahorwaa wa nhooleli onupa ya Yusufu ni yahomwiirela wakelaya wankhora. ²⁰Uviriyane, yoowe nkunya! Ikwaha yoopacera yawilehu va khweeli nawile othuma yoolya. ²¹Nanso nipuro neemenlehu wiira nimake, nahoththukula mirintti cihu ni utthukula woono khula ntthu wakhalacenrehu ahophwanya ipheeta yawiihilyawe uwaani yoolikaneene. Phimaana nihohokolosa, ²²nuwiiha ipheeta ikina wiira nithume yoolya. Khanincuwente ntthu nihelenle ipheeta mmirinttini mwihu mmo. ²³Vano nhooleli ule aheera: Nkhalane nnema. Nluku inyu, phi Nluku a athumwaninyu, phuvahileni nhakhu munrinttini mwinyu mmo, kontha ipheeta enyu kahaakhela. Vano ahontthukula Simiyoni nunrweha waryaya asunnawe. ²⁴Wahoolo, ahaarwana inupa ya Yusufu, ni ahaavaha maasi, uwiwululacera inyaa ni inama caya nnyo ahovaha yoolya. ²⁵Vano ayo yahototokaniha coovaha caya cahalaya unvaha Yusufu uthana, kontha yahocuwela wiira phahalaya unlyana.

²⁶Waphilyawe Yusufu yahonvaha cammwiihenryaya ni yahonlapela yooromaka mpaka vathi. ²⁷Vano uyo ahaakohaca isalaama ni aheerela tho: Ari eehalini athumwaninyu, nlopwana oowuluvala kihimenryenyu uyo? Nanlelo haawo nkumi? ²⁸Ayo yahaakhulaca: Nrumeyaa, athumwanihu, nanlelo akumi, ahaawo salaama, ni othene yahonlapela.

²⁹Awehaka nceresere ni amoonaka nhimaawe Pencamii, mwana

aanumwane, Yusufu ahokoha: Ula phi yooyo nhimenyu etthyako kihimenryenyu uyo? Ni ahopwaherera tho eeraka: Nluku oovahe nnema, mwanaka, ³⁰nlatu wootteeliya woomoona nhimaawe, Yusufu ahokhuma akuvyacaka wiira aphavele nipuro nowunla, ni akelaka mpaani, ahoonla. ³¹Wakhucilyawe, ahokhuma ni eewehawehaka, aheera: Aliyeke yoolya eyo. ³²Ahomeeliya yoolya veekhawe Yusufu, woohatakanelana asunnawe ale, ni annaciipitu yalyanawe na ayo yahomeeliya veekha, kontha annaciipitu khayaalamuliya walyana annaperewu. Uyo waari mwiikho aya. ³³Asunnawe yaheesiya wameca, attharanihiyaka mookomelo ayo, maciso eeyareelo, ukhuma omuulupale mpaka omwankani ni yammwehanaca atikhinacaka. ³⁴Vano yahomeeliya yoolya ya Yusufu wa meeca. Ni mencivelo o yoolya ya Pencamii yari yoopwaha imaara thanu menciviheriyo o yoolya ya asunnawe, ni yahoolyaca venci nuuwurya catthunaya.

Yusufu nawalawiha asunnawe

44 Yusufu ahonvaha nhooleli owapuwani wawe, nna nlamulo nna: Ncarihe mmirinttini mwaya ala atthu ala yoolya yo khula nkwaratati mpaka cinhalaya woorya ukusa ni nhele ipheeta iwannyawe khula ntthu omalakuni womirinttini cawe. ²Wahoolo nhele ikoomisi aka, yopheeta, munrinttini mwa mwana eetthyako uyo, ni wamoca ni ipheeta inthumenlyawe tiriku. Ni uyo ahopanka cothene toko cahimeriyawe ni Yusufu. ³Wasilyaya, yaholehaca atthu ale ni inama caya. ⁴Yaari ahinayaca upwaha iparasa eyo, phu ukati Yusufu wamwiirenyawe nhooleli owapuwani wawe: Wunwe ni watthimakele atthu ale ni waaphwanyaka weerele:

Nnakakhanisherani itthu yooreera ni yoonanara. ⁵Khinakhala ila ikoomisi immureryawe nkunya aka ni immwaserera awe ihako? Nyu nhopanka yoonanara.

⁶Waaphwanyilyawe ahaakuleliha ala moolumo ala. ⁷Nanso ayo yahomwi-irelaca: Nlattuni nkunya wuulumacaca commo? Uttayi ni yeeyo itthu iyo mpankaca arumeyaa. ⁸Wooneke nsurukhu ula, uphwanyileehu umalakuni wo mirupa cihu, nihooturuselani nikhumaka ilapo yo uKanaa, naahala winnyacerani inupa ya nkunyaa ipheeta ni iwooru. ⁹Akhalaka wiira mmoca wa arumeyi aa naphwanyaninya, eeviyee, ni hi akina va ninakhala ipottha ca nkunya ehu.

¹⁰Uyo aheera: Kihokupali. Yooyo nohala uphwanyaninya uyo, phinhala ukhala ipottha aka, akina ayo anawoopwaa. ¹¹Khula ntthu ahokurusa mirintti cawe wowakuvyaa ni wanca utaphula. ¹²Nhooledi uyo ahanca uphavelaca wo khula nrintti, apaceraka wa muulupale mpaka umalihera wa mwana eethyako uyo. Ni ikoomisi iyo yahophwanyinya munnrinttini wa Pencamii. ¹³Wakhumelenlyaya commo, ayo yahaahulaca coowara caya. Wahoolo, othene yahopakhiraca mirintti caya nuuturuwela arwaaka uparasa.

¹⁴Yutta na asunnawe waphiyacilyaya inupa ya Yusufu, ni ule ari wonwo. Vano ale yahomomaca wamiithoni waawe ula, mpaka uphiya vathi. ¹⁵Yusufu ahaakohaca: Ikipankacilenyu iyo isiyani? Nyu khannocuwelaca wiira ntthu toko mi kinawoorya uwasera ihako?

¹⁶Vano Yutta aheera: Nindhala uwaakhulani nkunya? Nindhala uhimyani? Nindhala upanka cani mwaavi wiira niphwanye isariya? Nluku hokumihera wonene unyali ihu.

Nkunya hi nna va ipottha caa. Wamoca ni uyo phwanyaninye ikoomisi iyo.

¹⁷Vano aheera Yusufu: Akimpanka mi commo. Yooyo ntthu mphwanyaninye ikoomisi iyo phinhala ukhala ipottha aka. Wiireke nyu akina vaa, ntuuweleke ni nnema waathumwaninyu.

¹⁸Vano Yutta ahonciserera yoole, ni aheera: Sontte nkunya ukhihiye, kinawulepela, kihaana nuulumo noophela wuulumaca wamiithoni waa, nkunnya aka, ni nhikiviruwele, kontha nyu nri toko Farawoo. ¹⁹Nkunya aka uhaakoha arumeyi aa wiiraka: Nhaanaca athumwaninyu atthuna nhimenyu? ²⁰Hi nihohimiyacera nkunya niiraka: Nihaana athumwanihu owuuluvala ni mmirawo mmoca nnyanryaya anooluvanle, nhimehu. Ahaawo munnaawe yooyo ooyaraninya nrukulu nimoca hookhwa. Anumwane ayo anhalanne yooyo, ni athumwane ananfenta venci. ²¹Vano we nkunya uhonireela: Nkiwiihere komoone mmiithoni mwaka. ²²Ni hi nihowiirela: Nkunya, mmirawo uyo khandhala waahiya athumwane, kontha arimelaru uyo apapeehu anaakhwa. ²³Vano nyu nheerela karumeya enyu: Mwahinmwanaceke mwanhimenyu uyo, khannohala woonaca ikhove aka. ²⁴Weeraka coo: Hi karumeya aa, nihorwaa waathumwanihu nihattonkela moolumo yoolumacilyaa nkunya.

²⁵Athumwanihu wanirenlyaya tho wiira ntuuwele mwathume yoolya. ²⁶Hi niheerela: Khanintthuna urwaa nwo veekhehu. Nindhala uturuwela tho nwo mwanhimehu eethyako uyo nanrwaanaka, kontha khandhala namoonaka nkunya uyo ikhove awe mwanhimehu ahirweke ni hi. ²⁷Vano honirela karumeya aa, athumwanihu, coo: Nyu nhocuwelaca wiira amwaaraka yayanre asaana eeli. ²⁸Mmoco uyo heetta ni mi

kiinre, khweeli yooyo hokhuriya, ni akimmoona tho mpaka nna. ²⁹Vano mwankusaka ula waamiithoni waka, ni imwiirannyaka itthu phi itthu iyo, nnaahala uvitha irutthu aka mmahiye ni icuku.

³⁰Nna va mi karwaka waathumwanihu, karumeya aa, woohinrwana mmirawo uyo, athumwanihu cinryaaya wonvarecesa. ³¹Anaahala ukhwa ucukula yakela yanoonaka uturuwa veecha wohi mmirawo ula. Ni hi ninaahala wavitha apaapehu ayo ni masukuli.

³²Phimaana mi kiceemesaka wamiithoni waa unsunka mmirawo uyo ni kiheerela: Aahituruwele tho uno ikikhalele mi ikhirini iyo mahuku othene.

³³Vano nna mi kikhale ipottha ya nkunya aka nipuro nahalawe ukhala mmirawo uyo. Vano uyo arweeke uwaani na asunnawe ayo. ³⁴Kinkohimya isiyani mi karwaka waathumwane wohinkusa mmirawo uyo? Akinthuna woona mi yoonanara inhala wakhuma apaapa ayo.

Yusufu nawiicuweliha na asunnawe

45 Yooyo ukati uyo Yusufu anaawoolwana wiivithavitha nwo wamiithoni wa athu othene, phimaana ahokhuwa eeraka: Mwakumihe ananrumeya ayo othene va. Co khaawo ahanle nenno nipuro nno, ukati ule Yusufu weecuwanehilyawe na asunnawe.

²Vaavale ule ahanca wunla venci mpaka Annaciipitu wiiwa ni ihapari iyo yahophiya waFarawoo.

³Vano aheerela Yusufu asunnawe ale: Mi Yusufu. Apaapa nannelo ahaawo akumi? Nanso asunnawe ale yahosankaca venci, mpaka woolwana umwaakhula. ⁴Ni aheerelaca Yusufu asunnawe ale: Nciseraace woono.

Umwattameryaca waya, aheerelaca: Mi nhimeenyu Yusufu, yoole nyu munthumihileenyu arwaninyaka Wiciipitu. ⁵Vano va nhicukulace ni nhiiriyeelele mwanlattu nyu wookithumiha kiwaaninyaka uno, kontha Nluku aacenre wiira woopwe ukumi wattu enci, phimaana akiholihaka uno. ⁶Nna nhina woomyakha miili niri nhina ntalani ilapo yothene, ni cinaahala myakha mithanu khacinhalala waaliya ni hata wuruliya. ⁷Nanso Nluku hokihooliha uno wiira kikhale ipyo yoomuci mwiilaponi mu ni kiwoopoleni ni wuukhicerani venci. ⁸Khannakhala thi nyu nkiwanne uno, nanso Nluku, ni hokipanka ukhala namanantthu a Farawoo ni nlamuli o uhano ni nlamuli o Wiciipitu wothene.

⁹Nturuwele wowakuvyaa waapaapa ni mwaahimerye: Nohimya co mwaninyu Yusufu: Nluku mi hokipanka mwaneene ilapo yothene yo Wiciipitu. Mmwe woono, woohipica. ¹⁰Nyu nnowokhala nttetthe wo Koseni, vakhiviru ni mi. Ukhuma nyu, asaanenyu ayo, ucuulu inyu uyo, ikhontwaa cinyu nnyo, imope cinyu nnyo ni ikaruma cinyu nnyo cothene mmwane. ¹¹Mi kinnowulihani kontha cinaahala tho va myakha mithano cotala. Mwahitthuneke nyu na amucinyu othene ni mihuwo cinyu cothene nnahala uhuvu. ¹²Cothene nnawoona ni miitho enyu, ni nhimaka Pencamii phi saahiti. Nawoona wiira khweeli thi mi kinoolumaca nnya citthu nnya. ¹³Mwahimerye apaapa waneerihiyaka woolemelihiya mi Wiciipitu ni citthu cothene cinoonenyu. Ni mwaawihe apaapa woono wowaakuvyaa. ¹⁴Vano ule ahonkapatta Pencamii nhimaawe oonlaka uno, ni Pencamii ciicammo ahonvara mmakhatani mmo ni uyo oonlaka uno. ¹⁵Wahoolo ahaavaha alaahuma

asunnawe ni othene yphoonlaca. Waculuru asunnawe ayo phoonryaya umuulumana.

¹⁶Vano weewiyaya uhano wiira asunnawe Yusufu ahowaca, Farawoo ni mahumu awe othene yahotteeliya.

¹⁷Vano Farawoo ahomwiirela Yusufu: Waahimerye asunnaayo yapakhirihe mirintti nnyo asinama ayo, aturuwele ilapo yo Kanaa. ¹⁸Ni yaturuwele woono, yaawihe athumwana na alokwaa othene. Mi kinnowavaha itthaya yomaana mWiciipitu mu ni nyu nnaahala ulawa nhakhu weelapo ila. ¹⁹Waarume yakuse ampakhira o Wiciipitu wiira yaawiihe asaaraya, asaanaya na athumwaninyu. ²⁰Cihukukureheni citthu cinyu, kontha mapuro ooreera o Wiciipitu anhala ukhala awinyu.

²¹Commo yahopanka asaana a Isirayeli. Yusufu ahaavaha asunnawe ampakhira ni iphika toko Farawoo calamunlyawe. ²²Wo khula ntthu ahonvaha nrintti wokuwo conaanano, nanso ni Pencamii ahomvaha makoopiri opheeta iminya ttharu ni mirintti mithanu cokuwo conaanano. ²³Athumwane ahaavelelihera inama coopakhira khumi, cinapakhinre citthu cootepa ooreera co Wiciipitu, ni inama khumi coopakhira cinakusile itiriku, mikatthe ni iphika cikina co munkwahani.

²⁴Wahoolo aholeehana na asunnawe, ni wakhumaya aheerelaca: Nhinyakulihane ni iphiro! ²⁵Yahohokolya Wiciipitu aturuwelaka wathumwanaya aneehaninya Yakoopi ilapo yo Kanaa, ²⁶ni yahottonkaca ihapari yiiraka: Yusufu ninlelo haawo nkumi! Khweeli yooyo phi nlamuli olapo yothene yo Wiciipitu. Vaavale nrima wa Yakopi wahomwattakyya ni ahovittikhuwa. Ni khaalamuliya waakupali asaanawe ayo. ²⁷Nanso wahimeriyawe cothene cale-

henryawe Yusufu, ni Yakopi oonaka ampakhira yavelelihilyawe Yusufu wiira arweliye, nnepa awe wahokhala mmapuroni. ²⁸Isirayeli aheera: Paahi! Mwanaka Yusufu ninlelo haawo nkumi. Kinkomoono kihinakhwa.

Yakopi arwaka Wiciipitu

46 Isirayeli ahokhuma ni citthu cothene carinawe. Uphiya wawe uPeresepa, ahovaha citthu anlapelaka Nluku a Isaki, athumwane. ²Ni Nluku ahomuulumana Isirayeli uhiyu nnyoonini eeraka: Yakopi, Yakopi! Uyo ahaakhula eeraka: Kiri va. ³Nluku aheera: Mi kiri Nluku, Nluku a athumwana. Uhoove urwaa Wiciipitu, kontha wonwo kinkowupanka nloko nuulupale. ⁴Mi kinaahala urwaa Wiciipitu wamoca ni we, ni khweeli kinaahala wuuhokolosa. Ni ntata na Yusufu ninaahala uputthaputtha miitho aa. ⁵Vaavale Yakopi ahokhuma uPeresepa. Asaana a Isirayeli yahaakusaca athumwanaya, asaanaya ni asaaraya mwampakhira yakumihilyawe Farawoo. ⁶Ciicammo yakokusa inama caya ni mihakhu cothene caphwannyilyaya uKanaa. Commo Yakopi ahorwaa Wiciipitu ni ucuulu awe wothene. ⁷Ahaakusa Wiciipitu asaanawe, ucuulu awe, asaanawe asithiyana na asiculawe asithiyana, manaaya wiira, nloko nawe nothene.

⁸Ala phi macina a atthu o nloko na Yakopi yarwele Wiciipitu: Rupeni, ntthaara na Yakopi. ⁹Ala phaari asana a Rupeni: Enoki, Palu, Esirooni ni Karimu. ¹⁰Ala pha asaana a Simeyoni: Yemuweli, Yamini, Owati, Yakimi, Sowari ni Sawulu, mwana a nthiyana nKanaa. ¹¹Ala phaari asaana a Levi: Kerisoni, Kowate ni Merari. ¹²Ala phaari asaana a Yutta: Eri, Onani, Selaa, Peresi ni Seraa. Eri ni Onani yakhwile ilapo

yo Kanaa. Ala phaari asaana a Peresi: Esiromi ni Hamuli. ¹³Ala phaari asaana a Isakaari: Tolaa, Puwaa, Yaasupe ni Sinromi. ¹⁴Ala phaari asaana a Sepuloni: Serete, Eloni ni Yaleeli. ¹⁵Ala phaari asaana yayanryawe Leya ni Yakopi uPatani-Aramu, unhiya mwanawe Tina. Ucuulu awe wothene waari talathini na araru (33). ¹⁶Ala phaari asaana a Kaate: Sefomi, Haaci, Suuni, Esipomi, Eri, Aroti ni Areli. ¹⁷Ala phaari asaana a Aseri: Imina, Isivaa, Isivii ni Periyasi, ni mwanrokoraya Sera. Ala phaari asaana a Periya: Heperi ni Malekiyeli. ¹⁸Ala pha asaana khuumi na siita yayanryawe Yakopi ni Siilipa, ipottha ya Lapanu, anvahaka mwanawe Leeya. ¹⁹Ala phaari asaana a Rakeli, amwaara a Yakopi: Yusufu ni Pencamii. ²⁰Asenate, mwana a Potifera, nhooleli osatata yo Oni, ahommaha asaana eeli Yusufu Wiciipitu: Manasesi ni Farayimi. ²¹Ala phaari asaana a Pencamii: Pelaa, Peki, Asipeli, Sera, Namani, Eyi, Rosi, Mupimi, Hupimi ni Aarite. ²²Ala phaari asaana a Rakeli ayanryawe ni Yakopi othene yaari khumi na cese. ²³Mwana a Tani aari Husimi. ²⁴Ala phaari asaana a Nafitali: Yaseeli, Kuni, Yeseri ni Silemi. ²⁵Ala phaari athu saapa onrukulu na Piila, ipottha ya Lapanu aamahilyawe mwanawe Rakeli, ayanryawe ni Yakopi ahomwihana Yakopi. ²⁶Othene yarwele Wiciipitu ni Yakopi, ucuulu awe wothene woohalikelela asaara asaanawe, yaari sitiini na siita atthwene. ²⁷Woncerera asaana eeli a Yusufu yayanryawe Wiciipitu, nloko na Yakopi naarwele Wiciipitu nahophiya Sapiini (70).

²⁸Vano, Yakopi ahonhooliha Yutta wa Yusufu, wiira acuwele maphiyero o Koseni. Uphiya waya nwo, ²⁹Yusufu, na ampakhira awe oolikana, ahorwaa uKoseni wiira aakumanane athumwane. Vano woona wawe, aheekamela ni

waakapatta, vano nakapattilene, ahoonla ukati mwinci.

³⁰Isirayeli ahomwiirela Yusufu: Nna miva pooti ukhwa, kontha kihoona ikhove aa ni kihocuwela wiira ninlelo we uri nkumi. ³¹Vano Yusufu aheerela asunnawe na amuci aya othene athumwane: Kinarwa unhimerya Farawoo wiira asunnaka na amuci aya apaapa yakhala uKanaa ahowa woona. ³²Kinkowiira, alopwana ayo ahakheli, anhakhela inama ni ahowana ikhontwaa caya, imope caya ni cothene ciri cawaya. ³³Farawoo awiihanakani ookohakani wiira: Nnovarani va? ³⁴Mmwaakhuleke coo: Arumeyi aa anhuwa inama ikhumelo ni nari acikani, toko capankaya amuci ihu okhalayi. Commo phinhalenyu utthuniheriya ukhala nttetthe wo Koseni, kontha ahakheli othene anathanyiya na annaciipitu.

Yakopi nawakheleliya ni Farawoo

47 Yusufu ahorwaa wa Farawoo unvaha ihapari eeraka: Apaapa na asunnaka ahowa. Ankhuma uKanaa ni ikhontwaa caya, imope caya ni mihakhu cothene cirinaya. Nna ari uKoseni. ²Wahoolo ahaathanla asunnawe athanu ni ahonthoonyihera Farawoo.

³Farawoo ahaakoha: Nnovarante koni? Ayo yahomwaakhulaca: Karumeya aa ari ahakheli onama toko amuci ihu okhalayi. ⁴Yahomwiirelaca tho: Naawile ukhala mu ukati vakani kontha itala uKanaa nwo inatepa, ni inama ca karumeya aa khacinoona yoolya. Sontte, wathunihere karumeya aa ukhala uKoseni.

⁵Vano Farawoo ahomwiirela Yusufu: Athumwana na asunnawo yowenle we ⁶ni ilapo yo Wiciipitu iri ni we. Upanke mananna ooreera, wiira athumwanaa na asunnawo akhale mapuro omaana. Waahiye akhale uKoseni. Woona wiira

akina ayo ari atthu ankhili, waavahe nteko woohakhela inama caka.

⁷Vano Yusufu ahaakusa athumwane mpaka wa Farawoo, ni Yakopi ahonreeriha Farawoo. ⁸Farawoo ahonkoha Yakopi eeraka: Urina myakha mikavi? ⁹Yakopi ahomwaakhula Farawoo eeraka: Myaaka caka co weetakaca ciri iminya wo talathini (130). Ciri vakani ni coorika, ni khacimphiya toko cakhalaya mayapaapa. ¹⁰Vano Yakopi ahonreeriha Farawoo ni ahorwaa.

¹¹Yusufu aheesa ni waavaha athumwane ni asunnawe mapuro oocayira olapo yo Wiciipitu, ntetthe wo uRamacese, toko calamunlyawe Farawoo. ¹²Ahaavaha yoolya yo watosi, ukhuma athumwane, asunnawe ni amucyawe othene mpaka asaana yarinawe khula ntthu.

Ukati wootala Wiciipitu

¹³Khayaariwo yoolya ilapo yothene kontha itala yanatepa, ukhuma Wiciipitu mpaka uKanaa wanaakhwiya nlatu wotala. ¹⁴Yusufu ahototokaniha ncurukhu wothene waari Wiciipitu mpaka uKanaa wathumeliye itiriku ni ahorwana waFarawoo. ¹⁵Wamaanlyaya ncurukhu wothene Wiciipitu mpaka uKanaa, annaciipitu yahorwaa unlepela Yusufu yiiraka: Univahe yoolya! Uhinihiye nikhwaaka itala nlatu woomala ncurukhu ihu.

