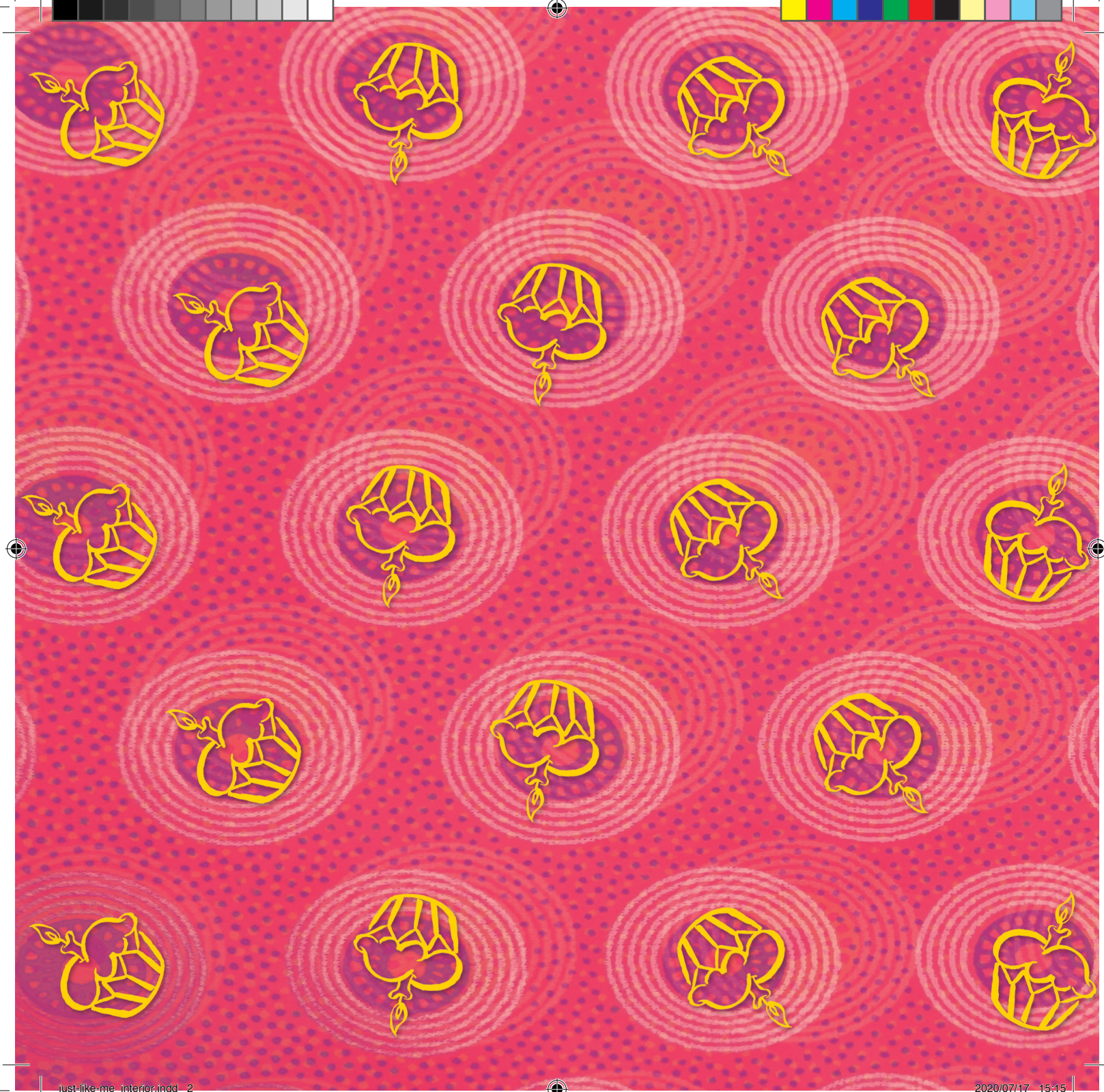




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Lusuku lokuzalwa lukaRahah
kwiveki ezayo. Uvuyela
ukumemela abahlobo bakhe
abatsha kwitheko lakhe.





“Uza kumema bani?” uyabuza uMama.

“Uneenyanga ezimbalwa nje
usesikolweni. Abantwana bonke
babonakala bohlukile, akunjalo?”

“Hayi, Mama. Ndinabahlobo
abambalwa abatsha,” utsho uRahah.







“Ndifuna ukumema uZerina.
Ufuna ukuba ngumdanisikazi
webhaleyi oyintshatsheli,
kanye njengam!”







“Kwakhle oko,” utsho uMama.

“Masidlale umculo womdaniso ke ngoko.”







“Ndithemba ukuba
uSikelele angeza naye.
Ucula kwikwayara yesikolo,
kanye njengam!”