¹⁶Yusufu aheerela, paahi mmwihe inama cinyu nnyo mwaakakhanihe ni itiriku, kamana ncurukhu inyu uyo uhomala. ¹⁷Yusufu ahowiheriya inama nnyo ni ule ahaavaha itiriku akakhanihaka ni ikhavalu, ikhontwaa, imope ni apuuru. Mwakha wothene ahaalaha annaciipitu yakakhanihaka yoolya ni inama.

¹⁸Mwakha oyo wahovira ni wawilyaya mwakha nkina, yahoturuwela tho wa Yusufu yiiraka: Khaninoona tho man-

anna oowiipitha we kontha ncurukhu ihu uyo uhomala ni inama cihu nnyo cihokhala cawaa, khiiwo tho inihalente uvaha cihikhanle irutthu cihu ni imatta cihu. ¹⁹Uhinihiye nikhwaaka ni ukhwelakhwela imatta cihu wa miithoni waa, unithume hi ni uthume imatta cihu nnyo wakakhanihaka ni itiriku, vano hi ni imatta cihu nnyo, ninakhala ipottha ca Farawoo. Univahe yoolya wira nikhale akumi, nihikhwe itala ni cicammo imatta cihu cihihononyee.

²⁰Commo Yusufu ahothuma imatta cothene co Wiciipitu anthumelaka Farawoo. Annaciipitu yahothumiha imatta caya cothene kontha itala pheerihile commo. Phimaana ilapo yothene yahokhala ya Farawoo. ²¹Ukhuma wariyari mpaka mmaceresere mothene molapo yo Wiciipitu, Yusufu ahaapanka ipottha atthu othene.

²²Cahanle coohithuminya caari paahi imatta ca ahooleli osataka kontha Farawoo aholamula uvahiya coolya, cennyo phaapisiha nrima phimaana ahithumihaka imatta caya.

²³Vano Yusufu aheerela atthu ale: Nviriyane. Ilelo kihoothumani nyu ni imatta cinyu nnyo, nna vaa nri a Farawoo, ipyo phi ila, nlimeke ni waala ittima nnyo. ²⁴Nanso nhaana munvaha Farawoo mphantte wonethanu wo coolya cinhalenyu wuurula. Mphantte wonecese uyo unhala ukhala wawinyu wiira mpanke ipyo ni yoolya yawinyu ni ya asaana enyu ni atthu othene ankhala uwaannyu nwo. ²⁵Ale yahomwiirelaca: Nkunya, we uhoopola ukumi ihu kamana uhonipanka nnema ninakhala ipottha ca Farawoo.

²⁶Toko coo, itthaya yothene yo Wiciipitu, Yusufu ahokumiha nlamulo niriwo mpaka ilelo. Mphantte wonethanu wo coolya unkhala wa Farawoo, nanso imatta ca ahooleli osataka khacinkhala ca Farawoo.

Uteeliya wowiiherya wa Yakopi

²⁷ Annasirayeli yahokhala Wiciipitu, ncoko wo uKoseni. Wonwo yahophwanya imatta cinci ni yahoyaranaca ni wuncereranyaa venci. ²⁸ Yakopi ahokhala myakha khumi na saapa Wiciipitu ni myakha cookumi awe cari iminya wa arupayini na saapa (147). ²⁹ Wonnyawe wiira uhaattamerya ukati wookhwa, Isirayeli ahomwiihana mwamwanawe ni ahomwiihela: Wakhala wiira unakifenta, ukivare mweetto ni ulupele wiira unaahala ukhala eekhweli ni mi. Vano kinwiihela uhikivithe mWiciipitu mu. ³⁰ Kakhwaka vale, uhikivithe mWiciipitu mu nanso ukirwaane mahiye avithiye mayapaapa uKanaa. Yusufu ahaakhula: Kinkopanka toko cinkilepelenyu. ³¹ Vano Isirayeli ahonkhanyereriha eeraka: Ulupele. Yusufu aholupela ni Isirayeli aheecatalela wankorini.

Yakopi nawareeriha asaana a Yusufu

48 Unavinre ukati vakani, Yusufu ahohimerya wiira: Athumwanaa anawerennya ni ule ahorwaa waathotola, warwaawe vaa ahaakusa asaana awe eeli, Manasesi ni Farayimi. ² Yakopi ahohimerya wiira: Mwamwanaa Yusufu howa wuuthotola. Isirayeli aheemananiha wunwa mpaka woorya wunkoma wankorini. ³ Ni ahomwiihela Yusufu: Nluku Okuru-Cothene hokiphwanya uPeteeli, ilapo yo uKanaa ni hokireeriha, ⁴ eeraka: Nloko naa nno ninahala uyaraca ni winciva ni mommo, cinkokhumelela ilapo cinci ca atthu ni kinkowuvahani ilapo ela ukhala yawinyu ukati wothene. ⁵ Vano, asaana eeli, Farayimi ni Manasesi waayarenlyaa Wiciipitu mi kihinaya uwa uno, ari awaka; toko ciryawe Rupeni ni Simiyoni. ⁶ Vano

asaana anhalaa waayara ayo awaa, nanso mwanlattu wookhala nrukulu nimoca na Manasesi ni Farayimi na ayo anaahala waakhela mphantte wohiyeriya unaaca asunnaya. ⁷ Mi kikhumaka uPatani, keettaka ni iphiro kihocukula nlatu wokikhwela Rakeli ilapo yo uKanaa unahanle vakani uphiya uFarata. Kihonvitha ni iphiro yoorwaa uFarata, uneehaninya uPetelehemu.

⁸ Woonnyawe Isirayeli asaana a Yusufu, ahokoha eeraka: Ala tasipani? ⁹ Ala pha asaana Nluku akivahilyawe. Vano Isirayeli aheera: Waawane woono kawareerihe. ¹⁰ Miitho a Isirayeli yahoririyaca mwanlattu wo wuuluvala ni ule khoonaca ratta. Phimaana Yusufu ahaakusa asaanaawe ayo ni weemesa vakhiviru waya athumwane. Vano Isirayeli ahaavaha alaahuma ni waakapatta, ¹¹ ni ahomwiihela Yusufu: Akaacuwela wiira kinawoona tho ikhovyaa, nna vaa Nluku hokitthunihera woona asaanaa.

¹² Vano Yusufu ahaatamiha wamweettoni wa athumwane ni ahooroma mpaka iyuuci awe uphiya vathi. ¹³ Vano Yusufu ahaakusa oyeeli, Farayimi ahomweesa moonoo nlopwana vakhiviru waya moonoo nthiyana wa Isirayeli, ni Manasesi ahomweesa moonoo nthiyana vakhiviru waya moonoo nlopwana wa Isirayeli ni oyeeli ahaaciserihaca wa Isirayeli. ¹⁴ Vaavale Isirayeli ahotaphula ntata no moonoo nlopwana nuuthatela wa muru wa Farayimi mwana omwankani, ni avirikanihaka myoonoo nnyo, ahokusa ntata no moonoo nthiyana nuuthatela wa muru wa Manasesi mwana omuulupale. ¹⁵ Vano ahonreeriha Yusufu eeraka: Nluku amweettelaya mayaapaapa Aparahamu ni Isaki, Nluku kihaakhenle meettelo aka mpaka nihuku noleelo.

¹⁶Ncelo kooonle coonanara cothene, waareerihe ala amirawo ala. Yihaneliye ncina naka ni macina o mayapaapa Aprahamu ni Isaki, ni wincive uneethi aya vathiva.

¹⁷Woonnyawe Yusufu athumwane yeesaka ntata no moonoo nlopwana wa muru wa Farayimi, khawancivenle. Phimaana ahovara ntata na athumwane apheelaka waakakhaniha naari wa muru wa Manasesi weesa wa Farayimi ni naari wa muru wa Farayimi weesa wa muru wa Manasesi. ¹⁸Ni aheerela: Nhipanke commo paapa. Ula phi omuulupale, mweeseke ntata ninyu no moonoo nlopwana wa muru wawe vaa. ¹⁹Nanso athumwane yahokhotta ni yahomwiirela coo: Mi kinacuwela, mwanaka, mi kinacuwela. Ni uyo naahala ukhalana uneethi mwinci ni naahala ukhala nkhuulupale. Nanso unokhalaru ciicammo, nhimaawe uyo phinhala utepa ukhala muulupale wompwaha munnaawe uyo ni uneethi awe unaahala ukhala mwinci.

²⁰Commo Yakopi ahaareerihaca wowaareeriha nenno nihuku nno eeraka:

Uneethi wo Isirayeli wapheelaka ureerihana unahala uromola macina enyu wiiraka coo:

Nluku opanke we toko campankilyawe Farayimi ni Manasesi.

Ni ahomweesa Farayimi uhoolo wa Manasesi.

²¹Wahoolo Isirayeli ahomwiirela Yusufu: Kihanle vakani ukhwa, nanso Nluku nohala ukhala ni nyu ni naahala wuuturuselani ilapo ya amuci inyu okhalayi. ²²Vano we ukhala wiira uhaana iyuulupale yo wapwaha asunna ayo, kinawuvaha nttethe uri myako wakhilyaka Amorewu ni ikatana ni myura caka.

Ureeriha wa Yakopi

49 Vano Yakopi aheehana asaanawe ni weerelaca: Mmwaace woono wiira kuuhimeryeni ciththu cinhala wuukhumelelani uhoolo.

²Nthukumanace va wiira mwiiwe nyu asaana a Yakopi, mwiiwe inhimyawwe Isirayeli, athumwaninyu.

³Rupeni, we uri ntthaara naka, ikuru caka, nhokorokho woopacera wo mwiiurutthuni mwaka, ootepa uttitthimihinya ni ootepa ikuru.

⁴Unaviluwa toko maasi. Khunkhalana tho iyuulupale

kontha we uhowela ikori ya athumwana; uhaawela amweetyaka ni uhaaveeha.

⁵Simiyoni ni Levi ari ntthu ni munnaawe, ikatana caya nnyo ciri ikaruma cookhwiri.

⁶Akintthuna upanka mphantte miruku caya nnyo, akintthuna ukhala mmikuttanoni mwaya mmo

kontha waviruwacilyaya aheeva athu enci,

nuusama waya nwo ahokwanyulaca ni uthikilaca mitinka imope.

⁷Uhotakhaliya urusiya waya nwo wwoopiha,

uhotakhaliya uviruwa waya nwo wookhwiri.

Mi kinawaakawanihaca ilapo ya Yakopi ni kinawaamwarusela ilapo yo Isirayeli.

⁸Yutta, asunnaa anaahala wulemeliha, ntata naa ninaahala wavara nsiko eenani aa,

asaan a Yakopi anaahala umoromela Yutta wiitho wawe.

⁹Yutta ri toko mwaakharamu, we, mwamwanaka, uneetta toko kharamu oovara.

Unonkoma toko kharamu nlopwana ni unrupa

toko kharamu nthiyana,
tipani nohala woorya wuuwusa?
¹⁰Nttonitto wo omwene khunhala un-
khuma Yutta,
hata ikopo yo nlamulo khinhala un-
khuma mmatatani mwa,
mpaka ukati unhalawe uwa mwaneene
ni uyo naahala ulemelihiya ni ilapo
cothene.
¹¹Yooyo naahala untthukelela puuru
awe wanrittani woolipa;
ikuwo cawe naahala ukattha ni ivinyu,
iphome yo uva inamwareela nkuwoni
mwawe.
¹²Miitho awe ankootepe uriipa woop-
waha ivinyu.
Miino awe utepa utteela woopwaha
iphempa.
¹³Sepulooni nokokhala nceresere
ipharyaa
nipuro ninkelaya weemela apaketi,
mipika cawe cinaphiya mpaka oSitoni.
¹⁴Isakaari uri puuru oolipa
rupile iriyari mirintti cawe.
¹⁵Oonaka wiira nipuro nimmumulawe
nno niri nooreera
ni itthaya eyo iri yoocivela,
makhata ayo ahokusa mirintti
nuuvara miteko co makokoromwa.
¹⁶Tani naahala waakihera citthu
cikhanle coneethi awe
toko nihimo phi nihimo no Isirayeli.
¹⁷Tani nokokhala toko mwiikhomya un-
ceresere iparapara,
ivili inari nceresere iphiro,
inluma ikottokottho yo khavalu
ni inammulusa ntthu nowela uyo.
¹⁸Nyenyu Mwaneene Nluku,
mi kinawehererya woopola winyu!
¹⁹Kaate naahala wananiinya ikhotto ni
miphwinko,
nanso uyo phinhala waatthema ni
woomolanihaca.
²⁰Meece a Aseri anhala ucara coolya;
Yooyo phinhala uvaha coolya co
mamwene.

²¹Nafitali ri toko naahe ookwattula
munthapweni,
phimaana napanka isukuhuulu.
²²Yusufu uri mwiri wo mihokorokho,
woomela nceresere iluusi,
miritta caya nnyo cinavira waculu waya
isiri.
²³Nuuviruwa wa anamyuupa
uhomwaattakanana
anvonyeraka myuupa caya nnyo wo
nceece.
²⁴Nanso muura awe uyo khattinkihile,
myoono cawe ciri cokuru ni cowoorya
uvonya myuupa,
mwanlattu wo ntata na muulupale a
Yakopi
mwancina na nhakheli, mwala wo
Isirayeli.
²⁵Mwancina na Nluku a athumwane,
ookavihere we,
Mwancina na Nluku Okuru Cothene
oovahe cinenne iparakha co wirimu,
iparakha cowiiserya cinenne,
iparakha cocaayira ni cootosa.
²⁶Iparakha ca athumwane
cinapwaha iparakha co myako
cookhalayi.
Makhalelo o myako coohimala
cennya iparakha nnya cothene cirwee
mwiirutthuni mwa Yusufu.
Cirwee uhoolo wawe ule aakhanle
oomwalanihinya na asunnawe.
²⁷Pencamii ri toko mwiici wooluwa
wicisuru unakhura inama,
ni ucocilo unakawaniha yahanle.
²⁸Ari phi yaala ala apankile mahimo
khumi na meeli o Israyeli. Ciicammo
athumwanaya phaahimenryaya
wowavahaca iparakha, avahiyaka khula
ntthu iparakha camwaacile.

Ukhwa ni uvithiya wa Yakopi

²⁹Wahoolo Yakopi ahaattonkela
asaanawe eerelaka: Kihanle vakani
urwaa wa amuci aka akhwile
khalayi. Mwakivithe wamoca ni

miyapaapa nnikhukuni niri imatta ya Foromi nHitiita. ³⁰Nikhuku niri imatta yo Makipela, vakhiviru ni uManree, uKanaa, imatta Aparahamu inthumanannyawe Foromi, nhitita, aaceraka wiira akhale mahiye a amuci awe othene. ³¹Wonwo hovithiya Aparahamu na amwaarawe, Isaki na amwaarawe. Ciicammo wonwo kihonvitha Leya. ³²Ukhuma imatta eyo ni nikhuku niri mmattani mmo cothene aathumananinye ahitita. ³³Aanowiira amalihaka wattonkela asaana awe nnya citthu nnya, Yakopi aheecatalela nuukhwa. Vano aahovithiya wamoca na amuci awe.

50 Yusufu ahaawuluwela athumwane, ahonlela ni waakapatta. ²Wahoolo ahaavaha nlamulo akulukhano yaavara nteko nenno nipuro nno wiira yattikitthele nrette wohunttiha irutthu ya athumwane, ni ale yahaattikitthela. ³Yahovira mahuku arupayini oolikana, kontha yooyo phaari ukati waalamunliyaya uttikittheliya makhura nrutthu na annaciipitu yahonla mahuku miloko mithanu na miili.

⁴Wavinryaya mahuku onokhwa ayo, Yusufu ahoolumaca ni mahumu a Farawoo eeraka: Wakhala wiira nyu nnakifenta mwamuulumane Farawoo mwancina naka mi. ⁵Apaapa ahokilupeliha yiiraka: Kihanle vakani ukhwa. Mwakivithe mahiye yitthenkacenryaka ilapo yo Kanaa. Vano va, mwanvekele wiira akitthunihere urwaa waavitha apaapa akinkela kaapicaka kinawa naanano. ⁶Ahaakhula Farawoo eeraka: Urwee wavithe athumwana ayo toko aneene cuulupelihilyaya. ⁷Vaavale Yusufu ahorwaa waavitha athumwane. Ule ahaatthukana ikwaha malaka kano othene a Farawoo, alamuli yavaranawe nteko wamoca na alamuli othene

o Wiciipitu. ⁸Vano wahiya alamuli ayo, yahorwaa ciicammo amuci o ntthoko na Yusufu asunnawe na athu othene yaari mmatatani mwa Yakopi. Yahinnye uKoseni nwo yaari paahi asaana, imope ni ikhontwaa. ⁹Ciicammo yahavelela athu uwela ikhavalu naampakhira omope. Ikwaha iyo yaari ya athu enci. ¹⁰Uphinnya waya ipuwa ya Atate, vakhiviru ni mooloko Yortani yahocukula ni wunla venci; mpaka Yusufu ahokhala mahuku saapa onlelaka athumwane. ¹¹Atthu o Kanaa yakhalakhala yaayo mapuro ayo woona waya wunliya venci wapuwani ya Atate yaheeraca: Annaciipitu ampanka matthanka, phimaana nne nipuro nne nattamanne mooloko Yortani nihaninyaka Apeli-Misirayimi. ¹²Commo asaana a Yakopi yahopanka toko caahimeeriyaya na athumwanaya. ¹³Yahaakusaca athumwanaya mpaka ilapo yo uKanaa ni yahaavithaca nikhuku niri imatta yo Makipela vakhiviru ni uManree, imatta ile yathumiheriyawe Aparahamu ni Foromi Nhitita wiira ikhale ikhapuri coohala uvithana alokwawe Aparahamu. ¹⁴Naavithileene athumwane ale Yusufu ahoturuwela Wiciipitu na asunnawe na athu othene yanvelenle.

Nnema na Yusufu

¹⁵Asunnawe Yusufu woona waya wiira athumwanaya ahokhwa yaheeraca: Wakhala wiira Yusufu haana itwaana ni hi, ni aphavelaka onivihera ikuhukuhu mwanlattu wa yoonanara yampankilehu, niireke cani? ¹⁶Phimaana yaholeeheraca nhupi woonhimerya Yusufu wiira: Athumwana ahinaya ukhwa yahoniruma ¹⁷wiira munhimyacere coo: Kinawuuvekela waalevelele coonanara ni itaampi cuupankilyaya. Nnna vaa ulevelele itaampi ca

karumeya a Nluku a athumwanaa. Vano Yusufu wakhela wawe nhupi ule, aahoonla. ¹⁸Wahoolo yahowaca asunnawe Yusufu ni yahonkhoromela wiitho weene ni yaheeraca: Hi nihowa va, wiira nikhale ipottha caa. ¹⁹Vano Yusufu aheerelaca coo: Nhoovace, mi kinalamuliya ukhala nipuro na Nluku? ²⁰Nyu nhokipankaca mi itthu yoonanara, nanso Nluku hopanka yeeyo itthu iyo ukhala yooreera, wiira mi ilelo kisunke ukumi wa atthu enci. ²¹Phimaana nhoovace, mi kinaahala wuuvahani nyu yoolya wamoca na asaanenyu ayo. Commo phenryawe Yusufu wowamaaliha asunnawe ni ahoolumacera wo nifento.

Ukhwa wa Yusufu

²²Vano Yusufu ahokhala Wiciipitu myakha iminya nuuwa khumi, nari wamoca na amuci awe othene na

athumwane, ²³mpaka ahoona ucuulu woneeraru wa asaana a Farayimi. Ni ahaakhelela asaana a Makhiri, mwana a Manasesi ukhala awawe. ²⁴Vano Yusufu hinaya ukhwa aheerela asunnawe ayo coo: Kihanle vakani ukhwa, nanso khweeli Nluku naahala wuukaviherani nyu, mpaka naahala wuukumihani ila ilapo ela, oorwehakani ilapo yilupelenlyawe Nluku unvaha Aparahamu, Isaki ni Yakopi. ²⁵Vaavale Yusufu aheerelaca asaana a Isirayeli wiira nnolamuliya ulupela, eeraca coo: Nluku ookavihereni nyu, nhala nkumihaca makhuva aka ayo mu. ²⁶Phimaana Yusufu aakhwile narina myakha iminya nuuwa khumi (110) ceyarelo. Nrutthu wa Yusufu wahottikittheliya makhura oohunttiha irutthu, nuuheliya ncaneesani ni yahosunkiya Wiciipitu.

Yona

Yona Antthawaka Nluku

1 Vano nihuku nimoca nuulumo na Mwaneene Nluku nahowa waYona mwana a Amitayi niiraka: ²Wunweke ni urweke isitati yuulupale yo Ninive waahimyacereke moolumo aka kontha coonanara caya cowela mpaka waryaka. ³Nanso Yona ahonwa atthawaka wamiithoni waMwaneene Nluku arwaka uTarisi, ahokhuruwela uYopa, waaphwanyalyawe ikalawa yarwaa uTarisi, aholivela ikwaha ni ahokela, wiira aatthukane nloko anakalawa yarwaa uTarisi, apheelaka waatthawela uttayi Mwaneene Nluku. ⁴Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahoruma iphyoo yuulupale mpaharini ni ahopanka nkhyaya mpaka ikalawa yahanle vakani uphwyaa. ⁵Vaavale anakalawa yahoovaca venci, ni khula ntthu ananlepela nluku awe, ni yahorihela mpaharini mirintti carinaya nkalawani, wiira awukule ulemeliya nwo. Vaavale Yona ahokhuruwela nhina ikalawa weecatalenyawe arupaka ikhove. ⁶Nhooledi okalawa ahorwaa waYona ni ahonkoha wiira unrupani? Wunwe ni unlepele nluku aa, noone toko nanoonela ikiriri wiira nihikhwe. ⁷Wahoolo yaheerelana nrwee nipanke mwavi wiira nincuwele tipani uniwiihenre nenna nihusinna. Ni yahopanka mwavi ni wahomorela waYona. ⁸Vano yahomwiirela: Unihimerye nenna va, uniwiiherenreni nenna nihusinna. Nteko aa phuvi? Unkhuma vayi? Ilapo aa phivi ni ikhapilani? ⁹Yona ahaakhula: mi Heperewu, ni kinawoova Mwaneene Nluku, Nluku o wirimu, apattusile ipahari ni itthaya. ¹⁰Vaavale atthu ale yahanca woova venci ni yahomwiirela:

Isiyani yeela ipankile ela? Kontha atthu ale yahocuwela wiira atthawile wamiithoni waMwaneene Nluku, maana ahaahimyacera.

¹¹Yahomwiirelaca: Nuupankeke isiyani wiira ipahari imaale? Kontha nkhyaya natepaca mpaharini. ¹²Yona ahaakhula: Nkikuse ni nkivonyere mpaharini; ipahari inaahala umaala. Ni kinacuwela wiira nkhyaya ula wile mwanlattu wa waka. ¹³Vaavale anakalawa yaanvira yeettihaka ni ikuru caya apheelaka uphiya ukhopela. Nanso khayoonrye, kontha mpaharini nkhyaya aantepa. ¹⁴Vano yahaalepela Mwaneene Nluku a Yona, yiiraka: Contte Mwaneene Nluku, nhinihiye nikhwaka nlattu wa coonanara ca Yona, nhinootherye hi va ukhwa wawe kontha nyu Mwaneene Nluku nhopanka wootthuna winyu. ¹⁵Vaavale yahonteesa Yona ni yahonvonyera mpaharini, ni nkhyaya ahomaala ucaca. ¹⁶Vano atthu ale yahoovaca venci Mwaneene Nluku, ni yahaavahaca itthuwo Mwaneene Nluku ciicammo yakhuluvelihaka waatthara.

Iswali ya Yona nari mmirimani mohopa

¹⁷Mwaneene Nluku ahoruma ihopa yuulupale wiira immiryeye Yona. Ni Yona ahokhala mmirimani mohopa mahuku mararu uthana ni uhiyu.

2 Vano Yona nari mmirimani mohopa ahoswali aasukuruku Mwaneene Nluku ²eeraka:

Mmahuvihoni kihokhuwelela

Mwaneene Nluku ni ahokaakhula.

Mmirimani mahiye kihokhuwa, ni nyu nheewa ncu naka.

³Nhokirihela mpaharini mapuro oowi- isya cinenne

ni kihokhala oorukureriya ni maasi

ni mawimpi moolupale othene yaavira waculu waka.

⁴Kihoona toko kihomwalaanihiya ni nyu.

Akaacuwela wiira kaanhala woona tho inupa enyu ittakattifu.

⁵Maasi othene yahokikhuneela mpaka ukittiya iphumu;

ni ipahari yahokimiriya

ni makukhu o mpaharini yahokivi-likelela mmuru.

⁶Kihokhuruwela mpaka vathi waya myaako,

mpaka ilapo ya atthu ookhwa

ni mikhora caya cahokitthukela mommo.

Nanso nyu nhokikumihya mapuro oowiisa,

nuukivaha ukumi;

Mwaneene Nluku; Nluku aka!

⁷Upheelaka nnepa aka urimela

mi kihowuupuwelelani nyu, Mwaneene Nluku,

ni iswali caka cowela warinyu,

mpaani mwinyu moottakattifihiya.

⁸Ale anaswalela anluku oohimaana

ahiyaka ikiriri ca Nluku.

⁹Nanso mi kinaahala uwiipelani macipo oowunnuwihani

ni wuuvahani itthuvo.

Kinkopanka ile yookhuluvelihilyakani.

Woopwa ukhuma wa Mwaneene Nluku.

¹⁰Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahoolumana ihopa wiira inraphye

Yona, ni Yona ahoraphenya ucenkweni.

Urukunusa nrima wa atthu o Ninive

3 Imaara yonayeeli nuulumo na Mwaneene Nluku nahowa waYona niiraka: ²Wunwe ni urwee isitati yuulupale cinenne yo Ninive waahimiyacere atthu o Ninive moolumo yuuhimiyacenryaka.

³Yona aheetthenkaca, ahonwa toko cakanlyawe oohimeriya na Mwaneene Nluku. Ahorwaa uNinive. Ninive yaari

isitati yuulupale cinenne yeettiya mahuku mararu uttupulaniha iriyariru.

⁴Yona ahophiya uNinive. Aheetta nihuku nimoca akhalaka uwaahimiyaca eeraka: Anhala mahuku arupayini Ninive ukwanyulaciya.

⁵Vano atthu othene uNinive yahonkupali Nluku ni yahorukunusa mirima, ciicammo yaholeehana

untthuka ramatani ukhuma atthu oolupale, mpaka acikani, othene ya-

hommwaraca nakotto athoonyiheraka wiira ahorukunusa mirima caya.

⁶Mwene o Ninive weewilyawe ni uyo ahonwa wahiceni wawe phurulaka

ikuwo cawe cothene nuummwara nakotto phunkomaka wattuurani.

⁷Ciicammo Mwene na ahooleli awe yahokumiha nlamulo nowahimiyacera

atthu othene unsitati wiira: Hikhale nohala ulya hata uwurya ukhuma

atthu, inama coohuwiya, toko imope ni ikhontwaa, cihivahiye coolya ni maasi

wala cihihuleliye cirwaka ulawiha coolya. ⁸Atthu othene (ni inama

cothene) amware nakotto anlapele Nluku ni ikuru, arukunuse mirima caya

ni uhiya coopanka caya coonanara cothene. ⁹Atthuna commo Nluku

nahala unoonela ikiriri, ni urusiya wawe unahala uvira ni khaninhala

ukhwa.

¹⁰Nluku ahoona mananna cakanlyaya oorukunusa mirima caya

akhalaka oohiya coonanara caya ni Nluku khaahuvihile tho atthu ayo.

Urusiya wa Yona ni Ikiriri ca Apwiya

4 Nanso vaavale, Yona ahorusiya ni ahocaca. ²Vano ahoswali akohaka

Mwaneene Nluku toko co: We Mwaneene Nluku, mi akeenre kihinaaya

ukhuma ilapo aka wiira phi yeeyo yahalaa upanka? Phimaana kipankaka

mananna ootthawela uTarisi! Mi kahocuwela wiira we uri Nluku ookiriri

ni oothunku, wiira we uri Nluku oop-ica ucaca, eemaani ni ooreera, ciicammo ukati wothene uri oolevelela. ³Pahi, nyu Mwaneene Nluku, nkiive, kontha fatari kikhwe kihikhale nkumi. ⁴Mwaneene Nluku ahaakhula: We Yona wookupali wiira uhaana isariya yoorusiya toko co? ⁵Vaavale Yona ahokhuma uNinive, phurwaaka mphante unkhuma ncuwa ni ahonkoma. Vano ahoteka nrapattha ni ahonkoma wantthuucini waya, awehereryaka woona itthu yahala wiiranyaa nsitati mmo.

⁶Vano Mwaneene Nluku ahomeliha mwamwiri wootthavelaca wiira Yona amumule wantthuucini ni atteeliye. Vaavale Yona ahotteeliya venci. ⁷Nanso usa waya, ncuwa nipheelaka ukhuma, Nluku ahonruma mwaamunku wiira eeve mwamwiri uyo ni wahokhwa. ⁸Wakhumilyaya ncuwa, Nluku ahowiha

iphyoo yooviha cinenne ikhumaka unkela ncuwa. Yona ahociriphuwa nlatu wo nttukuttha ni ncuwa nampaha mmuruni mwawe. Vano ahopheela ukhwa ni aheera: Fatari kikhwe kihikhale nkumi. ⁹Nluku ahonkoha Yona eeraka: Uhaamini urusiya nlatu wo yoola mwamwiri ula? Yona ahaakhula: Khweeli kihaana isariya yoorusiya toko co mpaka ukhwa. ¹⁰Vano Mwaneene Nluku aheera: Ula mwamwiri ula wunnuwile uhiyu, ni uhiyu nkhwawe uyo wahokhwa. We khiiwo ipankenlyaa ula mwamwiri ula ni khawunnuwihile, vano unawoonela uthunku. ¹¹Mi ni isariya caka cothene akinlamuliya woonela ikiriri isitati yo Ninive, uryaya atthu enci oohicuwela itthu yooreera ni yoonanara woopwaha elufu iminya wosirini (120.000) ni inama cinci ciriwo?

*Nhupi Wooreera wa Yesu
Kristu Wantikhiye ni*

Marku

Yohani Mpatisa nalalyaa

Mt 3.1-6; Lk 3.1-6

1 Wiipaceroni wa Nhupi Wooreera wa Yesu Kristu, Mwanawe Nluku.

²Ohaantikhiya ni nnapiyu Isaya:

Kimmonrumiha uhoolo wa mayanhupi aka,

nohala wulokiherani iphiro.^{§§}

³Ncu ninkhuwa ntakhwani,

Nlokihe iphiro ya Apwiya, mookole mitala.*

⁴Ciicale, Yohani Mpatisa phooneliye ntakhwani wiira eethucihe opatiso wo urukunusa nrima wiira itaampi cileveleliye. ⁵Yaanamwikamela atthu othene olapo ya Yutteya, na atthu ankhala uYerusalemu, ni yaanapatisiya ni ule umooloko Yorttani, alaphaka itaampi caya. ⁶Yohani awara ikuwo yo mapururu onkamira, eethukelaka nyununi mo nrapala, yoolya awe yari mattettente ni urawo wo ntakhwani. ⁷Ni wowaalaka anaahimya coo: Uttuli waka mi nawa nkinaku rina ikuru impwaha yawaka, ni mi akimphwanela wooroma wiira kitthukule miripwe cokwakwatta cawe.

⁸Mi kinawuupatisani ni maasi, nanso Ule naahala wuupatisani muNnepa Nttakattifu.

Yesu napatisiya ni nathokociya

*Mt 3.13-17; 4.1-11; Lk 3.21-22;
4.1-13; Yohani 1.32-34*

⁹Waheranyaa, mahuku ale, Yesu awaaka ukhuma uNasaree yo Kalileya,

mpaka upatisiya ni Yohani umooloko Yorttani. ¹⁰Wakhumawe mmaasini mmo, ahoona irimu ihulyaka, ni Nnepa, woonnya toko ikhunnta inkhuruwelaka. ¹¹Ni ukhuma wirimu nineewiya ncu nnohimya: We uri Mwanaka oofentiya, nokiphela nrima. ¹²Wahoolo Nnepa Nttakattifu wahoonrweha utakhwani, ni ¹³ahokhala wonwo mahuku arupayini, ni ahothokociya ni Sotwani; ni cahawo wonwo inama cowoopiha, ni ancelo yahonkavihera.

Owiitthuca oopacera a Yesu

Mt 4.12-22; Lk 4.14-15; Lk 5.1-11

¹⁴Utthukiya wawe Yohani, Yesu ak-enle uKalileya, wahimerya atthu Nhupi Wooreera wa Nluku, eeraka: ¹⁵Ukati uhophiya ni ciicammo Omwene wa Nluku uhophiya. Nrukunuseke nrima, nkupalelaka Nhupi Wooreera. ¹⁶Aviraka nceresere ntthiya no Kalileya, ahomoona Simoni ni nhimaawe Anteree avonyeraka matthavi aya mpaharini mmo, nlattu yaari mayototha ihopa. ¹⁷Yesu aheerela: Nkitthare Mi, ni Mi kimmowupankani mayowatotha atthu. ¹⁸Ahiyaka nanaanoru matthavi aya, yahontthara Yesu. ¹⁹Napwahile vakani, ahomoona Yakopu, mwana a Sepeteu ni nhimaawe Yohani, alokihaka nkalawani matthavi aya pweehanaka nananoru. ²⁰Ni ale yahonhiya Sepeteu athumwanaya ni mayanteko aya, yahontthara.

Nlopwana o nnepa woonanara

Lk 4.31-37

²¹Yaanaarwa uKafarnaum. Nihuku no Ntivela ahokela nnsinakokani, ni aheetthuciha atthu. ²²Na atthu othene yaanawumiya mwaano ni miitthuciho cawe, nlattu aheetthuciha toko nthu nolamula ni khari toko mayowantikha.

§§1:2 Malakiya 3.1

*1:3 Isaya 40.3

²³Ahaawo nnsinakokani mmo ntthu arina nnepa woonanara, apacile ukhuwa: ²⁴We urinani ni hi, Yesu o Nasaree? Wawenle unikwanyulaca? Mi kihocuwela wiira uri Nttakattifu a Nluku. ²⁵Yesu ahonkuphula, eeraka: Omaale we, ni ukhume wantthu ula. ²⁶Vano, nnepa woonanara, unantathile ni ikuru, ukhuwacaka, wahokhuma wantthu ule. ²⁷Othene yahotikhinaca, mpaka ukohana ayayoru: Isiyani ila? Moone meetthucihho oonaanano, uromoliya ni nlamulo mpaka ulamulela minepa coonanara ni nnya cinamwiiwelela. ²⁸Ni ncina nawe nahorumannya nttetthe wothene, ilapo yo Kalileya.

Yesu nawavoniha aretta enci

Mt 8.14-17; Lk 4.38-41

²⁹Akhumaka unsinakoka ahokela mpani mwa Simoni ni Anteree, wamoca ni Yakopu ni Yohani. ³⁰Amaathyawe Simoni yaanawerenya wakorini, awerenyaka irutthu yothene, ni nananoru yahonhimerya ca iretta ila. ³¹Attameryaka, Yesu ahaavarela ntata mpaka waawusa. Iredda yahaahiya, na ale yahopacera wakaavihera. ³²Ucoocilo, ncuwa ninakwattuwile, yahomwiihera aretta na ale yahoosiya ni nnepa woonanara, ³³na atthu othene owatthokoni yahothukumana wankhora. ³⁴Ahaavoniha aretta enci, yahoosiye ni coowerya, ni ahoomola minepa coonanara cinci; nanso khahiya wuulumaca minepa nlattu yaanancuwela.

Yesu nahimyaca Nhupi Wooreera

Lk 4.42-44

³⁵Wicisuru, uhinasa ahoonwa ni ahokhuma; phurwaka ntakhwani wiira aswali. ³⁶Simoni, na ale yaari ni Yesu yahontthara. ³⁷Umphwanya waya, yahomwiirela: Atthu othene

anawuphavelani. ³⁸Nanso ahaakhula: Nirwe ncoko nkina, itthoko co vakhiviru, neetthucihe wonwo, nlattu wo yela phikumenlyaka. ³⁹Ni ahorwaa ilapo yothene yo Kalileya, eetthucihaka mmasinakokani, ni oomolaka minepa coonanara.

Yesu ahonvoniha ntthu o makuttula

Mt 8.1-4; Lk 5.12-16

⁴⁰Ntthu o makuttula ahonrwela Yesu ni ankoromelaka ahonlepela: Watthunaka vale unawoorya ukivoniha. ⁴¹Amoonelaka ikiriri, Yesu ahonthatela ntata mpaka unkwanya, eeraka: Kinatthuna, uvone. ⁴²Nananoru, makuttula yahonhiya, ni irutthu yahokhala toko khalayi. ⁴³Ni Yesu ahonleeha phunlakaka, ni moolumo ala: ⁴⁴Ukiiwe ahinhimerye ntthu itthu ila. Nanso upacera urwaa wamayasataka ni uvelelihe itthu ilamuliye ni Musa; nlattu wa atthu anhapihya makuttula, wiira akhale saahiti aa. ⁴⁵Ule, mweeco, urwaa wawe ahopacera ulattula ni uhimya itthu yeeranele, mpaka Yesu uhoorya ukela ooniyaka mmawaani phukhalaka ntakhwani; na atthu olapo ile yaanarwela.

Yesu ahonvoniha ntthu oowuntakyya

Mt 9.1-8; Lk 5.17-26

2 Anavinre mahuku vakani, ni Yesu naturuwile uKafarnaum wahorumanyaa wiira ri uwaani. ²Yahothukumana atthu enci, mpaka uphunyanana wankhora, ni Yesu aheetthucihha moolumo. ³Vano yahomwiihera ntthu oowuntakyya, akusiye na atthu ace. ⁴Ukhala wiira khayooriya unkusa mpaka waryawe, nlattu wo mphwinko, yahokhunula nivatho nipuro naryawe Yesu, ni ciicale, anahunle iparo, yahokurusela nrepa naryawe ntthu oowuntakyya. ⁵Wowoona ukupali waya atthu ale,

Yesu ahomwiirela ntthu oowuntakya: Mwanaka, itaampi caa ciholeveleliya. ⁶Wonwo mweeco, yahoonkoma mayowantikha vakani yaakakaka munrimani mwaya: ⁷Nlattuni, Ule uulumacaka co? Nakufuru. Noorya tipani ulevelela itaampi, hiri Nluku paahi? ⁸Yesu, nanso acuwelaka moopuwelo aya mpaka ahaakoha: Nlattuni muupuwelaka ciicale munrimani mwinyu? ⁹Itthu yootepa urika phivi, umwiirela oowuntakya, Itaampi caa ciholeveleliya, athuna umwiirela, Wunwe, ukuse nrepa naa ni weette? ¹⁰Vano paahi; wiira ncuwele wiira Mwanawe Pinattamu haana ikuru vathiva yolevelela itaampi, ¹¹kinawuulamula amwaacaka ntthu oowuntakya ukuse nrepa naa ni urwee uwaanyaa. ¹²Ntthu ule ahoonwa, ahokusa nrepa nawe ni ahokhuma ooniyaka na atthu ale othene, mpaka othene wumiya mwaano, ni yaananttotopela Nluku yiiraka: Khaninoona itthu co nikhalakaru.

Yesu namwiihana Levi

Mt 9.9; Lk 5.27-28

¹³Imaara ikina tho ahokhumela vate mphante wo ipharyaa; ni mphwinko wa atthu othene wahonthara, Ule eetthucihaka. ¹⁴Nanso aviraka uyo ahomoona Levi, mwanawe Alfeu nonkomile inupa yowaakheleliya nsoko, ni ahomwiirela: We, ukithare Mi. Ni Levi ahonwa anttharaka Yesu. ¹⁵Nari wamoca, itthoko ya Levi, mayoliviha nsoko enci na atthu ookosakosa yahoonkomaca wameeca wamoca ni Yesu ni uwiitthuca awe, nlatu khayaamala urunwa atthu yaantthara. ¹⁶Mayowantikha yanrumelelihana ni mafarisi, amoonaka ulya na atthu ookosakosa ni mayoliviha nsoko, yaheerela uwiitthuca awe: Nlattuni, nalya na atthu ookosakosa? ¹⁷Yesu eewaka cothene ahaakhula: Kahiwena

akumi phimmwavya tothoro, nanso, aretta. Mi akiwenle weehana atthu aat-takattifu, nanso atthu ookosakosa.

Mwaha woothuka

Mt 9.14-17; Lk 5.33-39

¹⁸Owiitthuca a Yohani ni mafarisi yaantthuca, yahowa unkoha Yesu: Owiitthuca a Yohani ni mafarisi anathuka ni uwiitthuca aa ahitthukaka isiyani? ¹⁹Yesu ahaakhula: Asimpwana awe mayothela anawoorya utthuka, mayothela nari na ale? Mahuku othene ankhahaya wamoca ni mayothela khanoorya utthuka. ²⁰Anaahala uphiya mahuku anhalaya waakhiya mayothela, vano phankelaya utthuka. ²¹Khaawo neesera icaapha yonaanano ikuwoni yookhalayi, nlatu icaapha yonaanano inatepereriha mphantte wookhalayi, ni nikhwata ninatapa wunnuwa. ²²Ni khaawo nohela ivinyu yonaanano mmapikani ookhalayi, ahelaka vale, ivinyu inaahala upwesa mapika ookhalayi, ni ivinyu inarihakya wamoca ni mapika. Nanso ivinyu yonaanano inheliya mmapikani oonaanano.

Yesu ni ntivela

Mt 12.1-8; Lk 6.1-5

²³Nihuku nimoca no ntivela Yesu anavira mmamattani na owiitthuca awe. Yeettaka mphironi, owitthuca awe yahoonta ncasi. ²⁴Mafarisi yahonthara, yiiraka: Nkoona, nlattuni ale apankaka itthu yowatelihya upanka nihuku no ntivela? ²⁵Ahaakhula: Khannasoma itthu yapankilyawe Taviti, wammoonlyawe itala, ule na atthu yarinawe? ²⁶Wakenlyawe inupa ya Nluku, ukati wa mayasataka muulupale Apiyatari, ni walilyawe mikatthe coottakattifihiya coolamuliya ulya mayasataka paahi, ni ahaavaha atthu

yarinawe?† ²⁷Ni ahopwahera: Ntivela nihopankeliya ntthu, ni kahiwena ntthu phipankeliye ntivela. ²⁸Mwanawe Pinattamu phi mwaneene ntivela.

**Yesu ahonvonihana ntthu
oonririya ntata.**

Mt 12.9-14; Lk 6.6-11

3 Yesu ahokela tho nnsinakokani. Ahokhala wonwo ntthu oonririya ntata. ²Vano ale yaananhottela wiira amoone ammoonihaka nihuku no ntivela wiira ankasari. ³Yesu ahonhimerya ntthu arina ntata noonririya: Wunwe ni uwe iriyari ila va. ⁴Wahoolo ahaakoha: Inoleveliya, nihuku no Ntivela, upanka itthu yooreera atthuna itthu yoonanara, woopola ukumi atthuna uhiya uharipwyaka? Ale yahomaalaca. ⁵Vano, awehaka ni urusiya, ni ummweryaka nrima nlattu woturumala mirima caya, ahomwiirela ntthu: Wookole ntata. Ahookola ntata ni nna nahovona. ⁶Wakhumilyaya, mafarisi yahothukumana na aHerotiyano wiira avaanele mamwiivelo.

**Mphwinko muulupale
unari nceresere ntthiya**

⁷Yesu ahorwaa untthiyani na owiit-thuca awe, athariyaka ni mphwinko muulupale wakhuma uKalileya, ni Yutteya, ⁸uYerusalemu, ultumeya, ukhopela Yorttani, ni nceresere Tiro ni Sittoniya. Ahophwanyinya ni mphwinko muulupale, wewiilyaya itthu yaapankawe. ⁹Ahaahimerya owiitthuca awe, anlokihere ikalawa yaankani, wiira hiphunyererihiye ni mphwinko uyo. ¹⁰Woono ahaavonihana atthu enci, ni nlattu weetthu ila, ale yanawaaninya ni ikwerere wiira ankwanya. ¹¹Minepa coonanara,

wamoonaya, caanankhoromela wamiithoni wawe ni caanakhuwa: We uri Mwana a Nluku. ¹²Ule nanso anawaateliha wiira ahicuwelihe.

**Yesu naweehana
arumeyi khumi na eeli**

Mt 10.1-4; Lk 6.12-16

¹³Wahoolo ahowela mmwaakoni, ni aheehana ale yatthunyawe, na ale yahomwaattamerya. ¹⁴Ahaathanla khumi na eeli phwaavahaka ncina na amitthenka wiira yakhaleke ni Uyo, ni aarume, wiitthuciha, ¹⁵ni yaphwanyeke ikuru yo woomola minepa coonanara. ¹⁶Ahaathanla khumi na eeli ala: Simoni, ammahilyawe ncina na Peturu, ¹⁷Yakopu, mwanawe Sepetteu, ni Yohani nhimaawe Yakopu, ammahilyawe ncina Powanerce, manaaya asaana utari; ¹⁸Anteree, Filipe, Partimeu, Mateu, Tomee, Yakopu mwanawe Alfeu, Tateu, Simoni Selote, ¹⁹ni Yutta Iskariyoti, anthumihile Yesu.

Yesu ni Sotwani

Mt 12.22-32; Lk 11.14-23

²⁰Waphilyaya uwaani, mphwinko wa atthu wahothukumana tho, mpaka wahinoryaya ulya. ²¹Ni amawaawe, wiiwawaya itthu ila, yahokhuma wiira ammare, nlattu yeeriya: Hoolociya. ²²Ni mayowantikha, yakhuruwenle o Yerusalemu yahohimya: Hovariya ni Peelsepu. Ni thotho. Nawoomola minepa coonanara ni ikuru ca mwene a minepa coonanara. ²³Vano Yesu aheehana ni wahimerya mmalikaniheroni: Noorya cani, Sotwani umoomola Sotwani? ²⁴Omwene wakawaniyaka, omwene ule khunoorya ukhala. ²⁵ni inupa yakawanihiyaka, inupa ile khinoorya ukhala. ²⁶Phimaana, akhalaka Sotwani eecanihaka ikhotto

†2:26 1Sm 21.1-6

mwaneene eekawanihaka, ni khanoorya ukhala tho, homala. ²⁷Khaawo noorya ukela inupa ya ntthu ookhomaala ni unhukhela mihakhu cawe woohipaca ummara phooryaka unhukhela wahoolo. ²⁸Khweeli kinawuhimeryani: Itaampi cothene ni ikufuru cothene cinkhala coromoliya na atthu, cothene cimmoleveleliya, ²⁹nanso, ntthu nohala ukufuru Nnepa Nttakattifu khammwa uleveleliyaka akhalakaru; nowookhala ni itaampi awe mahuku othene. ³⁰Ahaahimerya itthu ila nlattu yahimenrye: Ule navariya ni nnepa woonanara.

Alokwawe eekhweeli Yesu.

Mt 12.46-50; Lk 8.19-21

³¹Vano yahophiya anumwane na asihimaawe, ni anemenle utaa, yahaaruma atthu umwihana. ³²Mphwinko wa atthu wahoonkoma ntotho wawe, atthu yahonhimerya: Ahaawo vate anumwana na asihimaa, anawuphavela. ³³Ahaakhula: Amanyi ni asihimaaka phapani? ³⁴Ni athetulaka miitho mwaatthu ale yanrukurenrye, aheera: Ala pha manyi na asihimaaka. ³⁵Ntthu nopanka utthuna wawe Nluku, ule phi nhimaaka, mwanrokoraka ni amanyi.

Nlikanihero no mayowaala

Mt 13.1-9; Lk 8.4-8

4 Ahopacera tho wiitthuchiha nceresere ntthiya. Mphwinko muulupale wahothonkumana ntotho wawe, phimaana ahowela nkalawani ni ahoonkoma mmwe, phukhalaka mphwinko woonene. ²Anaweeetthuchiha citthu cinci mmalikianiheroni ni anawahimerya mmeetthuchihoni mwawe: ³Mmiriyane. Mayowaala ahokhuma arwaka uwaalani.

⁴Waalaaawe, ipyo ikina yahomorela nceresere iphiro ni yahowaca asanuni, yaholya. ⁵Ipyo ikina yahomorela wakokotthoni, wonwo wahakhanle itthaya yinci, khipicile umela nlattu itthaya khayaakenle uttayi. ⁶Nanso, ncuwa, ukhuma waya, yahopahiya, nlattu wohikkhalana itthaya yinci mitithari cahooma. ⁷Ikina yahomorela wamwiwani, ni miwa cahoonuwa, cahomirya ipyo ni khayeemile. ⁸Ikina yahomorela itthaya yoooreera ni yunuwaka, ni inarenre, yaheema, ni wuncereriya mpaka ukhala talathini, sitiini ni iminya khila ipyo. ⁹Ni ahopwahera eeraka: Urina manyaru uwiwelela, eeweke.

Isariya yo nlikanihero

Mt 13.10-23; Lk 8.9-15

¹⁰Nahanle veekha, atthu yanrukurerya wamoca ni owiitthuca awe khumi na eeli yahonkoha manaaya nlikanihero nne. ¹¹Ahaakhula: Nyu nhovahiya ucuwelaca ikano yo omwene wa Nluku, nanso, atthu ari utaa citthu cothene anahimeriya ni malikianihero, ¹²wiira yoonaka, yoone, ni ahicuwelele; yiwaka, yiiwe, ni ahiuwehe wiira ahirukunuse mirima, aleveleliyaka itaampi caya.‡

Yesu nataphulela

nlikanihero no mayowaala

¹³Ni ahopwahera: Khanneeweheha manaaya nlikanihero nna? Nnohala mweeco, wiitthuca cani malikianihero makina ayo? ¹⁴Mayowaala nawaala nuulumo, ¹⁵ari nceresere iphiro, pha ale yahimerye nuulumo, aneewile nuulumo. Sotwani nawa waatamiha nuulumo naaliye. ¹⁶Ciicammo, ale yaakhenle ipyo mapuro ookokottho, pha ale yiinre aneewile nuulumo,

‡4:12 Isaya 6.9-10

woohipica anawaakhelela ni nrima wootteeliya, ¹⁷nanso kharina mitithari mwaale, khankhala nthiti ni yawaaka mahuviho, atthuna yomolanihacyaka nlatu wo nuulumo, wohipica anattitha. ¹⁸Ahaawo akina, anaakhela nuulumo mapuro o miiwa. Ala anawiiwa nuulumo, ¹⁹nanso nlatu woramela itthu yo ntuniyani, wothokociya ni mihakhu ni citthu cikina cinonlelaya, cinakela munrimani mwaya anattithi nuulumo ni khaneema. ²⁰Atthu anakhela nuulumo itthaya yooreera pha ale aneewa nuulumo, anaakhelela, aneewa mpaka wiima ni wincereriya talathini, sitiini ni iminya khila ipyo.

Nthuko woomwaleela

Lk 8.16-18

²¹Ahaahimerya tho: Pooti inaweesiya isamaninya nhina mwaya itthuttu atthuna vathi waya nkori? Keera ineesiya waculu mmutto? ²²Nlatu khi-wo yovithiya ihinhala wooneleliya, ni khiiwo yowipithya ihinhala ukhumela woonene. ²³Ntthu akhalanaka manyaru oowiiwelela, eeweke! ²⁴Ni ahopwahera: Mmiriyaneke ratta itthu ineewenyu. Nnowophimiya ni itthuttu inhalenyu uphimela, ni thotho nnowowincereriya. ²⁵Vano ntthu rina, nowowincereriya, ni ntthu hirina, nowowaakhiya, mpaka citthu cirinawe.

Nlikanihero no ipyo

²⁶Ni anawiira: Omwene wa Nluku uri toko ntthu avonyenre ipyo awe vathi. ²⁷Arupe, unwe, uhiyu ni uthana, ipyo inamela ni inawunuwa, ule woohicuwela cani. ²⁸Itthaya inavaha veekhaya, woopacera ntathi, wahoolo ncasi, ni umwiisoni ncasi nocara meelee. ²⁹Ni yowiima yattokotthaka, naahhepha nlatu wahophiya ukati woohhephiya.

Nlikanihero ni inuku yo nrale

Mt 13.31-32; Lk 13.18-19

³⁰Vano aheera: Ninhala ulikanihera ni isiyani omwene wa Nluku? Atthuna ninhala utaphulela ni nlikaniheroni? ³¹Uri toko inuku yo nrale, ineera inaliye vathi, iri yootepa uyeva mweenuku cothene; ³²nanso, yaaliyakaru, inawunuwa, inathatuwa mwiri muulupale woopwaha miri co mmattani ni inamwarya miritta caya mpaka asanuni o wirimu woorya uteka ipuuru muntthucini mwaya. ³³Ni malikanihero menci toko ala Yesu anaweetthuchiha nuulumo, toko woonawe wiira anawiiweha. ³⁴Khoolumacera woohikhala ni malikanihero; nanso uyo anawataphulela cothene owiitthuca awe anari veekhaya.

Yesu nammaaliha naphuvo.

Mt 8.23-27; Lk 8.22-25

³⁵Nihuku nne, unaripenle, ahaahimerya: Nrwee nilapuwele ukhopela. ³⁶Ahiyaka miphwinko, owiitthuca yahonkusa, toko caryawe nkalawani, ni cahommelela ikalawa cikina. ³⁷Vano ahokhumelela naphuvo muulupale ophyoo ni mawiimpi yanawicattakanihaca ni ikalawa mpaka yahala vakani ucara maasi. ³⁸Yesu, nari mphante wottuli wokalawa, anarupa naphitenrye nsawu. ³⁹Yahoommusa ni umwiirela: Mwalimu, khunoono wiira ninakumpwela? Unwaka, aholamulela iphyoo ni aheerela ipahari: Imaale, ihittinke! Iphyoo yahomaala, ni ipahari yothene yaheera riya-riya. ⁴⁰Wahoolo ahaahimerya: Nlattuni nkhalaka atthu oowoova osilili? Nhikupaliki? ⁴¹Yanawoova venci ni yaanahimeryana: Tipani Yoola? Hata iphyoo, ni ipahari cinamwiiwelela?

Yesu ahonvoniha ntthu ovariya ni minepa

Mt 8.28-33; Lk 8.26-34

5 Yahophiya nikhopela nikhwaya ntthiya, ilapo yo Yeraseno. ²Yesu nalapuwile ahosiceriya ni ntthu aakhuma umahiye, avariye ni nnepa woonanara. ³Akhala umahiye, ni khaawo oorya ummara, mena vakani untthuka ni unyolo, ⁴nlattu imaara cinci ahotthukiya ni unyolo mpaka wuntakaca unyolo ni unyakataca ikatiyato; khaawo oorya ummonihani. ⁵Mahuku othene anaweetta, uthana ni uhiyu mmarekhano ni mmyaakoni, akhuwaka ni eerakalihaka ni maluku. ⁶Amoonaka Yesu uttayi, ahotthimakaca ni ahonkhoromela ni ⁷ahokhuwa ni ncu nowirunya: Nyu nrinani ni miyano, Yesu Mwana a Nluku Ooculu. Nhikoopopihe! ⁸Ni khweeli, Yesu anamwiirela: Ukhume mwanthuni mu, nnepa woohiloka. ⁹Wahoolo ahonkoha: Ncina naa tipani? Ahaakhula: Mphwinko phi ncina naka, nlattu niri enci. ¹⁰Ni yahonlepela ankhanyererihaka wiira ahomoliye ntthetthe ule. ¹¹Caanalya vano ikuluwe nceresere mwaako, ¹²ni minepa coonanara cahonlepela Yesu: Nnilamulele nakele nkuluweni mmwe. ¹³Yesu ahorumelela, ni nenna nna minepa coonanara cahokhuma wantthuni ni cahokela nkuluweni, ni nikhoto nne nari toko ikuluwe elufu piili (2000) naheevonyera muntthiyani ni nahottittha. ¹⁴Ahakheli yahotthawa ni yahovira alattulaka mmawaani; na atthu enci yahowa woona itthu yeranele. ¹⁵Waphiyaya nipuro naryawe Yesu, yahomoono ntthu avariye ni minepa coonanara noonkomile, nawanre ni nakhalanne ankhili, ni yahoova. ¹⁶Asaahiti a ntthu oovariya ni minepa coonanara ni itthu

yeranele ni ikuluwe yahottonka itthu yeranele. ¹⁷Vano yahoonlepela Yesu wiira athame ilapo aya. ¹⁸Yesu ahoturuwela okalawani; ni ntthu avariye ni minepa ¹⁹Yesu khandthunihenre, nanso ahomwiirela: Urwee uwaanyaa, wamawaa ni wattonkacere citthu cothene cupankenlyaya Apwiya, ni toko ciwoonenlyaya ikiriri. ²⁰Ahokhuma wonwo, ni ahopacera uTekapoli itthu yampankenlyawe Yesu, na atthu othene yahotikhinaca.

Ulepela wa athumwane ntthu

Mt 9.18-19; Lk 8.40-42

²¹Yesu nalapuwile ntthiya ni ikalawa, ni neemenle nceresere ntthiya wahothukumana mphwinko muulupale wa atthu. ²²Ahophiya vano muulupale o nsinakoka, ehaninya Cayro, ni umoona wawe Yesu, ahonkhoromela, ²³ni ahonlepela ankhanyererihaka: Mwanaka mwanthiyana hanle vakani ukhwa; uwe unthatele matata akhale nkumi.

Uvonihiya wa nretta

Mt 9.20-22; Lk 8.43-48

²⁴Yesu ahommelela phutthariyaka ni mphwinko muulupale wamphunyereriha. ²⁵Vano, nthiyana mmoca awuva iphome iyakha khumi na piili, ²⁶ni anaweettihiya venci mmatatani mwaya mayoovoniha enci, ni arihile mihakhu cawe cothene, nanso woohiphwanya nafasi, hata iretta awe yaanavira etepacaka. ²⁷Neewile ca Yesu, ahotakaneela ni mphwinko, ni awaaka uttuli wawe ahonkwanya nihancu nawe; ²⁸aheecirela mweeco: Mena kakwanyaru cowara cawe, kimmovona. ²⁹Nananoru iphome yaheemela, ni ahoona mwirutthuni mwawe wiira ikwerere awe ihovona. ³⁰Nenna nna, Yesu, oonaka wiira ikuru awe yahokhuma mwirutthuni mwawe,

ahorukunuwela mphwinko akohaka: Kikwanyile tipani? ³¹Owiitthuca awe yahomwiirela: Unawoona wiira miphwinko cinawuphunyereriha miphantte cothene, ni unakoha: Akikwanyile tipani? ³²Nanso Yesu ahoweha nceresere aphaavelaka umoona ntthu apankile itthu ile. ³³Vano nthiyana ahocuwela ciheeranya mwirutthuni mwawe oovaka ni athukumelaka ahokhuma ahonkhoromela Yesu ni ahonhimerya citthu cothene. ³⁴Ni ule ahomwiirela: Mwanaka, ukupali waa uhowoopola. Urwee ni nnema ni uvone ikwerere aa.

Wunwelelihiya wa mwanawe Cairo

Mt 9.23-26; Lk 8.49-56

³⁵Yesu uulumacaka ninlelo yahowa atthu akina akhumaka inupa awe muulupale o nsinakoka phwiiraka: Mwana aa hokhwa. ³⁶Yesu, nanso, neewile moolumo ale, ahomwiirela muulupale o nsinakoka: Uhituthuwe, ukupaliki paahi. ³⁷Ahaateliha othene wiira: Hikivelele ntthu, hikhanle Peturu, Yakopu ni Yohani, nhimaawe Yakopu. ³⁸Uphiya waya uwaanyawe muulupale o nsinakoka, Yesu aheewa ikuttho yuulupale ya atthu enci yunlaka mpani. ³⁹Ni akelaka, ahaahimerya: Ikuttho ila wunla nwe isiyani? Mwana uyo kakhwile, narupa paahi. ⁴⁰Nanso atthu ale yaananyaa, Yesu ahaakumihera utaa atthu ale othene ni aakusaka athumwane na anumwane, na ale yammelenle, yahokela mpani mwataleliye mwanamwane. ⁴¹Ni ammaraka ntata, aheera: Mwanaka kinawulamulela, wunwe. ⁴²Nananoru mwanamwane ahoonwa ni ahopacera weetta, ari mweeco, ni iyaakha khumi na piili. Othene yahooma mwaano. ⁴³Yesu ahaalepela wiira itthu ile ihicuweliye ni ntthu, ni aholamula uvahiya yoolya mwanthiyana.

Yesu nakhottiya wakheleliya uNasaree

Mt 13.53-58; Lk 4.16-30

6Ukhuma wawe wenwe, ahorwaa wamoca ni owiitthuca awe. ²Nihuku no ntivela ahopacera wiitthuchiha nnsinakoka na atthu enci yamwiiwa, wanawooma mwaano ni yaanahimya: Inonkhuma yayi itthu ila ni ucuwelani uno uvahiyawe uno? Cinopankya cani cotikineeha nya ni ntata nawe? ³Kahi nkarapintero, mwanawe Mariya, ni nhimaawe Yakopu, Yosefi, Yutta ni Simoni? Ni asirokorawe khari ni hi? Yahoviruwaca. ⁴Yesu aheerela: Namilohi notarawiya uwaanyawe paahi, waama wawe ni wapuواني wawe. ⁵Ni wonwo khoonrye upanka cotikineeha hata mena. Ahaavooniha aretta vakani paahi, athatelaka matata. ⁶Ahotikhinaca uhikupali waatthu ale. Vano ahoviravira itthoko co wattamana eetthuchihaka wonwo.

Amitthenka anarumiya

Mt 10.5-15; Lk 9.1-6

⁷Aheehana khumi na eeli, ni ahopacera waruma eeli eeli, ni ahaavaha ikuru yolamulela minepa coonanara. ⁸Ahaalamulela wiira ahikuse itthu yoothumiri ni iphiro, wala nkatthe, wala nrupa, mena nsurukhu nyununi, akuse ikopo paahi. ⁹Aware ikwakwatta ni ahiwye ihancu piili. ¹⁰Ni ahaahimerya tho: Mwakelaka inupa, nkhale wonwo mpaka wunwa nipuro nno. ¹¹Ni mwaahaakheleliyeke nipuro nno, na atthu ale yahiwiwekeni, woothama vale, nkukutthe ntthupi no manyaa enyu, wiira ikhale itthu inthoonyera mirima caya atthu ale. ¹²Amitthenka yahorwaca ni yahaalaka atthu oottharuwela itaampi. ¹³Yahoomola minepa coonanara ciinci,

yahaattikitthela ni makhura aretta enci mpaka waavoniha.

Ukhwa wawe Yohani Mpatisa

Mt 14.1-12; Lk 9.7-9

¹⁴Mwene Heroti aheewa cuulumaceriyaka ca Yesu, nanruma ncina nawe ni anawiira: Ula phi Yohani Mpatisa oonwelenle mwaatthu ookhwa, phimaana cinawithoonyera mwa ule ikuru coopanka cotikhineeha. ¹⁵Akina yaanawiira: Phi Eliya. Akina yanalipihera: Ri nnapiyu toko anapiyu akina. ¹⁶Heroti nanso, wowiwa itthu ila anahimya eeraka: Yohani unthikinlyaka isiko phunwelenle. ¹⁷Khweeli, Heroti phalamunle utthukiya Yohani ni weesiya nkalaposo, nlattu wa Herotiyata, amwaarawe Filipe nhimaawe, anthenlyawe. ¹⁸Nlattu Yohani anamwiirela Heroti: Khunleveliya ukhalana amwaarawe nhimaa. ¹⁹Herotiyata hopophela nreca ni anathuna umwiiva, nanso khoorya, ²⁰nlattu Heroti anamoova Yohani ni, acuwelaka wiira ari ntthu ooloka ni nttakattifu, anamwaakhiha; wamwiwawe anasanka, nanso anammiriyana ni uciveliya. ²¹Nanso nahophiya nihuku nooreera, Heroti wopuwelenlyawe nihuku nayariyawe ahophavela yoolya yinci yowaavaha oolupale owahano, oolupale anakhotto, ni mamwene o Kalileya. ²²Nakenle wiina mwana nthiyana a Herotiyata wahoncivela Heroti na atthu yaalatuliye. Mwene ahomwiirela mwali: Ukilepele itthu phi itthu intthunaa ni mi kimmowuvaha. ²³Ni ahopwahera: Kimmowuvaha itthu yothene inhalaa ukilepela hata ukhalaka mwanusu omwene aka. ²⁴Mwali ahokhuma waakoha anumwane wiira: Kilepele isiyani? Ala yahaakhula: Muru wa Yohani Mpatisa. ²⁵Mwali akelaka tho nenna nna, ahonlepela mwene, eeraka:

Kintthuna uvahiya nananoru, unaheliye munttiisini muru wa Yohani Mpatisa. ²⁶Mwene ahotuthuwa, nanso nlattu woolupela wawe ni, nlattu waatthu yaalatuliye, khathunne unthuwa. ²⁷Nenna nna ahonlamulela mayorontta uwiha muru wa Yohani. Mayorontta ahorwaa nkalaposo ni ahothikila isiko ya Yohani, ²⁸ni wahoolo ahowiha muru munttiisini mpaka ummaha mwali, ni ula ahaavaha anumwane. ²⁹Ucuwela waya itthu ila owiitthuca a Yohani, yahokusa nrutthu ni yahothipela mmahiyeni.

Mikatthe cinawucereriya

Mt 14.13-21; Lk 9.10-17; Yohani 6.1-14

³⁰Amitthenka yahothukumana wa Yesu ni yahonttonkacera citthu cothene capankilyaya ni citthu cihilyaya. ³¹Ni Yesu ahaahimerya: Mmweeke, nirwe nipuro nowiipithyaa ni mmumule vakani, nlattu yaari enci jaarwa ni yaawa mpaka uhikhalana ukati woolya. ³²Vano yahorwaa ni ikalawa nipuro nowiipithyaa nahaariwo hata ntthu. ³³Yoonaka arwaka, enci yahocuwela ukitthu unkelaya. Ni mmatthokoni mothene yahorwaa, yeetaka vathi, nipuro nne, ni yahophiya nraci. ³⁴Wakhuruwawe nkalawani, Yesu ahoona mphwinko muulupale ni ahoonela ikiriri, nlattu yaari toko ikhontwaa cohikhalana nhaakheli. Vano ahopacera weethuciha ukati mwinci. ³⁵Ncuwa wakelaya uttheukuwa, owiitthuca awe yahomwattamerya nuunhimerya: Nipuro nna niri toko mwini, ni ncuwa nottheukuwa. ³⁶Walamulele urwaa mmawaani ni mmatthokoni cowattamana wiira yathume yoolya. ³⁷Ahaakhula: Mwaavahe nyenyu wa yoolya. Na ale yahonhimerya: Wothuma mikatthe cowavaha atthu ale othene, nimphavela ncurukhu iminya piili. ³⁸Yesu

ahopwahera: Nhaana mikatthe mikavi? Nrwee moone. Anakohile atthu, yahaakhula: Mikatthe mithanu ni ihopa piili. ³⁹Ahaalamulela wonkomiha atthu vakani khila nipuro mmalasini makithi. ⁴⁰Ni yaanawunkoma khila ipuwa atthu iminya ni ipuwa ikhwawe atthu hansini. ⁴¹Vano ahokusa mikatthe mithanu ni ihopa piili ni, aweehaka wirimu, ahosukurela. Ahomyaniha mikatthe ni ahaavaha owiitthuca awe wiira yakawele atthu. Ni ahaakawela ihopa piili, ⁴²na atthu ale yaholya mpaka uvona. ⁴³Ni ahocariha tho itthuttu khumi na piili ikalakathela cahanle co mikatthe ni co ihopa. ⁴⁴Vano yalilyayo mikatthe nye yaari atthu elufu thanu.

Yesu naweetta waculu maasi

Mt 14.22-33; Yohani 6.16-21

⁴⁵Nananoru ahaakhanyereriha owiitthuca awe ukela nkalawani nuulapuwela nikhopela nikhwawe no Petsayita; mwaneene alaseraka mphwinko. ⁴⁶Analasenre mphwinko ule, ahowela umwakoni, uswali. ⁴⁷Wiila waya, ikalawa yari iriyari ntthiya, ni Yesu aheemela nceresere veehawe. ⁴⁸Woono wawe wiira yahoooya weettiha ikalawa nlatu iphyoo yanavirikana, aheekamela weeraka mapikoosa, eettaka wamaasini mpaka utthuna uhapuwa. ⁴⁹Nanso owiitthuca yamoonaka weetta wamaasini yahopuwela wiira nnepa, ni yahokhuwa. ⁵⁰Othene mweeco yahomoono ni yahotuthuwa. Mwaneene nanso aholumacera, eeraka: Mpise nrima, phi mi, nhoove! ⁵¹Wahoolo, ahokela nkalawani mwariyaya, ni iphyoo yahowukuwa. Othene yanawoova venci. ⁵²Khayeeewehile ni nlelo itthu yeranele ni mikatthe nye nlatu woolipa mirima caya.

Yesu nawavoniha aretta uYenesare

Mt 14.34-36

⁵³Analapuwente ukhopela, ahophiya ilapo yo Yenesare ni ahovonyera vathi nankura. ⁵⁴Anakhumile nkalawani, atthu uwonwo yahoncuwela. ⁵⁵Yahophiya atthu enci olapo ile ni yahopacera wawiha aretta mmarepani ni aharweha nipuro nacuwenlyaya wiira phiryawe. ⁵⁶Mmatthokoni makani, itthoko cuulupale ni mmawaani, nipuro phi nipuro nakelawe yanaweesiya aretta mparaparani ni yahoonlepela wiira aleve mena ukwanyiya nlempe no nhancu awe. Na atthu othene yankwanya yanavona.

Coohiyerana co Mahumu

Mt 15.1-20

7 Mayowantikha ni mafarisi akina, akhumaka o Yerusalemu, yahothukumana ntotho wawe Yesu. ²Yahoono wiira owiitthuca awe akina yanalya nkatthe ni matata oohirya, manaaya woohinyawa. ³Mafarisi ni Ayutta othene khanlya woohinyawa ratta ratta, toko calemalenlyaya atthu ookhalayi. ⁴Waturuwaya uparasa, khayalya ihinaya unyawa; ni cihaawo tho citthu cinci cikina cimpankaya attharaka citthu cookhalayi, toko urapiha ikahi, myaapu, ni myaapu co ncukhuma ni mikori. ⁵Yahonkoha vano, mafarisi ni mayowantikha: Owiitthuca aa ahiwelelaka citthu cookhalayi, alyaka ahinyawile, isiyani? ⁶Yesu ahaakhula: Hohimya ratta nnapiyu Isayiya, awacakani nyu, atthu o mirima miili, toko cantikhiyaya: Mphwinko ula unakittitthimiha ni mattere, nanso nrima aya unkhala uttayi waka. ⁷Anakilapela vathiru,

ni yeethhucihaka malamulo a atthu paahi.[¶]

⁸Ahiyaka nlamulo na Nluku, phutharaka coohiyerana ca atthu, toko urapiha myaapu ni ikahi ni citthu cinci colikana nnya. ⁹Ni aheerela: Nnahiya nteeliyaka nlamulo na Nluku wiira nthareke coohiyerana cinyu. ¹⁰Musa, mweeco, heera:

Wattittimihe athumwanaa na anumwanaa;[§]

ni

Ntthu nohala walapha athumwane na anumwane attarusiye ni eeviye.**

¹¹Nyu nanso nneera: Ntthu nohala wahimerya athumwane atthuna anumwane: Itthu yahalaka wuvahani nyuva phi ila 'korpan' manaaya, itthu yoovahiya Apwiya. ¹²Ciicammo khanonhiyera ntthu itthu yowapankela athumwane atthuna anumwane, ¹³mmalihaka ciicammo nuulumo na Nluku nlattu wo coohiyerana cookhalayi cinvahenyu. Ni napanka citthu cinci toko nnya.

Cinapankiha atthu ukhala aharamu

¹⁴Eehanaka tho mphwinko, Yesu anawahimerya: Nkiviriyane othene, ni mwavye wiiweha. ¹⁵Khiiwo iri utaa wawe ntthu, ineera inakenle nhina mwawe, phoorya untatusa iharamu; nanso inkhuma muntthuni, ila phinoorya untatusa iharamu. ¹⁶Ntthu urina manyaru uwiiwelela, eewe! ¹⁷Wakenlyawe mpaani, nahile mphwinko, owiitthuca awe yahonkoha manaaya nlikanihero nna. ¹⁸Ahaakhula: Nyu ciicammo khaneeweha? Khannocuwela wiira, citthu cothene co utaa cinkela muntthuni, khacinoorya untatusa

iharamu, ¹⁹nlattu khinkela munrimani, nanso nnapwiiwini mwawe, ni wahoolo inakhumela wanipuroni waya? Ciicale anahimya wiira coolya cothene cooreera. ²⁰Ni ahohimya tho: Itthu inkhuma muntthuni, yeeyo phinontatusa iharamu. ²¹Nlattu nhina nrima wantthu phinkhumaya moopuwelo oonanara: ulavalava, wiinya, wiiva, ²²uraruwa, isoyo, wunlela coonanara, uthepya, uhilemeliha irutthu, urama, ukufuru, wiicona, uhiwacera itthu yomaana. ²³Citthu nnye cothene coonanara cinkhuma nhina, ni cinantatusa ntthu nharamu.

Nthiyana Nkananeyu

Mt 15.21-28

²⁴Akhoodaka nipuro nne, ahorwaa nttette wo Tiro ni wo Sittoniya. Ahokela mpani ni khatthuna wiira acuweliye ni ntthu, nanso khoonrye wiipitha. ²⁵Vano wohipica nthiyana arina mwanawe mwanthiyana avariye ni nnepa woonanara weewilyawe wuulumaciya ca Yesu, ahowa unkhormela wamettoni wawe. ²⁶Ari nthiyana nsenci, olapo yo Siriya-Fenisiya, ni ananlepela wiira oomole ncini wa mwanawe. ²⁷Ahaakhula: Wareerihe, toko, avone oopacera asaana; wona khavanreera ukusa nkatthe wa asaana ni warihela asilapwa! ²⁸Ale mweeco, yahomwakhula: Khweeli, Pwiya, nanso hata asilapwa analya vathivaya meeca coolya ca asaana cimmora-mora. ²⁹Yesu ahomwiirela: Nlattu wo nuulumo nna, urweke, ncini nookhuma mwa mwanaa. ³⁰Ahoturuwela uwaani ni ahomphwanyu mwamhima nonkomile wakorini. Ncini nahonhiya.

[¶]7:7 Isaya 29.13

[§]7:10 Ukhuma 20.12; Dt 5.16

**7:10 Ukhuma 21.17; Lv 20.9

Ntthu oohiiwa ni oohuulumaca navonihiya

³¹Nakhumile tho nttette wo Tiro, ahowela o Sittoniya, mpaka ntthiya no Kalileya, aphulanihaka nttette wo Kapole. ³²Yahomwiihera ntthu oohiwa, ni wanrikarikela wuulumaca, ni yahonlepela wiira anthatele ntata. ³³Yesu antamihaka waatthuni ahonhela makokho mmanyaruni ahonsuwela ni ukwanya nlimi ni isene. ³⁴Ni awusaka miitho wirimu ahohihimerya, eeraka: 'Effatha' manaaya 'wiihule.' ³⁵Manyaru yahonhulya namarweele, nlimi nawe nahontthukuwa ni ahopacera wuuluma ratta. ³⁶Yesu aheera wiira hinhimerye ntthu itthu yeraneele, nanso waatepawe waateliha, phaatepaya umwarusela. ³⁷Atikhinacaka, yaanawiira: Cothene nopanka cotikhineeha, heewiha atthu uhiwa, ni wuulumaciha atthu oohuulumaca.

Mikathe cinawincereriya imaara yonapiili

Mt 15.32-39

8 Mahuku ale, ukhala wiira wahothukumana tho mphwinko muulupale na atthu khayarina yoolya, Yesu aheehana owiitthuca awe ni ahaahimerya: ²Ukiiriha ihaaya mphwinko ula. Nna va ahovira mahuku mararu anari ni mi ni kharina yoolya. ³Kaalaseraka ciicale woohilyetthu, wiira arwe mmwanyaya anaahala ukhwa mahile ni iphiro, kontha akina akhumile uttayi. ⁴Owiitthuca awe yahomwaakhula: Nohala woorya cani ntthu waaliha nkatthe, watakhwani va? ⁵Nanso ahaakoha: Nrina mikathe mikavi? Yahaakhula: Mithanu na miili. ⁶Aholamula wiira atthu yunkome vathi. Ni, akusaka mikathe mithanu na miili,

ahoreeriha, ahomyaniha ni ahaavaha owiitthuca awe, wiira yakawele na ale yahaakawela atthu. ⁷Yahaana tho asihopa vakani. Ahoreeriha ni aholamula wiira yaakawele. ⁸Yaholya mpaka urupala, ni ikalakathela cahanle nyo owiitthuca awe yahottottela itthutu thanu na piili. ⁹Atthu ale yaari elufu cese (4000). Wahoolo ahaalaser. ¹⁰Ni awelaka vano nkalawani ni owiitthuca awe, ahorwaa mittette co Talmanuta.

Mafarisi analepela ikanyero

Mt 16.1-4

¹¹Yahowa mafarisi yapacene unyakulihana ni Yesu ni woontteha yahoonlepela ikanyero yo wirimu. ¹²Yesu ahihimeryaka ni nrima wothene, aheera: Nlattuni weesiyani nihimo nna ninalepelela ikanyero? Khweeli kinawuhimeryani wiira nihimo nna khaninhala uvahiya ikanyero hata vakani. ¹³Ni aahiyaka, ahokela nkalawani, mpaka ulapuwela ikhopela ikina.

Miropo co mafarisi ni ca Heroti

Mt 16.5-12

¹⁴Owiitthuca yaholiyala uwyu mikathe, ni nkalawani khayaarina tho waari nkatthe mmoca paahi. ¹⁵Yesu aheerela: Moone, nkhal miitho mmwehaka ratta miropo co mafarisi ni miropo ca Heroti. ¹⁶Na ale yahopacera uvanyihana, yoopuwelaka wiira waaciye uhikhalana nkatthe. ¹⁷Yesu nanso, weewilyawe moolumo ale, ahaahimerya: Nlattu isiyani moopelaka mwaha o itthu yohikhalana nkatthe? Nanlelo khannahelelela ni khanneeweha? Nri ni nrima woturumala. ¹⁸Nhaana miitho ni kannoona? Nhana manyaru

nanso kanneewa ni khannopuwela.^{††}
¹⁹Itthuttu kavi coocara ni coohala caattottenlenyu, wamyanihilyaka mikatthe mithanu kaakawelaka atthu elufu thanu? Yahaakhula: Khumi na piili. ²⁰Ni wamyanihilyaka mikatthe saapa pwaavahaka atthu elufu cese, mwacarihile itthuttu kavi cokalakathela co mikatthe? Yahaakhula: Saapa. ²¹Ni anaweerela: Nanlelo khanneewa?

Ntthu oohoona navonihiya

²²Yesu ni owiitthuca awe yahophiya o Petsayita ni yahomwiihera ntthu oohoona, anlepelaka wiira ankwanye. ²³Ahommarela ntata ntthu oohoona ni ahonrweha nceresere itthoko, ahonhela isenye mmithoni mwawe, ahonthatela matata nuunkoha: Unawoonaka itthu? ²⁴Ule ahoteesa miitho ni aheerela: Kinawoona atthu, yeetaka ankhala toko miri. ²⁵Ahonthatela tho matata mmiithoni, ni ule ahopacera woona uparapara, ni ahovona, oonaka rattaratta uttayi ni uparapara cithu cothene. ²⁶Yesu vano ahonlamulela urwaa uwaani, ni ahomwiirela: Uhikele mena umawaani.

Peturu nanrumelela Yesu Mwana a Nluku

Mt 16.13-20; Lk 9.18-21

²⁷Yesu ahoonwa na owiitthuca awe, akelaka umawaani co Sesareya wo Filipe. Mphironi ahaakoha owiitthuca awe, eeraka: Atthu ayo aneera wiira Mi kipani? ²⁸Yahomwiirela: Yohani Mpatisa, akina Eliya, ni akina tho aneera wiira uri mmoca mwa anapiyu. ²⁹Ni ahaakoha: Ni nyu nneera Mi kipani? Peturu ahaakhula: We uri

Kristu.^{‡‡} ³⁰Ahaalamulela vano, wiira ahinhimerye ntthu itthu ila.

Yesu nahimya imaara yoopacera wiira naahala uhuvihya ni wiiviya

Mt 16.21-23; Lk 9.22

³¹Wahoolo ahopacera weethuciha wiira Mwanawe Pinattamu naahala uhuva venci ni ukhottiya ni mahumu, ni oolupale a mayasataka, ni mayowantikha, mpaka wiiviya ni wunwelela anavinre mahuku mararu; ³²ni anawahimerya itthu ila wohakuwa-khuwa. Peturu ahomwiihana Yesu ni ahopacera unkuphula. ³³Yesu nanso arukunuwaka, ni awehaka owiitthuca ahonkuphula Peturu, eeraka: Uthame wiitho aka, Sotwani, kontha khummwacera cithu ca Nluku, nanso paahi cithu ca atthu.

³⁴Eehanaka mphwinko wa atthu wamoca ni owiitthuca awe, aheerela: Ntthu, atthunaka ukitthara, eerune mwaneene, akuse nsalapa awe ni akitthare.^{¶¶} ³⁵Nlattu, ntthu nohala uphavela woopola ukumi^{§§} awe unanrihya, ni unhala unrihya nlattu wo miyano, ni nlattu wo Nhupi Wooreera nowowopola. ³⁶Enhala ukhuma isiyani, ntthu uphwanya ittuniya yothene ni arihaka nnepa awe? ³⁷Atthuna ntthu nohala uvaha isiyani wo wakakhaniha nnepa awe? ³⁸Ntthu mweeco nohala wuliya muru nlattu wo Miyano ni nlattu wo moolumo aka wamiithoni wanloko nna nookosakosa nimwalaanne ni Mi, ciicammo, Mwanawe Pinattamu naahala wuliya muru nlattu wa ale aphiyaka o nnemani wa Athumwane wamoca ni Ancelo attakattifu.

^{††}8:18 *Isaya 6.9-10*

^{‡‡}8:29 *Yohani 6.68-69*

^{¶¶}8:34 *Mt 10.38; Lk 14.27*

^{§§}8:35 *Mt 10.39; Lk 17.33; Yohani 12.25*

9 Yesu ahaahimerya tho: Khweeli kinawuhimeryani wiira akina mwaala ari vava kxanhala ukhwa ahinaya woota omwene wa Nluku uwaka ni ikuru caya.

Wiitatusa wa Yesu

Mt 17.1-8; Lk 9.28-36

²Anavinre mahuku siita, Yesu ahaakusa Peturu, Yakopu ni Yohani, ni ahaaweliha veekhaya, mwaako woorekama. Ni aheetatusa wamiithoni waya. ³Coowara cawe cahothatuwa coowarya, cooteela usilili toko khaawo mayokattha vathiva uwoorya utteeliha ciicale. ⁴Ahaakhumelela Eliya wamoca ni Musa ni ooyeli yanawuulumaca ni Yesu. ⁵Peturu ahomwiirela Yesu: Mwalimu oreera ukhala vava, niteke marapattha mararu, nimoca na waa, nikina na Musa nikhwawe na Eliya. ⁶Kontha khayaacuwela itthu yaahimerya nlatu yanawoova venci. ⁷Ni nahokhuruwa nihutte nakhunenle ni ntthuuci, ni nahokhuma ncu nnihutteni neera: Ula mwanaka oofentiya. Yooyo mwiiwe. ⁸Nenna nna, awehaka, khayamoonne tho ntthu, ari Yesu veekhawe.

⁹Wakhuruwaya mmwakoni, Yesu ahaalamulela wiira ahihimerye ntthu itthu yoonyaya, mpaka wahooo Mwanawe Pinattamu nonwelenle mwaatthu ookhwa. ¹⁰Ale yahothara moolumo ale, nanso yaanakohana ayayoru manaaya, 'wunwelela mwaatthu ookhwa.' ¹¹Ni yahonkoha yiiraka: Mayowantikha aneerelani wiira woopacera Eliya phinhala uwa? ¹²Ahaakhula: Aye, Eliya, awaaka woopacera naahala weesa wanipuroni waya citthu cothene, nanso yantikhiye isiyani ya Mwanawe Pinattamu, wiira nalamuliya uhuva venci, nuunyoholiya.

¹³Ni mi mweeco kinawuhimeryani: Eliya ahowa, ni yahompankela cothene catthunaya, toko caantikhiye.*

Yesu ahonvonihana ntthu oowerenya icilicili

Mt 17.14-21; Lk 9.37-43

¹⁴Naphile waryaya owiitthuca awe ahoona mphwinko muulupale wa athu warukurenrye ayoca, ni mayowantikha anyakulihanaka na ale. ¹⁵Amoonakaru Yesu yahotikhina ni yahotthimakaca unkoha isalama. ¹⁶Ni ule ahaakoha ale: Nnonyakulihanani? ¹⁷Ntthu mmoca mwa mphwinko ule, ahomwiirela: Mwalimu, kihowiihera mwanaka, rina nnepa woohuulumaca. ¹⁸Wammaraka vale, unamphatela vathi ni ule napacera ukhuma niphoooru, ucekesa miino ni phuumaka teyeye. Kihaaalepela owiitthuca aa wiira yoomole ncini, nanso khayoonrye. ¹⁹Yesu aheerela: Nyu, nloko noohikupali, kinhala ukhala ni nyu mpaka yakhani? Kinhala wuvilelani mpaka yakhani? Nkiwiihere woota. ²⁰Yahommwi-ihera. Nimoonaakaru Yesu, ncini nahompukunyaa mwanhima ni ikuru, mpaka umphatela vathi, ni ahopacera uphirikyaa akhumaka niphoooru mwano. ²¹Yesu ahaakoha athumwane: Itthu ile inomwiiryanyaa ikhumelo yakhani. Na ale yahaakhula: Ikhumelo mwanamwane, ²²ni imaara cinci nahommonyera wamooroni ni mmasini wiira amwiive, nanso wooryaka vale upanka itthu, unoonene ikiriri, nuunikhavihere. ²³Yesu ahomwiirela: Wooryaka! Ntthu nokupali citthu cothene cinawooryanyaa. ²⁴Nenna nna, athumwane mwana oyo yahokhuwa: Kinakupali; nkikavihere uhukupali waka! ²⁵Yesu, oonaka wiira athu enci yanawa, aholamulela nnepa wootanara

*9:13 Malakiya 4.5

ni aheerela: Nnepa wohuulumaca ni wohiwa, Mi kinawulamulela, ukhume wamwana ola, nuuhinturuwele tho. ²⁶Ni nnepa, ukhuwaka ni wicipulacaka ni ikuru, wahokhuma. Mwanhima ahokhala toko ookhwa, mpaka aththu enci wiira hokhwa. ²⁷Nanso, ammaraka ntata, Yesu ahommusa, ni ule aheemela.

²⁸Ukelawawe mpani, owiitthuca yahonkoka veekhawe: Nlattuni hiyano khanoonrye woomola? ²⁹Ahaakhula: Nloko nna ninoomoliya ni iswali ni utthuka paahi.

**Yesu nahimya imaara yonapili
uhuva ni ukhwa wawe**

Mt 17.22-23; Lk 9.43b-45

³⁰Akhumaka wonwo yahottupulaniha ilapo yo Kalileya, ni Yesu khatthuna wiira acuweliye ni ntthu, ³¹nlattu anavira eetthucihaka owiitthuca awe ni anaweerela: Mwanawe Pinattamu naahala urwehiya mmatatani mwaatthu anhala umwiiva, nanso, nakhwile nowowunwelela anavinre mahuku mararu. ³²Nanso ayo khayeewehile nuulumo nne, ni yanamoova unkoha.

**Tipani nohala ukhala
muulupale cinene?**

Lk 9.49-50

³³Yahophiya uKafarnaum, ni, anari uwaani, Yesu ahaakoha: Mwavanyihanani mphironi? ³⁴Yahomaalaca, nlattu mphironi yanavanyihana ayayoru, wiira tipani ri muulupale mwaale. ³⁵Unkomaka, Yesu aheehana owiitthuca awe khumi na eeli ni ahaahimerya: Ntthu aphaavelaka ukhala muulupale, eepanke mwankani mwaatthu, ni akhale nrumeyi a aththu othene. ³⁶Ni ankusaka mwanamwane, ahomweesa iriyari aya, ahommarela ni aheerela: ³⁷Ntthu nomwaakhela

mwanamwane toko ula mwancina naka, nokaakhela Miyano, ni ntthu nokaakhela Mi, khankaakhela Mi, nanso Ule kirumile.

Ntthu hinoniina, nawiraana ni hi.

Lk 9.49-50

³⁸Yohani ahonhimerya: Mwalimu, nihomoona ntthu oomolaka macini mwancina naa, ni ntthu ule khannithara, ni nihomwaateliha. ³⁹Yesu ahaahimerya: Nhimwaatelihe, nlattu khaawo nopanka cotikhineeha mwancina naka phukaapa mi nenna nna. ⁴⁰Ntthu hinoniina, nawiraana ni hi. ⁴¹Ntthu novahani ikoopu yo maasi wiira mmurye nlattu wokhala owiitthuca awe Kristu, khweeli, kinawuhimeryani, khankela ahalelaka itthuvo awe mena vakani.

Cookosiha

Mt 18.6-9; Lk 17.1-2

⁴²Ntthu nohala unkosiha mmoca mwaasinamwane ala ankikupali Mi, fatari atthukeleliye nsiko mmo nsilo noosileliya ni avonyeriye mpaharini. ⁴³Ntata naa nookosihaka, uthikile. Unareera ukela wokumini ni ntata noopahuwa, wahohiyana ukhalana matata oomeli ni urwaa umooroni oohinttiphyaa. ⁴⁴Wonwo uhinkhwa asunku, ni mooro khunttiphyaa.† ⁴⁵Nnya naa nookosihaka, uthikile. Unareera ukela wokumini unapahuwile, wahohiyana ukhalana oomeli uvonyeriyaka umooroni. ⁴⁶Wonwo uhinkhwa asunku, ni mooro khunttiphyaa. ⁴⁷Ni niitho naa nookosihaka, uphele. Unareera ukela umweneni wa Nluku ni niitho nimoca, wahohiyana ukhalana oomeli uvonyeriyaka umooroni. ⁴⁸Wonwo uhinkhwa asunku, ni mooro khunttiphyaa. ⁴⁹Phimaana khula

†9:44 Isaya 66.24

ntthu naahala ulukiya ni mooro.
⁵⁰Maakha phi itthu yooreera; nanso yathatuwaka ooririya, ammolukiya ni isiyani? Nkhalaneke maakha mwanu ni mweetteke ni mpuha ntthu ni nkhwawe.

Uthelana khumwalaaniya

Mt 19.1-12; Lk 16.18

10 Nakhumile wonwo, ahokela nttetthe wo Yutteya ni ukhopela mooloko Yorttani, ni mphwinko unathukumanne tho nipuro naryawe, anaweehtuciha tho, toko calemalenlyawe.

²Yahomwattamerya mafarisi ni yahonkoha anttehaka: Iri yooreera nlopwana wamwalaana amwaarawe?

³Ahaakhula: Musa holamulenleni isiyani? ⁴Yahomwaakhula: Musa holevela waavaha iwarakha yoomwalaana, ni waahiya. ⁵Yesu ahaakhula tho: Nlattu woolipa winyu nrima phuvahilyaweni nlamulo nno. ⁶Nanso, wupattusoni wolapo, Nluku ahompanka nlopwana ni nthiyana. ⁷Phimaana, nlopwana naahala waahiya athumwane na anumwane ni nokookhala na amwaarawe. ⁸Ni ooyeli ankookhala irutthu imoca. Phimaana, khankhala tho eeli, nanso irutthu imoca. ⁹Vano, yooluttanihiya ni Nluku, khimwalaanihiya ni ntthu.

¹⁰Anaphile uwaani, owiitthuca awe yahonkoha tho itthu ile.

¹¹Yesu ahaahimerya: Ntthu nohala wamwalaana amwaarawe ni waathela akina, neetta uluva ni nthiyana ule, ¹²ni nthiyana ammwalanaka mannawe nuutheliya ni nkina, neetta uluva.

Yesu nawareeriha amirawo

Mt 19.13-15; Lk 18.15-17

¹³Yahomwiihera asinamwane wiira aakwane, nanso owiitthuca yahakuphula ale yawihile asaana.

¹⁴Yesu, oonaka itthu ile ahonyoniya ni aheerela: Mwalevele, amirawo akiweele, ni nhoodole, nlattu omwene wa Nluku uri wa waya. ¹⁵Khweeli kinawuhimeryani, ntthu hinhala waakhela omwene wa Nluku toko mmirawo, kxanhala ukela wonwo. ¹⁶Wahoolo ahaakusa vayawani phwathatelaka matata ni ahaareeriha.

Oothaciri wowoopiha

Mt 19.16-22; Lk 18.18-23

¹⁷Wakhumilyawe eettaka ni iphiro, ahomwattamerya ntthu atthimakacaka, ni akhoromelaka ahonkoha: Mwalimu ooreera, kipankekeni wiira kiphwane ukumi woohimala?

¹⁸Yesu ahonhimerya: Nnokihanelani ooreera? Khaawo ooreera hixhanle Nluku paahi. ¹⁹Unacuwela malamulo: Uhiive, uheette uluva, uhiinye, uhoothe, uhithepye, waalemelihe athumwanaa na anumwanaa.¹

²⁰Ahomwaakhula: Mwalimu, cothene nnya kihosunka ikhumelo mmirawo.

²¹Yesu ammwehecesaka, ahomfenta, ni ahomwaakhula: Inawuhaleela itthu imoca paahi; Urwee, watumihe citthu cothene cirinaa, waavahе nsurukhu uyo atthu oothwenya, ni ommokhalana nhakhu wirimu; uwe ni ukitthare. ²²Nanso, weewilyawe moolumo ale, ahothulana ni ahothama ni icuku, nlattu arina mihakhu cinci.

²³Awehaka nceresere, Yesu aheerela owiitthuca awe: Urikarika venci, atthu oothaciri ukela wumweneni

¹10:8 Mpattuwelo 2.24

¹10:19 Ukhuma 20.12-16; Dt 5.16-20

wa Nluku. ²⁴Owiitthuca wahooma uwanoni, wowiwa moolumo ala. Nanso Yesu ahopwahera: Asaana aka, cirikarikilyaya ukela wumweneni wa Nluku, ale ankhuluvela mihakhu. ²⁵Khavarikile uvira nkamira mwiiithe wo sinkano, uhohiyana ukela thaciri wumweneni wa Nluku. ²⁶Ale yahotikhina wootepa nanlelo ni yanawiirelana ayayoru: Vano, tupani nohala woopwa! ²⁷Awehecesaka, Yesu ahaakhula: Na atthu khinooryaniya, nanso ni Nluku citthu cothene cinawooryaniya. ²⁸Peturu ahopacera unhimerya: Hi nihohiya cothene nihottharani. ²⁹Yesu ahaakhula: Khweeli kinawuhimeryani wiira khaawo ntthu nohala uhiya inupa awe, asunnawe, asiroporawe, athumwane na anumwane, asaana atthuna imatta awe nlattu wo Miyano, ni nlattu wo Nhupi Wooreera, ³⁰phihaakhela mpaka imaara iminya, nanano ukati ula urihula, inupa, asunnawe, asiroporawe, anumwane, asaana ni imatta, wamoca ni womolanihaciya, ni wahoolo ukumi woohimala. ³¹Enci oopacera ankokhala uwiheerya, ni uwiheerya ankokhala oopacera.

Yesu nahimya imaara yoneeraru coohuva ni ukhwa wawe

Mt 20.17-19; Lk 18.31-34

³²Owiitthuca yaanaweetta ni iphiro, awelaka uYerusalemu, ni Yesu anaweetta uhoolo waya. Yanatikhina ni yaananthara ni woova. Ahaakusa tho owiitthuca khumi na eeli, ahopacera wahimerya itthu yahala umwiiranela, ³³eeraka: Mwiiwe, ninawela oYerusalemu, ni Mwanawe Pinattamu naahala urwehiya mmatatani moolupale a mayasataka ni mayowantikha, na ale anaahala ummaanala umwiiva nuunrweha waasenci. ³⁴Anaahala untarawa,

unsuwela wiitho, umwapsyulaca numwiiva, nanso nihuku noneeraru naahala wunwelela.

Ulepela wa asaana a Sepetteu.

Mt 20.20-28

³⁵Yakopu ni Yohani, asaana a Sepetteu, yahomwattamerya ni yahomwiirela: Mwalimu, nimphavela, unipankele yothene inhalehu wulepela. ³⁶Yesu ahaakoha: Nnophavela kuu-pankeleni isiyani? ³⁷Yahomwaakhula: Wumweneni waa, nunkome, mmoca mono nlopwana, ni nkina mono nthiyana. ³⁸Yesu ahaakhula: Khannocuwela itthu inlepeleenyu. Nnawoorya uwurya ikoopu inhalaka uwurya, ni waakhela upatiso unhalaka waakhela? ³⁹Yahomwaakhula: Aye, ninawoorya. Yesu ahaahimerya: Nnowowurya ikoopu inhalaka uwurya, ni nnowopatisiya ni upatiso unhalaka upatiseriyu, ⁴⁰nanso, wunkoma mono nlopwana atthuna nthiyana kahi phi Mi kinvaha, anovahiya ale asunkeriye. ⁴¹Akina khumi, yiiwakaru itthu ile, yahonyonyiya ni Yakopu ni Yohani. ⁴²Yesu aheehana ni aheerela: Nhocuwela cimpanya alamuli onlaponi wiira acuwanehe iyulupale aya mmalokoni ni mahumu aya. ⁴³Nanso ni nyuva khunhala ukhala commo. Ntthu nophavela ukhala muulupale mwa nyu eepanke nrumeyi, ⁴⁴ni nophavela ukhala oopacera mwa nyu eepanke ipottha ya atthu othene, ⁴⁵nlattu Mwanawe Pinattamu khaawile uvareliya nteko, nanso uvara nteko ni uvaha ukumi awe wiira oopole atthu enci.

Ooohona o Yeriko

Mt 20.29-34; Lk 18.35-43

⁴⁶Yahophiya uYeriko. Wakhumaya uYeriko ni owiitthuca awe, ni mphwinko muulupale, Partimeu,

mayoolepela ohoona, mwanawe Timeu, ahonkoma nceresere iphiro aphaavelaka ulola. ⁴⁷Weewilyawe wiira Yesu o Nasaree anavira, ahokhuwa: Yesu, Mwanawe Taviti, ukoonene ikiriri. ⁴⁸Atthu enci yanankuphula wiira ammaalihe, nanso anapwaha ukuhuwa khula imaara wootepa eeraka: Mwana a Taviti, ukoonene ikiriri. ⁴⁹Yesu aheemela ni aheera: Mmwiihane. Yahomwiihana nthu uhoona yiiraka: Ulupe nrima, wunwe, nawiihana. ⁵⁰Ni ule, arulaka ikacako awe, ahotupha ni ahorwaa waYesu. ⁵¹Yesu ahonkoha: Untthuna kupankele isiyani? Ohoona ahaakhula: Mwalimu, koone. ⁵²Yesu ahonhimerya: Urwee, ikupalelo aa ihowoopola. Ni nananoru ahoona ni ahontthara Yesu mphironi.

Yesu nakela atthapeliyaka uYerusalemu.

Mt 21.1-17; Lk 19.28-40; Yohani 12.12-19

11 Naattamenrye uYerusalemu, vakhiviru ni Petifaki ni Petaniya, cocco ni mwako Olivera, Yesu ahaaruma owitthuca awe eeli, ²ni ahaahimerya: Nrwee iwaani yowaattamana, mwakelaka nnamphwanya mwaapuru ootthukiya, hinaya uweliya ni nthu. Mwanthukule ni nkiwiihere. ³Akhalaka nthu nookohani, nlattuni mpankaka ciicammo. Mwaakhule Apwiya anamphavela, ni ankowuturuselani wowakuvyaca. ⁴Yahorwaa phumphwanyaka mwaapuru natthukeleliye wankhorani, mphante wovate woluwani, ni yahontthukula. ⁵Ni atthu yaari wonwo yahokoha: Nnpankani muntthukulaka mwaapuru? ⁶Yahaakhula toko Yesu cahimenrawe, ni yahaahiya urwaca.

⁷Yahonrwehela Yesu mwaapuru uyo, yahonkhunela cowara caya, ni Yesu ahomwela. ⁸Atthu enci yaanawatala cowara caya mphironi, akina yamwarusela miritha cikithi caathikinlyaya mmattani. ⁹Atthu yahoonle na ale yantthara yanakuwa: Hosaana, noreeriya nowa mwancina na Apwiya. ¹⁰Uhoreeriya omwene umwa wa athumwanihu Taviti. Hosaana wonculu.[§] ¹¹Ahophiya uYerusalemu, Yesu ahokela Inupa ya Nluku, ni namanle uweha citthu cothene canrukurenrye, wahokhala yocoocilo, ahokhuma, phurwaka uPetaniya ni owiitthuca awe khumi na eeli.

Mwiri wo nhokorokho oonalaphiya

Mt 21.18-22

¹²Wasilyaya wicisu wakhumaya uPetaniya, Yesu yahommola itala. ¹³Oonaka uttayi mwiri wonhokorokho waari ni matakuru aya makithi, ahorwaa uweha wakhala wiira uhaawo nhokorokho wowiima, nanso attameryaka, khaphwanyile, aphwanyile matakuru paahi, kontha khawari ukati wowiima mihokorokho. ¹⁴Aheerela vano: Hikhale tho nohala ulya cowiima caa. Ni owiitthuca awe yaheewa itthu ile.

Mayothumiha anawomoliya.

Mt 21.12-17; Lk 19.45-48

¹⁵Yahophiya uYerusalemu, ni akelaka Inupa ya Nluku ahopacera woomola mayothumiha, na ale yathuma wonwo, ahokakhela vathi meeca a atthu yaakakhaniha, ni ihice ca atthu yathuma ikhunnta. ¹⁶Ni khaalevela wiira ikusiye itthu yakhuma Inupa ya Nluku. ¹⁷Ni anaweetthuchiha eeraka: Ihantikhiya:

[§]11:10 Macipo 118.25-26

Inupa aka inowowihaninya inupa yoswali uneethi wothene.**

Nanso nyu nhotatusa nikhuku na namwiinya.†† 18 Oolupale a mayasataka ni mayowantikha yaheewa itthu ile, ni yaanaphavela mananna umwiiva, nanso yaanamoova, nlatu mphwinko wothene wanawuminya mwaano ni meetthuchiho awe. 19 Wiila waya, yahorwaa utaa waya iparasa.

Mwiri wonhokorokho unawuma.

20 Uvira waya, wicisu, yahoona mwiri wonhokorokho unoomile, ni mitithari caya cothene. 21 Ni Peturu oopuwelaka, ahomwiirela Yesu: Wooneke mwalimu, mwiri wonhokorokho ulaphilyaa, uhooma. 22 Yesu aheerela: Munkupali Nluku. 23 Khweeli kinawuhimeryani, ntthu eerelaka mwako ula: 'Wiiphele nipuro niryaa wivonyere upahari', ni ahaanyihereke munrimani mwawe nanso akupaliki wiira itthu ihimilyawe inaahala wiiranyaa; khweeli, inawiranyaa. 24 Phimaana, kinawuhimeryani wiira cithu cothene cinhalenyu ulepela nswaliki, nkupaliki wiira nnawaakhela, ni nnapattha. 25 Mwemelaka vale wiira nswali, mwakhalanaka mwamweetthu ni nkhwiinyu, munleveleke wiira Athumwaninyu, ari wirimu, yuuleveleleni cookosa cinyu. 26 Nlatu, mwahaleveleleke akhwinyu, Athumwaninyu ari wirimu kxanhala ulevelele cookosa cinyu.

Ikuru awe Yesu yoolamula

Mt 21.23-27; Lk 20.1-8

27 Yahoturuwela uYerusalemu, ni Yesu eettaka Mpani mwaNluku, oolupale a mayasataka, mayowantikha ni mahumu, yahomwaattamerya 28 ni yahoonkoha: Umpanka cithu

nya ni nlamulo nawani? Ulamulenle tipani upanka cithu nnya? 29 Yesu ahaakhula: Hata ni mi, kinawukohani itthu. Nkaakhule vano kinaahala wuhimeryani cineeraka woopanka cithu nnya ni nlamulo nawani. 30 Upatisu wa Yohani waari wo wirimu, atthuna wa atthu? Nkaakhule. 31 Yahopacera ukohana ayayoru, yiiraka: Neeraka, wo wirimu, naahala wiira, 'Nhinkupalenleni mweeco?' 32 Neeraka, wa atthu, ninawoova mphwinko. Nlatu othene yanamoona Yohani toko nnapiyu. 33 Umwiisoni yahomwaakhula: Khanincuwela. Ni Yesu aheerela: Hata ni Mi akinohimeryani ni nlamulo nawani kimpankaka cithu nnya.

Nlikanihero na mayolima imatta yo vinyu.

Mt 21.33-46; Lk 20.9-19

12 Yesu ahopacera woolumacera ni malikanihero: Ahaawo ntthu aanle imatta yo vinyu, ahopophela nkucu, ahothipa nlitti no waameliya ivinyu ni ahoteka ipwaro. Wahoolo ahaahiyera ananteko arwaka ikwaha awe yoottayi. 2 Ukati woohephiya, ahonruma nrumeyi awe wiira aakhele nuusu no cowiima co mmattani. 3 Ale nanso, yahommara, yahomwaatta nuunturusela uttuli wohiitthu. 4 Ni ahonruma nrumeyi nkina. Ni uyo tho yahompwesa muru ni yahontarawa venci. 5 Ahonruma nkina, ni ule yahomwiiva. Ahaaruma akina enci, na ale yahaatta ni akina weeva. 6 Nahalenle nlelo mwanawe oofentiya, umwisoni ahonruma ule, eeraka: Anaahala unlemeliha mwanaka. 7 Nanso, ananteko yaheerelana ayayoru: Ule phinkokhalana imatta

** 11:17 Isaya 56.7

†† 11:17 Yeremiya 7.11

ila! Nrwee, nimwiive, ni imatta inakhala yawihu. ⁸Yahommara ni yahomwiiva, nuunrihela nceresere imatta. ⁹Mwaneene imatta ile nohala upankani? Nahala uturuwa ni weeva ananteko ayo, ni wahoolo, naahala waavaha imatta ananteko akina. ¹⁰Khansomile cowantikhiya cittakattifu?

Nluku nikhottiye ni mayoteka, nihothatuwa nluku no wanlothoni nowokolela inupa.

¹¹Itthu ila inkhuma wa Apwiya, ni iri yoothamaliya wamiithoni wihu. ^{‡‡}

¹²Yaanaawavya ummara, nanso yanawoova mphwinko, nlattu yaheeweha ratta, wiira nlikanihero nne naaca yaayo. Yahonhiya ni yahorwaca.

Nsoko wa Sesari.

Mt 22.15-22; Lk 20.19-26

¹³Wahoolo yahonrumihela mafarisi ni maherotiyano akina wiira ammare mmoolumoni. ¹⁴Amwaattameryaka yahomwiirela: Mwalimu, nihocuwela wiira uri nlopwana eekhweli, khaawo nonramelaa, nlattu khumweha makhalelo a ntthu, nanso unawiitthuciha iphiro ya Nluku, toko cinkhalaya yeekhweli. Unihimerye, iri itthu yooloka atthuna yoohiloka unvaha nsoko Sesari? Ninvahe atthuna nihinvahe? ¹⁵Yesu acuwelaka wototha waya, ahaakhula: Nnokitthacerani? Nkiwiihere nikopiri, koone. ¹⁶Yahomwiihera ni ahaakoha: Yawani ila yocaphariya, ni yowantikhiya ila? Yahaakhula: Ya Sesari. ¹⁷Yesu aheerela: Mumvahe Sesari itthu ya Sesari, ni Nluku itthu ya Nluku. Ni yahotikhinaca venci.

Nlahanya wo wunwelela

Mt 22.23-33; Lk 20.27-40

¹⁸Wahoolo yahowa masatuseu, ale aneera khuwo wunwelela wa atthu ookhwa, yahomwaattamerya, ni yahonkoha Yesu: ¹⁹Mwalimu, Musa honantikhela wiira ntthu ankhwelaka munnawe, pwahiyaka amwaarawe woohikhalana asaana, nhimaawe nolamuliya unthela nthiyana oohinnya wiira ahiye ipyo ya munnawe. ^{¶¶} ²⁰Vano yahaawo asunna saapa, ni oopacera uyo ahonthela ni ahokhwa woohahiya asaana. ²¹Oonayeeli ahonthela nthiyana ahinye, ni uyo ahokhwa woohahiya asaana, ni ooneeraru uyo waheerannyya ciicammo, ²²ni othene saapa yahokhwa woohahiya asaana. Wiimaleloni waya nthiyana uyo ahokhwa. ²³Vanhala wunweleliya, nthiyana nohala ukhala amwaara awani, nlattu asilopwana saapa ale yahonthela nthiyana ule? ²⁴Yesu ahaakhula: Nyu nnawithepyaca nlattu woohicuwela cowantikhiya cittakattifu hata ikuru ca Nluku. ²⁵Phimaana wanhalaya wunwelela mwaatthu ookhwa, khuwo utheliya, mena khuwo uthelana, nanso ammokhala toko ancelo o wirimu. ²⁶Nanso itthu inaciya mowunwelelani mwaatthu ookhwa, khansomile ikitapu ya Musa, itthu yeeranele ni nikukhu napharela woohivya, toko Nluku caamuulumacenyawe eeraka: Mi kiri Nluku a Aprahamu, Nluku a Isaaki, ni Nluku a Yakopu? ^{§§} ²⁷Khankhala Nluku a atthu ookhwa, nanso Nluku a atthu akumi. Nyu khan-reere weetta ni ututhi.

^{‡‡}12:11 *Macipo 118.22-23*

^{¶¶}12:19 *Dt 25.5*

^{§§}12:26 *Ukhuma 3.6*

Nlamulo nootepa wunuwa.

Mt 22.34-40; Lk 10.25-28

²⁸ Ahomwaattamerya mayowantikha eewile avanyihanaka, ni oonaka wiira Yesu aakhunle ratta, ahonkoha: Phinni nlamulo noopacera o malamuloni othene? ²⁹ Yesu ahaakhula: Noopacera phi nna:

Wiiwe Israel, Apwiya Nluku ihu pha Mwaneene Nluku veekhaya.

³⁰ Wafente Mwaneene Nluku aa, ni nrima aa wothene, ni nnepa aa wothene, na ankhili aa othene, ni ikuru caa cothene.*

³¹ Nonayeeli phi nna:

Umfente nkhwaa toko we o mwaneene.†

Khaniwo nlamulo noopwaha ala.

³² Mayowantikha yahomwiirela: Ureera cinene, Mwalimu, khaawoothile eenryaa wiira Ule ri veekhawe ni khaawo tho nkina noompwaha Ule;

³³ nuumfenta ni nrima wothene, ni ankhili othene, ni nnepa wothene ni ikuru cothene, nuumfenta nkhwaa toko mwaneene, iri itthu yootepa woovikana isataka coopahiya ni coovelelihiya cothene. ³⁴ Yesu, oonaka wiira ntthu ule ahaakhula ni nruku, ahomwiirela: Khuri uttayi ni omwene wa Nluku. Ni khariwo tho unkoha itthu.‡

Mesiya ni Taviti.

Mt 22.41-46; Lk 20.41-44

³⁵ Eetthucihaka Mpani mwa Nluku, Yesu ahokoha: Mayowantikha ahimiyaka cani wiira Mesiya phiri mwanawe Taviti? ³⁶ Taviti mwaneene, athoonyeriyaka ni Nnepa Nttakattifu, heera:

Apwiya yaheerela Apwiya aka: Wonkome moonoo aka nlopwana, mpaka Mi keese eenani aa vathivaya manyaa aa.¶

³⁷ Taviti mwaneene namwiihana, Apwiya. Nokhalaka cani mwanawe? Ni mphwinko muulupale wanamwiiwa ni utteeliya nrima.

Yesu nawaattikittha aalimu o malamulo

Mt 23.1-7,14; Lk 20.45-47

³⁸ Wowiitthuchiha, Yesu anawiira: Nkhale miitho, mwisunke ni mayowantikha unacivela uthoonyera coowara coorekama nuukohiya isalama mmapuwani; ³⁹ wonkoma mapuro uhoolo nnsinakokani ni mapuro anliya isukuhuulu. ⁴⁰ Anawalyacera anankwele yoothereryaka ni iswali coottaliva. Ala anowowaakhela ihukhumu yootepa.

Yoovaha ya nankhwele oohuva.

Lk 21.1-4

⁴¹ Nonkomile nipuro naheliya coovelela yawehaka atthu yahela nsurukhu nkasani mwe. Mathaciri menci yanahela nsurukhu mwinci.

⁴² Ahowa nthiyana nankwele oothwenya, ahelaka makopiri meli ooyevaca, manaaya nikupatta nonecese. ⁴³ Eehanaka owiitthuca awe, Yesu ahaahimerya: Khweeli kinawuhimeryani wiira nthiyana ula nankhwele oothwenya hohela woopwaha atthu othene ahenle nkasani yo nhakhu. ⁴⁴ Nlattu, othene yahenle yohalahala muthacirini mwaya, nanso nthiyana oothwenya ahenle yothene yarinawe, ni khahalanne itthu hata yankani.

*12:30 Dt 6.5-6

†12:31 Lv 19.18

‡12:34 Lk 10.25-28

¶12:36 Macipo 110.1

**Yesu nahimya utankuliya
yo Inupa ya Nluku.**

Mt 24.1-2; Lk 21.5-6

13 Wakhumaawe Mpani mwa Nluku owiitthuca mmoca ahonhimerya: Mwalimu, moone, maluku menci ale ni cootekiya nnya! ²Yesu ahaakhula: Unawoona cootekiya nnye cuulupale? Khaninkela naahalaka nluku nimoca waculu nluku nikhwaya, cothene cimmotankuliya.

Uhuva ni uttharathariya

Mt 24.3-14; Lk 21.7-19

³Ni nonkomile mmwako wo Olivera uhoolo waya Inupa ya Nluku, Peturu, Yakopu, Yohani ni Anteree, yahonkoha ntthikini: ⁴Unihimerye wiira citthu nnye cinhala wiiranyaa yaakhani, ni ikanyero inhala uthonyera wiira citthu nnye ciri vakhiviru. ⁵Yesu ahopacera wahimerya: Mwisunke wiira hikhale ntthu noothepyani. ⁶Kontha, anaahala uwa atthu enci mwancina naka yiiraka 'Phi mi!' mpaka wathepya atthu enci. ⁷Mwiiwaka cuulumacyaka cokhotto, ni myaha cokhotto, nhituthuwe. Citthu nnye cinalamuliya wiiranyaa nanso khunakhalaka mwiso. ⁸Nloko nimoca ninhala uvaraana ni nloko nikhwaya, omwene mmoca ni omwene nkhwaya. Ilapo inaahala uthukumela mapuro makina, ni immovola itala. Citthu nnye ciri mapacerero woona coowerya.

⁹Nkhale miitho! Anaahala wurwehani upwaroni, nnaahala wapsyuliya nnsinakokani. Nnaahala weemesiya wa miithoni wa mayansatoro ni mamwene nlattu wo Miyano, wiira mmahe usaahiti wamiithoni waya. ¹⁰Nanso woopacera Nhupi Wooreera unaahala uhimeriya maloko othene. ¹¹Vano mwakusiyaka wiira moolumacye makhuce, nhoove itthu inhalenyu uhimya. Nanso nhimye itthu inhalenyu

uvahiya ukati yooyo, kahi mweeco nyuva nnohala wuulumaca, nanso Nnepa Nttakattifu. ¹²Munna naahala unrweha unokhwani munnawe, ni athumwane mwanawe; ni asaana ammowuulumacera makhuce athumwanaya, mpaka weeva. ¹³Ni nnaahala wiinananyina nlattu wo ncina naka, nanso ntthu nohala ukhalana nthiti mpaka umwisoni, nowowoopwa.

Icuku yuulupale o Yutteya.

Mt 24.15-28; Lk 21.20-24

¹⁴Moonaka citthu co miikho cikhumelelaka toko itankuleliyo wahimphwanelaya ukhala (nosoma uyo eeweehe), vano ale ari uYutteya atthawele mmwakoni. ¹⁵Ari wancarani ahikhuruwe hata ahikele mpani wiira akuse citthu caya. ¹⁶Ari mmattani ahituruwele uwaani wiira yakuse coowara caya. ¹⁷Atakhaliye pha ale ari ni irukulu, na ale anamwiha asaana mahuku ale! ¹⁸Nswali wiira itthu ile ihiiranye ukati weyiita. ¹⁹Nlattu mahuku ale cohosiyaya cinkokhala toko caharyaya ukhalakaru, ikhumelo wapattusilyawe Nluku ittuniya, mpaka nava, hata khacinkela cakhakala tho. ²⁰Ni yahari Apwiya akhuvehaka mahuku ale, hata ntthu khoopwa, nanso nlattu wa atthu oothanliya naahala ukhuveha. ²¹Akhalaka ntthu nohimeryani: 'Mesiya ri vava!' atthuna, 'Umoone wonwo!', nhikupali, ²²kontha anaahala wunwa amesiya oowootha ni anapiyu oowootha ni ankopanka ikanyero ni cootikhineeha wiira yaathepye, wanooranyaya, hata oothanliya. ²³Nanso nyu, mwisunke; kihohimeryani cothene marapururu.

Uwa wa Mwanawe Pinattamu.

Mt 24.29-31; Lk 21.25-28

²⁴Nanso mahuku ale, anamanle mahuviho ale, ncuwa ninaahala

uripela, ni mweeri khunhala waarya,²⁵ itthoottwa cinaahala umora wirimu, ni ikuru conculu cinaahala upukunyiya.²⁶ Vano naahala woonya, awaka mmahutteni Mwanawe Pinattamu ni ikuru cuulupale ni waarya.²⁷ Nahala waruma ancelo awe ni wathukumaniha atthu yathanlilyawe mittethe co micese cophyoo, umalenlyaya ilapo nuumalenlyaya irimu.

**Nlikanihero no mwiri
wonthokorokho.**

Mt 24.32-44; Lk 21.29-36

²⁸Mwiitthuce, mweeco, nlikanihero no mwiri wonthokorokho. Miritta caya cakhalaka miheenya, ni capaceraka uphuwa, nhocuwela wiira iyiita iri vakhiviru.²⁹ Ciicammo nyu, moonaka ukumelela citthu nnya, ncuwela wiira Mwanawe Pinattamu ri vakhiviru, wankhora.³⁰ Khweeli kinawuhimeryani: Khanimmira nloko nna cihiranele citthu cothene nnya.³¹ Irimu ni ilapo cinaahala uvira, nanso moolumo aka kxanhala uvira.

Khaawo ancuwela nihuku hata ukati.

³²Nanso khaawo nocuwela nihuku nne, hata ukati ule, mena ancelo o wirimu, mena Mwana, nanso Athumwane paahi phincuwela.³³ Nkhale miitho, nrontte! Nlattu khannocuwela nihuku ninhalaya uphiya ukati ule.³⁴ Uri toko ntthu alakenle ikhwaha awe, ahiyaka inupa awe, ahaahiyera iyulupale arumeyi awe, khula ntthu ahovahiya nteko woovara, ni ahonlamulela mayokhaliha wiira arontte.³⁵ Vano nrontte, nlattu khannocuwela ukati unhalaawe uwa mwaneene itthoko; toko yococilo, atthuna uhiyu iriyari, atthuna uneepile nthupi, atthuna wicisu,³⁶ wahikhumelele wiira,

nawile ni wututuserani, huphwanyeni nrupaka.³⁷ Itthu inohimeryakani nyu, kinahimerya atthu othene: Nrontte!

Ayutta anawuulumaca makhuce.

Mt 26.1-5; Lk 22.1-2

14 Yahanle mahuku meeli uphiya isukuhuulu yo Pasikuwa ni nihuku ninliyaya mikatthe coohimiropo, oolupale a mayasataka ni mayowan-tikha yanawaavya mananna unthuka wo makhuce nuumwiiva.² Yanawiira: Itthu ila ihiriye mahuku osukuhuulu wiira atthu ayo ahipanke ipokoho.

**Yesu nattikittheliya makhura
oonukhela uPetaniya.**

Mt 26.6-13; Yohani 12.1-8

³Yesu nari uPetaniya, nonkomile wameeca mpani mwawe Simoni omakunttula, ahowa nthiyana, acisile iphotiri yo nluku ya alapasturo inheliya makhura oonukhela yeehaninya narttu, anthumihya ncurukhu mwinci, napwesile iphotiri, aheethela makhura mmuru mwaYesu.⁴ Nanso akina yahonyonyinya, yiirelanaka ayayooru: Ariheliyeni ciicammo makhura ala?⁵ Yanawoorya uthumihya ni ncurukhu iminya tharu, mpaka wakawela atthu oothwenya. Ni yahonkuphula nthiyana ule.⁶ Yesu nanso aheera: Nhiyeke. Munkuphulelaka isiyani? Hokipankela itthu yooreera;⁷ Kontha, atthu oothwenya phinakhalaneenyu, ni mwatthunaka nnawoorya waapankela cooreera, nanso miyano akinkhala ni nyu mahuku othene.⁸ Ale ahopanka itthu yoonryaya. Ahoottiha ni makhura irutthu aka ahoolelihaka uvithiya waka kihinaaya ukhwa.⁹ Khweeli kinawuhimeryani, wiira mwiilaponi mothene unhalaya ulalyaa Nhupi Wooreera, inahala tho uhimiya itthu yapankilyawe wiira upuweleliye.

Yutta nawuuluma makhuce

Mt 26.14-16; Lk 22.3-6

¹⁰Vano, Yutta Iskariyoti, mmoca mwaale khumi na eeli, akenle woolupale a mayasataka wiira amulume makhuce Yesu. ¹¹Weewilyaya moolumo ale, cahaatteela mirima ni yahovanela ummaha nsurukhu. Yutta anawavya ukati wontumiha Yesu.

Yesu nawalyana Owiiithuca awe ikwaha yoomaliha

Mt 26.17-19; Lk 22.7-13

¹²Nihuku noopacera no mikatthe coohimiropo, ukati waveleelihiya mwakhontwa o Pasikuwa, owiiithuca yahonkoha Yesu: Nnotthuna ulokiheriya vayi nipuro noonlya Pasikuwa? ¹³Ahaaruma owiiithuca eeli ni aheerela: Murwee uparasa. Nnaahala umphwanya ntthu oocisa mwaapu wo maasi. Muntthare, ¹⁴ni unkelaawe, munhimerye mwaneene inupa: Mwalimu nakoha: Inupa inhalaka umaka iri vayi, kinlyaka Pasikuwa ni owiiithuca aka? ¹⁵Ni naahala wuthonyerani nsana nuulupale uculu nooreerihya ni nowaaya; mwanilokihere nenno. ¹⁶Akhumaka owiiithuca awe, yahorwaa uparasa, ni yahophwanya toko cahimeriyaya; ni yahontthonkomanaha Pasikuwa.

¹⁷Wiila waya, Yesu ahophiya na owiiithuca awe khumi na eeli. ¹⁸Anonkomacile alyaka, Yesu aheera: Khweeli kinawuhimeryani, mmoca mwa nyu, nolya ni mi, naahala ukuuluma makhuce. ¹⁹Yahanca ucukulaca, yiirelanaka ayayoru: Kahi thi mi? ²⁰Yesu ahaakhula: Phi mmoca mwa nyu khumi na eeli, nokilyana nttiisi nimoca. ²¹Nlattu, Mwanawe Pinattamu narwa, toko cantikhelyawe, nanso

natakhaliya ntthu nohala unthumiha! Phatari ahiyariye.

²²Walyaya, Yesu ahokusa nkatthe ni nareerihile, ahomyaniha ni ahaavaha owiiithuca awe, eeraka: Nkuseke, nlyeke, ila phi irutthu aka. ²³Wahoolo ahokusa ikikhompe, ahosukuru ni ahaavaha ni othene yahowurya. ²⁴Ni ahaahimerya: Ila phi iphome aka, iphome yo waatana wonaanano, invuviheriya atthu enci. ²⁵Khweeli kinawuhimeryani wiira akinhala tho uwurya yowiima ila yo viteera mpaka nihuku ninhalaka uwurya tho wumweneni wa Nluku. ²⁶Aneepile ncipo, yahokhumaca arwaka umwako wo Olivera.

Yesu nahimya wiira Peturu naahala unkhotta.

Mt 26.31-35; Lk

22.31-34; Yohani 13.36-38

²⁷Yesu ahaahimerya: Nyu othene, uhiyu ula, nnaahala uhiya ikupalelo nlattu wo miyano, kontha ihantikhiya: Kinanrakaliha nhakheli ni ikhontwaa cinkomwaryaca.[§]

²⁸Nanso kinonwelenle, kim-mowuhoolelani wokela uKalileya. ²⁹Peturu aheera: Hata othene ahiye ikupalelo aya, nanso mi, mena. ³⁰Yesu ahomwaakhula: Khweeli kinawuhimeryani, ilelo uhiyu ula, nthupi uhinaya wiipa imaara piili, unakikhotta imaara tharu. ³¹Nanso Peturu ahopwahera wakhula ni ikuru eeraka: Hata kilamuliye ukhwa ni nyu, akinookhottani. Ni othene yahoolumaca ciicale.

Yesu uYetsemani

Mt 26.36-46; Lk 22.39-46

³²Yahorwaa nipuro neehaninya Yetsemani, ni Yesu ahaahimerya

[§]14:27 Zakariya 13.7

owiitthuca awe: Munkome vava mi kiswaliki. ³³Ahonkusa Peturu, Yakopu, ni Yohani, ni ahanca woova ni ucukula. ³⁴Ahaahimerya: Nnepa aka unacukula, icuku yo nokhwa. Nkhale vava ni nrontte. ³⁵Apwahaka vakani, ahowuluwela vathi ni ahoswali wiira wooryanyaa, ukati ula ukipwahe. ³⁶Ni ahohimya: Apa, Tiithi; Nyu nnawoorya cothene. Nkitamihe mmahuvihoni! Nanso, cihipankiye cintthunaka, nanso cintthuneenyu. ³⁷Uturuwa wawe, aphwanyile arupaka, ni ahomwiirela Peturu: Simoni unarupa? Khawoonrye wiliphila iwora imoca? ³⁸Mwiliphile ni nswaliki wiira nhithokociye. Nrima unatthuna ratta, nanso irutthu khinlipa. ³⁹Ahorwaa tho uswalini, akulelaka moolumo yaayo. ⁴⁰Ahoturuwa, ni ahaaphwanya arupaka kontha miitho aya yahocara ikhove. Ni khayoono yomwakhula. ⁴¹Ahowa imaara yoneeraru mpaka waahimerya: Mpaka nna nnaarupa ni nnamumula tho? Wahotosa! Ukati uhophiya. Mwanawe Pinattamu naahala urwehiya mmatatani mwaatthu ookosakosa. ⁴²Muunwe, Nrwee! Kitumihile uyo hophiya.

Utthukiya wa Yesu.

Mt 26.47-56; Lk 22.47-53;

Yohani 18.1-11

⁴³Yesu oolumacaka nanlelo phaphilyawe Yutta, ari mmoca mwaale khumi na eeli, ni mphwinko muulupale wakhumile woolupale a mayasataka, mayowantikha ni mahumu ni warina ikatana ni ikopo. ⁴⁴Namakhuce ahaahimerya ikanyero eeraka: Nohalaaka unkoha isalaama, phi yooyo, mumvare ni munkuse natthukiye ratta. ⁴⁵Uphiya wawe, ahomwaattamerya ni ahomwiirela: Mwalimu! Ni ahonkoha isalaama. ⁴⁶Yahommara Yesu, ni yahontthuka. ⁴⁷Vano, mmoca mwaale eemenle wonwo, ahokumiha ikatana

ahorakaliha ipottha ya nkhulupale a mayasataka, ahonthikila nnyaru. ⁴⁸Yesu ahaahimerya: Nkhumile ni ikatana ni ikopo uwa ukitthuka, toko mayohukha. ⁴⁹Kaari ni nyu mahuku othene mpani mwa Nluku, kiitthucihaka ni khamwakitthukile. Nanso wiira citthariheleliye toko caantikhiyaya. ⁵⁰Vano, anhiyaka, othene yahotthawa.

⁵¹Ni ahontthara mmirawo mmoca eekhunenele ikuwo. Yahommara, ⁵²nanso ahiyaka ikuwo ile, ahotthawa pwitipwiti.

Yesu upwaroni yo Ayutta

Mt 26.57-68; Lk 22.63-71

⁵³Yahonrweha Yesu wankhulupale a mayastaka wathukumannyaya othene oolupale a mayasataka, mayowantikha ni mahumu. ⁵⁴Peturu ahontthara uttayittayi mpaka nhina ipuwa ya nkhulupale a mayasataka. Peturu wonkomilyawe wamoca ni ananteko ootthaka mooro. ⁵⁵Vano, oolupale a mayasataka ni mayothukumana othene yaavya osaahiti, wowiira amwiive Yesu, nanso khayaaphwanyile. ⁵⁶Enci yaanahimya cowootha, nanso cahimilyaya khaweerana. ⁵⁷Ahaawo yeemenle ni uromola yowootha ila yiraka: ⁵⁸Hi nihomwiiwa ahimiyaka: Kinhala ukwanyula inupa ila, itekiye ni matata a atthu, ni mahuku mararu kinaahala uteka ikina yoohitekiya ni matata a atthu. ⁵⁹Nanso, hata ciicammo usaahiti aya khaweeranne. ⁶⁰Vano, muulupale o mayasataka aheemela iriyari aya atthu yathukumanne ni ahonkoha Yesu: Khunakhula itthu nhina osaahiti ommahaya atthu ala? ⁶¹Yesu nanso ahomaala ni khaakhunle itthu. Muulupale a mayasataka ahonkoha tho: We uri Kristu, Mwana a Nluku Ooreerihya? ⁶²Yesu ahaakhula: Kiri mi, ni nnaahala umoona Mwanawe Pinattamu nonkomile moonoo nlopwana

wa Nluku Okuru, ni awaka mmahutteni o wirimu. ⁶³Vano, muulupale a mayasataka ahaahula coowara cawe ni aheera: Nimpavela tho vayi osaahiti? ⁶⁴Mwanamwiwa ukufuru nwo. Nneera cani? Na athu othene yahonhukumu ukhwa. ⁶⁵Wahoolo, akina yaanapacera unsuwela, yahonkhunela wiitho ni ikuwo nuumwaatta yiraka: Uhimyace nnapiyu! Ni mayorontta yahonkusa nuumwaattakaca.

Peturu nanruna Yesu

Mt 26.69-75; Lk 22.54-62;

Yohani 18.15-18,25-27

⁶⁶Peturu neemenle vate wapuواني, ahophiya nanteko mwanthiyana a muulupale a mayasataka, ⁶⁷ni umoona wawe Peturu ootthaka mooro, ahomwehecesa ni ahomwiirela: We khweeli wari ni Yesu o Nasaree. ⁶⁸Ule nanso ahoruna, eeraka: Akinoncuwela, hata akineeweha inhimyaa iyo. Wahoolo ahokhumela vate iluwani, ni nthupi waheepa. ⁶⁹Nanteko mwanthiyana, umoona wawe tho, ahaahimerya athu yaatamananyawe: Ula phi mmocar. ⁷⁰Nanso ahoruna imaara yonapiili. Ukati vakani tho, ale yaari mmo, yahonhimerya Peturu: Khweeli we phi mmocar, kontha uri nkallileya. ⁷¹Nanso aholapha ni aholupela eeraka: Akinoncuwela ntthu nnomwaacenyu. ⁷²Ni nenna nna nthupi waheepa imaara yonapiili. Vano, Peturu ahoopuwela itthu yahimilyawe Yesu: Nthupi uhinaya wiipa imaara piili, we unaahala ukiruna imaara tharu. Ni vava ahopacera wunla.

15 Usakaru, yahothukumana oolupale a mayasataka wamoca ni mahumu ni mayowantikha, ni mayonthukumano othene; ni untthuka waya Yesu, yahonkusa ni yahommelela waPilatu.

²Pilatu ahonkoha: We uri Mwene a Ayutta? Yesu ahomwaakhula: We uhohimya. ³Ni oolupale a mayasataka yahonriyelela citthu cinci. ⁴Pilatu ahonkoha tho eeraka: Khunakhula itthu? Woone, citthu cinci cinriyeleliyaa na athu ala. ⁵Yesu nanso khaakhunle tho itthu, ni Pilatu ahotikhina.

Yesu ahohukhumwinya wiiviya

Mt 27.1-2,11-26; Lk 23.1-7,13-25;

Yohani 18.28-19.16

⁶Nihuku nosukuhuulu, Pilatu aholemalela untthukula nantthukiya mmoca yantthunaya athu. ⁷Ahaawo nlopwana mmoca, eehaninya Parapasi, atthukiye wamoca na anaporonka nlatu yamwiivile ntthu ukati wonkhitto. ⁸Mphwinko wa athu, wahonwa ni wahopacera ulepela itthu yalemalenlyawe wapankela. ⁹Pilatu ahaakhula: Nnotthuna wiira kutthukuleleni Mwene a Ayutta? ¹⁰Nlatu ahocuwela wiira oolupale a mayasataka yamwiihenre nlatu woonrama. ¹¹Nanso oolupale a mayasataka yanatheperya mphwinko wiira phatari Pilatu antthukule Parapasi. ¹²Pilatu ahaakoha: Kinhala umwiiriha isiyani ula nnomwiihanenyu Mwene a Ayutta? ¹³Na ale yankhuwaca tho: Unkhomele wansalapani! ¹⁴Vano Pilatu aheera: Tthekileni? Nanso ale yanakhuwaca: Unkhomele wansalapani! ¹⁵Pilatu, atthunaka wamaaliha athu ale, ahaataphulela Parapasi. Ni aholamula wiira Yesu apsuliye ni akhomeliye wansalapani.

Yesu nawapsuliya

Mt 27.27-31

¹⁶Anakhotto yahonkusa upwaroni ya nsatoro, ni yaheehaninya anakhotto othene. ¹⁷Yahomwariha ihancu yookhwiila, ni yahomweesa ikhilempa yo miwa wamuru wawe. ¹⁸Wahoolo yahopacera

unkoha nretele yiiraka: Salaama, Mwene a Ayutta! ¹⁹Yanamwaatta wamuru ni nthale ni yanansuwela ni ankhoromelaka yananlapela. ²⁰Wamanlyaya untarawaca yahonrula ihancu yokhwiila ni umwariha tho cawawe. Vano yahonkusa wiira akhomeliye wansalapani.

Yesu nakhomeliya wansalapani

Mt 27.32-44; Lk 23.26-43; Yohani 19.17-24

²¹Yahommara athumwane Alisantere ni Rufu, eehaninya Simoni o Sirene aakhuma umawaani ni ahokanyererihiya ukusa nsalapa. ²²Yahonrweha nipuro neehaninya Kolokootha, manaaya, nipuro nokohi. ²³Yahommaha ivinyu yootakaniheriya ni miira, nanso ahokhotta uwurya. ²⁴Wahoolo yahonkhomela wansalapani. Ni akawelanaka cowara cawe, yahopanka mwaavi wiira yoone yahalaawe uphwanya khula ntthu. ²⁵Yaari iwora yoneeraru wakhomeliyawe wansalapani. ²⁶Waculu wawe yahantikhiya yariyeleliyawe: MWENE A AYUTTA. ²⁷Yahokhomeliya wamoca ni Ule, mayohukha eeli, mmoca, moonoo nlopwana, nkina moonoo nthiyana. ²⁸Ciicammo cootthariheleliya cowantikhiya cineera: Ahaalikeliya na atthu oonanara nrima.** ²⁹Atthu yaavira ayo, yananruwana, apukunyaka muru, yiiraka: We! Watankulaca Inupa ya Nluku ni uteka tho mahuku mararu. ³⁰We wicoopole o mwaneene nuukhuruwe wansalapani! ³¹Ooolupale a mayasataka ni mayowantikha yanateehana, yiiraka: Hoopola akina ni khanoorya wicoopola mwaneene. ³²Akhuruwe naanano wansalapani uyo Kristu, Mwene o Israel, wiira nimoone

ni ninkupali. Na atthu ale yakhomeliye ni Ule, yananruwana.

Ukhwa wa Yesu

Mt 27.45-56; Lk 23.44-49; Yohani 19.28-30

³³Waphilyaya ukati woothana ipiphi yahokhunela ilapo yothehe mpaka yocoocilo. ³⁴Uphiya waya yocoocilo Yesu ahokhuwa ni ncu noorunya: Eloi, Eloi, lama sapaktani! Manaaya: Nluku aka! Nluku aka! Ukihiyenreni veekhaka?†† ³⁵Umwiiwa waya, akina yaari wonwo, yaheera: Moone, nomwiihana Eliya! ³⁶Mmoca mwaale ahothimakaca uwiha ntthoce nooheliya makari ahotthukelela muntathini ni ahommaha wiira awurye, ni ahohimya: Noone wiira Eliya nawa unkurusela vathi. ³⁷Akhuwaka ni ncu noorunya, Yesu ahokhwa. ³⁸Vano ikuwo yo Mpani mwaNluku yahaahuwa iriyariru ukhuma uculu mpaka vathi. ³⁹Muulupale a anakhotto eemenle coco wariyawe Yesu, umoona wawe akhwaka ciicale, aheera: Khweeli ula ari Mwana a Nluku!

⁴⁰Yahaawo tho athiyana yemenle uttayi amwehaka; mwaale ahaawo Mariya Mantalena, Mariya anumwane Yakopu mwankani ni Yosefi, ni Saloome. ⁴¹Wariyawe Yesu uKalileya yaayo yahonthara nunvarela nteko, ni athiyana akina enci yanvelenle wakenlyawe uYerusalemu.

Yesu navithiya mmahiyeni

Mt 27.57-61; Lk 23.50-56; Yohani 19.38-42

⁴²Wiila waya, hapo wari ukati wowiitthenkaciya nihuku nontivela, ⁴³ahowa Yosefi o Arimateya, humu oocuwanyaa ni oottitthima,

**15:28 Isaya 53.12

††15:34 Macipo 22.1

akhuluvenle uwa waya omwene wa Nluku, alipile nrima wokela waPilatu ni aholopela nrutthu wa Yesu. ⁴⁴Ni Pilatu ahaakaaka wiiwa wawe wiira hokhwa, ni amwiihanaka muulupale anakhotto ni ahonkoha akhala wiira khwile mwakhalayi. ⁴⁵Ni nahimeriye ni muulupale uyo, nrutthu ahovahiya Yosefi. ⁴⁶Yosefi nathumile ikuwo, ahokurusa nrutthu wansalapani, ni ahokhuneela ni ikuwo eyo. Wahoolo ahommitha mmahiye yathipiye wamwalani ni ahopirikisela nluku nuulupale wankhora wo mahiye. ⁴⁷Mariya Mantalena, ni Mariya anumwane Yosefi yahoona nipuro navithiyawe.

Yesu honwelela

Mt 28.1-10; Lk 24.1-12; Yohani 20.1-10

16 Uvira waya nihuku no ntivela, Mariya Mantalena, Mariya anumwane Yakopu ni Saloome yahothuma makhura oonukhela ni yahorwaa uttikithela nrutthu wa Yesu. ²Wicisu ncuwa nikhumaka nihuku noopacera nosumana, yahorwaca umahiye. ³Yanawaakaaka yiiraka: Tipani nokela unipirikisela nluku nno wankhora wo mahiye? ⁴Nanso, awehaka, yahoona wiira nluku nopirikiseliya nceresere ni nari nluku nuulupale cinene. ⁵Ukela waya mmahiye yahomoonna mmirawo nonkomile moonoo nlopwana, awanre ihancu yoteela, ni yahotuthuwa. ⁶Uyo nanso, ahaahimerya: Nhituthuwe. Nnomwavya Yesu o Nasaree akhomeliye wansalapani. Honwelela, khaawo va. Moone nipuro namweesilyaya. ⁷Vano, murwee, mwahimerye owiithuca awe ni Peturu wiira Yesu naahala wuhoolelani uKalileya. Wonwo nnaahala umoona toko coohimenryaweni.

⁸Akhumaka umahiye yanatthawa ni uthukumela nlattu wo woova. Khayan-himenrye ntthu itthu ile nlattu wo woova.

Yesu aheeconeha

Yohani 20.11-18

⁹Nonwelenle, wicisu aya nihuku noopacera isumana, Yesu ahonkhumelela woopacera Mariya Mantalena, yola ankumihilyawe macini saapa. ¹⁰Uyo ahorwaa wacuweliha ale yakhanle ni Yesu, yeetta acukulaka ni yiikhupanyaka. ¹¹Ale nanso, wiiwa waya wiira Yesu ri nkumi, ni Mariya ahomoonna, khayaakupanli.

¹²Wahoolo aheeconeha nnanna nkina wasilopwana eeli yeetta ni iphiro, arwaaka umawaani. ¹³Ayo yahoturuwa wiira yacuwelihe akhwaya, nanso na ayo khayaakupanli.

Yesu nawaakhumelela owiithuca awe.

Lk 24.50-53; At 1.6-11

¹⁴Wahoolo waya, ahaakhumelela owiithuca awe khumi na mmoca alyaka, ni ahaakuphula nlattu wohikupali ni uturumala waya nrima, kontha khayaakupanli ale yamoonne nonwelenle. ¹⁵Ni aheerela: Murwee ilapo yothene mwaalake atthu othene ni Nhupi Wooreera. ¹⁶Ntthu nohala ukupali ni upatisiya naahala woopwa, nanso ntthu hinhala ukupali, naahala uhukhumwiya. ¹⁷Ikanyero cinhala waatthara atthu ookupali phi nnya: Mwancina naka, ankowomola minepa coonanara, ankowuuluma moolumo oonaanano; ¹⁸ankovara inwaa, ni yawuryaka itthu yowiiva, kinhala wapanka itthu; ammowathatela matata aretta, na ale anaahala uvona.

¹⁹Vano, Apwiya Yesu anoolumanne owiithuca awe yahakheleliya wirimu, ni ahonkoma moonoo nlopwana wa

Nluku. ²⁰Vano arumeyi yahokhuma ni yahaakavihera, yoneehaka nuu-
yahorwaa ulaka mapuro othene ni Ap- lumo na Apwiya ni ikanyero cavelenle.

Yakopu

1 Mi Yakopu, ipottha ya Nluku ni ya Apwiya Yesu Krisitu, kinasalameeha mahimo khumi na meeli, amwareenle mwilaponi mothene.

Nroromelo noomalela

²Asunnaka, nkhalane utteeliya cinene wophwanyakani ukati woottehattehiya, ³ncuwelaka wiira nroromelo ninyu nno nalawihiyaka phinkhalanaya nlipihero. ⁴Nlipihero nihaana nivaraka nteko woomalela wiira nyuva nkhalane oomalela, weeyintthu ni wohihaleela itthu. ⁵Wakhala wiira haawo hirina ankhili, anlepele Nluku, navaha atthu othene woohimatthepwa ni nawaakawa. ⁶Nanso alepele nuuroromela woohaakanyaca; kontha ule nakanyaca ri toko mawimpi ompharyaa, ankusiya ni wuutuwananyina ni iphyoo. ⁷Uyo huupuwele wiira nawaakhela itthu ya Apwiya, ⁸maana ri ntthu oohilakela ni oohilipelela iphiro cothene cineettawe.

Oothwennya ni Oopuha

⁹Munnihu oothwennya atteeliye nlattu wowuunuwihiya, ¹⁰ni oopuha atteeliye nlattu wowiiyeviha, kontha nacuwela wiira mahuku awe ari vakani toko ithutu contakhwani. ¹¹Ncuwa noopaka ni nivihaka, yowaaliya inawuuma, ni ithutu aya inanyaala ni ureera waya unaamala. Ciicammo, mayoopuha naakhala oonyaala mphironi mwawe.

Utthema uttehattehiya

¹²Horeeriya ntthu noovilela waphiyaka ukati woottehattehiya; kontha, alawihiyaka, nowa uvahiya ikhwerempa yookumi, yeeyo Apwiya yaroromelihilyaya ale anafenta.

¹³Hikhale neera, attehattehiyaka eeraka: Nluku phinkitteha. Kontha khanlamuliya uttehattehiya ni itthu yoonanara ni uyo khaawo nonttehawe.

¹⁴Uhiya commo, khula ntthu nottehattehiya ni wunlela wawe citthu, vano wunlela wawe nwo wantepelaka unamooryaca. ¹⁵Vano wunlela nwo wanttokotthelaka untothola itaampi; ni itaampi iyo inontothola nookhwa.

¹⁶Asunnaka oofentiya, nhithepiye. ¹⁷Khula ivahiya yooreera ni khula itthuvo yoomalela inkhuma wirimu, cikhuruwaka wa athumwanaya waarya, ahinrukunuwa toko mitthuuci cihirina nipuro noweemela. ¹⁸Ni wootthuna wawe, ule honipattusa ni nuulumo neekhweeli, wiira nikhale nlipu nokhiyumpe cawe.

Wuulumaca ni weettela nuulumo na Nluku.

¹⁹Asunnaka oofentiya, nkiiwe: Nyu ncuweleke nnya citthu nnya: ntthu phi ntthu nolamuliya ukhala owaakuva wi-iwa, oohipuphela wuulumaca, ni oop-ica uviruwu; ²⁰kontha uviruwu wa ntthu khunphwanyiha isariya ya Nluku. ²¹Phimaana, nhiye unyala winyu nwo ni coonanara cimpankenyu nnyo, nkuse ni imaanu nuulumo niphatteeliyenyu nno, nenno nihaana ikuru cowoopola iroho cinyu.

²²Vano, nkhalane oweettela nuulumo, nhimakele wiiwa paahi, mwithepyaka veekhenyu. ²³Kontha, ntthu eewaka nuulumo nno ni heettelaka, nolikana toko ntthu neewehera waloolani, oonaka ikhove awe yeephattuwelo. ²⁴Wahoolo neeweherene naathama, ni wowaakuvyaca naaliyala weenryaya ikhove awe iyo. ²⁵Nanso ule nohelelela aviriyana nlamulo noomalela, nlamulo nowoopola, akhanyereraka weettela, wohiira wiiwa nuuhiya, nanso woorya uvarela nteko, ula ntthu ula

nokhala ooreerihya mpaka ni nteko umpankawe uyo.

²⁶Ntthu eehelaka ukhala nattiini, ahiyaka ulokiha nlimi nawe, nanso phiihtepyaka, ittiini awe iyo iri yo mahala. ²⁷Ittiini yomaana ni yeekhweeli inoncivela Nluku Athumwanihu, phi ila: Waathotola akhwaacuni ni minankhwele ukati unhuvaaya ni wiisunka omwaneene woohinyala toko cineettiyaya ntuniyani.

Wohaahawulaniha atthu

2 Asunnaka, nakupaliki Apwiya ehuh Yesu Kirisitu aneene uttitthima, nihaahiyaniheke atthu ayo. ²Phimaana, awaaka ntthu mapuro anthukumanenyu, oonwara nnela owooru mmakokhoni mmo, nawaracile ikuwo comaana, wahoolo phikelaka tho ntthu nkina oohuva ni oothaaleliya, ³vano phaahawulanihaka wowaakhelela vaa, ni phimwiirelaka oowaraca ikuwo comaana uyo: Nyu vaa, mmweke mowunkomeke va nipuro noolemela nuuphwanenleeni. Vano oohuva uyo phimwiirelaka: We, weemeleke vaa, atthuna uweke wawonkomeke waryaka va. ⁴Mwapankaka ciicammo nheehawulaniha ayaayoru ni nheepanka mayahukumu owuupuwela coonanara. ⁵Nkiwe, asunnaka oofentiya: Nluku haathanla atthu owooninya uhuva mwilaponi wiira akhale athaaciri muukupalini ni akhale mayoophwanyanya umwene wo wirimu waalupelenlyawe ale anonfenta. ⁶Nanso, nyu akina vaa, nnawannyohola mayoohuva. Khaanakhala athaaciri phinootulumuni? Khaanakhala yaayo phinoorwanani upwaroni noolumiya milattu? ⁷Khaanakhala

yaayo phinnyohola ncina nomaana ninromoleliyeenyu?

⁸Nyu mweettela malamulo o omwene wa Nluku, mwanapanka toko cinhimyaya cowantikhiya:

Unfente nkhwa toko cineefentaa umwaneene^{‡‡},

unapanka yooreera. ⁹Nanso, mwaahiyanihaka atthu nnopanka itaampi, ni nnaahala uhukhumwinya ni malamulo toko mayoothekaca.

¹⁰Ule noorya weettela malamulo othene, nanso phivonyanihaka nipuro nimoca, nalikeleliya ukosera othene. ¹¹Phimaana, ule eenre: Nheette uluva, ciicammo holamula eeraka: Nhiive.^{¶¶} Vano, waheetteke uluva, nanso unawiiva, unkhala ntthu oovonyiha nlamulo. ¹²Toko cineerenyu ni cinoolumacenyu, mpankeke ciicammo ncuwelaka wiira nnohala uhukhumwinya ni nlamulo nowiithawala. ¹³Kontha ule hirina ikiriri naahala uhukhumwinya wohi ikiriri. Ikiriri cinatthema ihukhumu.

Nroromelo nohikhalana coopankiya ninkhala nookhwa

¹⁴Asunnaka, nohala uphurani ntthu neera: Mi kihaana nroromelo nanso woohivarela nteko? Unoona wiira nenno nroromelo nno khaninoopola. ¹⁵Akhala wiira mwamunninyu atthuna mwanrokorinyu hothaaleliya atthuna hovoliya itala yo khula nihuku, ¹⁶ni mmoca wa nyu phimwiirelaka: Urweke ni mpuha, wawareke ni walyeke womaana, wohinvaha imphavelawe; mpankileni yooreera? ¹⁷Ciicammo, nroromeloru paahi, noohivareliya nteko, ninkhala nookhwa.

¹⁸Vano haawo nohala wiira: We uhaana nroromelo, ni mi kihaana

‡‡2:8 *Lv 19.18*

¶¶2:11 *Ukhuma 20.13-14*

miteko. Ukithoonyere nrromelo naa noohimiteko ni mi kinawuthonyera nrromelo naka ni miteko caka. ¹⁹We unakupali wiira ri Nluku mmoca paahi. Wahoreera! Ciicammo asotwani anakupali ni anattetemela! ²⁰We, oomphuku! Khuncuwela wiira nrromelo noohivareliya nteko khanirina icaayira? ²¹Aparahamu athumwanihu ookhalayii, khayaavahiye isariya nlatu wo miteko waanvaherenraaya mwanaya Isaki wanipuroni noosataka^{§§}. ²²Vano wooneke wiira nrromelo ni miteko cineetta wamoca, ni nrromelo nimaliheriya ni miteko. ²³Coo phitthariheleliyaya yowantikhiya yiiraka: Aparahamu honkupali Nluku ni hoheeliya ukhala nasariya, ni uyo heehaninya mpwanawe Nluku. ²⁴Mooneke wiira ntthu novahiya isariya nlatu wo miteko, woohikhala nrromeloru. ²⁵Wanlikana toko puuta Rahapi; waavahiyawe isariya nlatu wopanka yooreera, aavahaka nipuro atthu oohottela ni wathonyera iphiro ikina. ²⁶Ciicammo irutthu yohiroho inkhala yookhwa, philikanaya nrromelo nohikhalana coopankiya ninkhala nookhwa.

Usinntta Nlimi

3 Asunnaka, nhunlele ukhala othene mayoosomiha, maana nhocuwela wiira hii, nineetthuciha, phi hii ninkela utepa uhukhumwiya. ²Othene ninakosa wo mananna oovirikana. Ntthu aahikoseke nlatu wo wuulumaca, uyo ri nttunthu, ciicammo nawoorya usunka irutthu awe yothene. ³Nahelalaka iyuma malaku okhavalu wiira ciniwelele, ciicammo ninawoorya weettiha irutthu aya yothene. ⁴Nthonyero enyu ukhale wokalawa; cinookhalaru cuulupale ni

cittinkihiyaka ni iphyoo cuulupale, cineettihiya ni ileemi yankani cinene, toko cintthunawe nocika. ⁵Ni ciicammo phinlikanaya, nlimi waryaya itthu yankani iri mwiirutthuni, ninawiittotopa nlatu woopanka citthu cuulupale.

Nkoonani, itakhwa yuulupale impariheliyaya ni mooro mwankani. ⁶Phi ciicammo, nlimi nihi niri mooro; nlimi niri ituniya yotaampi. Ninaheliyeene iriyari yorutthu ihu ninaannanariha irutthu yothene, ninaparihela makhalelo ookumi, ni mpaka ni nno ninapariheliya omooroni. ⁷Phimaana ikhapila cothene conama, coovava, cowiipurula ni compharyaa cinasinnttiya ni cinsinnttiya na atthu, ⁸nanso nlimi khaawo ntthu noorya usinntta. Niri noonanara woohimala ni noocara nrette wo wiiva. ⁹Ni nenno, ninanttitthimiha Pwiya Athumwanihu; ciicammo ninawaalapha atthu, apattusiye oolattana ni Nluku. ¹⁰Malaku mamoca yaayo paahi, inakhuma iparakha ni ikilapho. Asunnaka, khavanreera wiira citthu nnya cikhaleke coo. ¹¹Uhopaca woona waluusi akhumaka maasi oociva na ayo ootumpurya nipuro nimoca nenno? ¹²Asunnaka, nrrole uhopaca wiima maphepu athuna mphepu wiima nrrole? Hata vakani, khawanoorya iluusi yo maasi ootumpurya ukhuma maasi oociva.

Ankhili ankhuma wirimu

¹³Tipani iriyari inyu ri aankhili ni oocuwelaca? Aathonyihere makhalelo omaana nuupisa nrima wa ankhili. ¹⁴Waahikhaleke commo, munrimani mwinyu mmo nhaana urama wootepa ni wiihelela, vano nhiittotope ni nhootho nveehaka ikhweeli. ¹⁵Ala

ankhili ala, khaankhuma wirimu, nanso ari omwiilaponi moomu; khaanakhala o munnepani, nanso asotwani. ¹⁶Phimaana nipuro niri uramana ni wiihelela, ciri iporonka ni coonanara cinci. ¹⁷Nanso ankhili ankhuma wirimu ari ooreera, osalaama, onnema, eemaani ni oocara ikiriri, ookumiha mihokorokho comaana, oohihawulaniha ni oohiithepya. ¹⁸Ni wosalaama phinwiihaya isalaama ale anaala nhokorokho wosariya.

Upatthani wontuniyani

4 Cinkhumelela vayi ikhotto nnyo ni waanaca winyu ayaayoru nwo? Cinkhuma nkhwiluni cinaana mwirutthuni mwinyu mmo. ²Nnakhalela nttima ca akhwinyu ni khannophwanya. Nnawiiva ni nnarama nanso khannophwanya. Makhalelo enyu ari owiiva ni waana ikhotto. Nnavekela nanso khannakhela, kontha khannovekela ratta. ³Nnophavela mwaphwanyaka nrihakaceleke nkhwiluni mwinyu mmo. ⁴Nyu mayooluva, khannocuwela wiira upatthanana ituniya unkhala mwiinani awe Nluku? Ule nophavela ukhala mpwana awe ituniya, neepanka mwiinani a Nluku. ⁵Atthuna nnoona wiira waari wopure cihimilyaya cowantikhiya ciiraka: Nnepa univahilyawe wiira ukhale ni hii uhaana ihace? ⁶Nanso uyo nanivaha nnema nuulupale. Phimaana cowantikhiya ciiraka:

Nluku nawaarusanana owiittotopa nanso nawaavaha nnema oowiyeviha.*

⁷Phimaana, mmwiiwelele Nluku. Munkhottele sotwani ni uyo phinhalawe wuutthawani. ⁸Mphiyeke wa Nluku, ni uyo phinhalawe wuuphiyerani! Anataampi, nnyaweke ni nrapiheke nrima, nyu anamirima

miili. ⁹Ncukuleke ni muunleke. Mwakakhaniheke uthyaa ni wunla, utteeliya ni ucukula. ¹⁰Mwiiyevihe wa miithoni wa Apwiya ni ayo phinhalaya uwunnuwihani.

Nhaapanane

¹¹Asunnaka, nhaapanane. Ule nomwaapa munnaawe atthuna unhukhumu munnaawe, noolumacera yoonanara ni nohukhumu malamulo. We wamakelaka uhukhumu malamulo, khuneettela, nanso wiyeesile ukhala mayoohukhumu. ¹²Nlamuli ni hukhumu ri mmoca paahi, yoole noorya woopola nuukwanyula. Vano we, tipani oonhukhumu nkhwaa?

Wiisamiha

¹³Vano nviriyane, nyu nneeresa: Ilelo atthuna meelo, ninaarwa iparasa yonese, ni ninkookhala mwakha mmoca nimweettaka nakoso nuuphwanya nhakhu. ¹⁴Nyu khancuwenle itthu inhala wuukhumelelani meelo. Ukumi inyu uyo unookhala isiyani? Nyu nri toko itthapwe inkhuma ni ukati vakani inamwaryaca. ¹⁵Uhiya wuulumaca commo, fatari wiira: Apwiya yatthunaka ni anivahaka ukumi, ninapanka ila ni ile. ¹⁶Nanso, nna, nnasamela cithu cinoopuwelenyu upanka. Wiisamiha toko coo inkhala itthu yoonanara. ¹⁷Phimaana muupuwele ratta: Ule nocuwela wiira nolamuliya upanka yooreera, pihipankaka, naakosa.

Nviriyane, nyu mathaaciri!

5 Vano nviriyane, nyu mathaaciri! Ncukuleke ni munle mwanlattu wo mahuviho anhala wuphwanyani. ²Mihakhu cinyu nnyo, ikuwo cinyu ni coolya cinyu, cihontta ni ciholiya ikuttihi. ³Iwooru inyu ni

* 4:6 Ikano 3.34

ipheeta enyu cihonyela urenci. Vano urenci uyo phinhala ukhala saahiti owuuttonkani ni wuulalihani toko waneerihaya mooro. Nyu nthoacirera mahuku oomalela. ⁴Mooneke. Ncurukhu wa ananteko yoorula mmattani mwinyu ayo, nhaalivaka, unakhuwela wuttonkani nyenyu vaa. Wiikhupanya wa anakanyari uhophiya mpaka mmanyaruni mwa Apwiya a anakhotto. ⁵Nyu nheetta mpuhaka ni nhovolela ikhwilu cothene cucivenleni vathi va. Nhorittimalihera mirima cinyu nnyo nihuku noohitiya. ⁶Nnanhukumu nuumwiiva nasariya, wohiwiirihani itthu.

Uvilela muhuvani

⁷Phimaana asunnaka, nkhale oovilela, mpaka wanhalaya uwa Apwiya. Kinawoona mayoolima navilela awehereryaka yoolya yo mmattani, mpaka wammwaya ipula coopacera ni coomalihera. ⁸Ciicammo nyu nkhale oovilela ni oolipa nrima, kontha uwa wa Apwiya uri wakhiviru. ⁹Asunnaka, nhittokuttani ayaayoru wiira nhihukhumwinye. Hukumu uyo ri wankhora! ¹⁰Asunnaka, niwehere minapiyu coolumaca mwa ncina na Apwiya, ciinryaya woohuva nuvilela. ¹¹Kinawoona nineerela ahoreeriya ale yiisunkile ni uvilela. Nnawiwaka uvilela wa Yopi ni nhoona yaceenryaya. Apwiya ari oocara uthunku ni ikiriri.

¹²Asunnaka, hata mwiirihye cani, nihilupele nromolaka wirimu, atthuna vathi va, ni hata itthu phi itthu iheliye nihilupelele. Yakhalaka khweeli, mwi-ireke khweeli, yakhalaka mena, mena, wiira nhihukhumwinye.

Iswali yowaamini

¹³Wariyari winyu vaa haawo nohuva? Aswaliki. Haawo tteeliye? Eepeke icipo coolmeliha. ¹⁴Wariyari winyu vaa haawo nowerennya? Arume urweliya ahooleli okereeca, wiira yoonswalele ni anttikithele makhura, mwancina na Apwiya. ¹⁵Iswali yowaamini navona nretta ni Apwiya anaanwusa; ni wakhala wiira nookosa, naleveleliya. ¹⁶Phimaana, nlaphulule itaampi cinyu nnyo waakhwinyu ni nswalelaneke wiira nvonihye. Ulapa wa nasariya uhaana ikuru yoolipa. ¹⁷Eliya aari ntthu, oolikana makhalelo ayo toko hii. Ule ahoswali venci wiira ihirupe ipula, ni khweeli ilapo yothene khayaarupile ipula mpaka umala myakha miraru ni nuuso. ¹⁸Ahaakulela tho uswali, vano irimu yahovaha ipula vathi nuumela mihokorokho.

¹⁹Asunnaka, wariyari winyu vaa akhalaka ntthu hiile ikhweeli, vano aturuselihiyaka ni nkhwawe, ²⁰ncuwele wiira ule nonturusiha nataampi warukurerya cawe, nawoopola iroho awe wuukhwani ni cinakhuneelya itaampi cinci.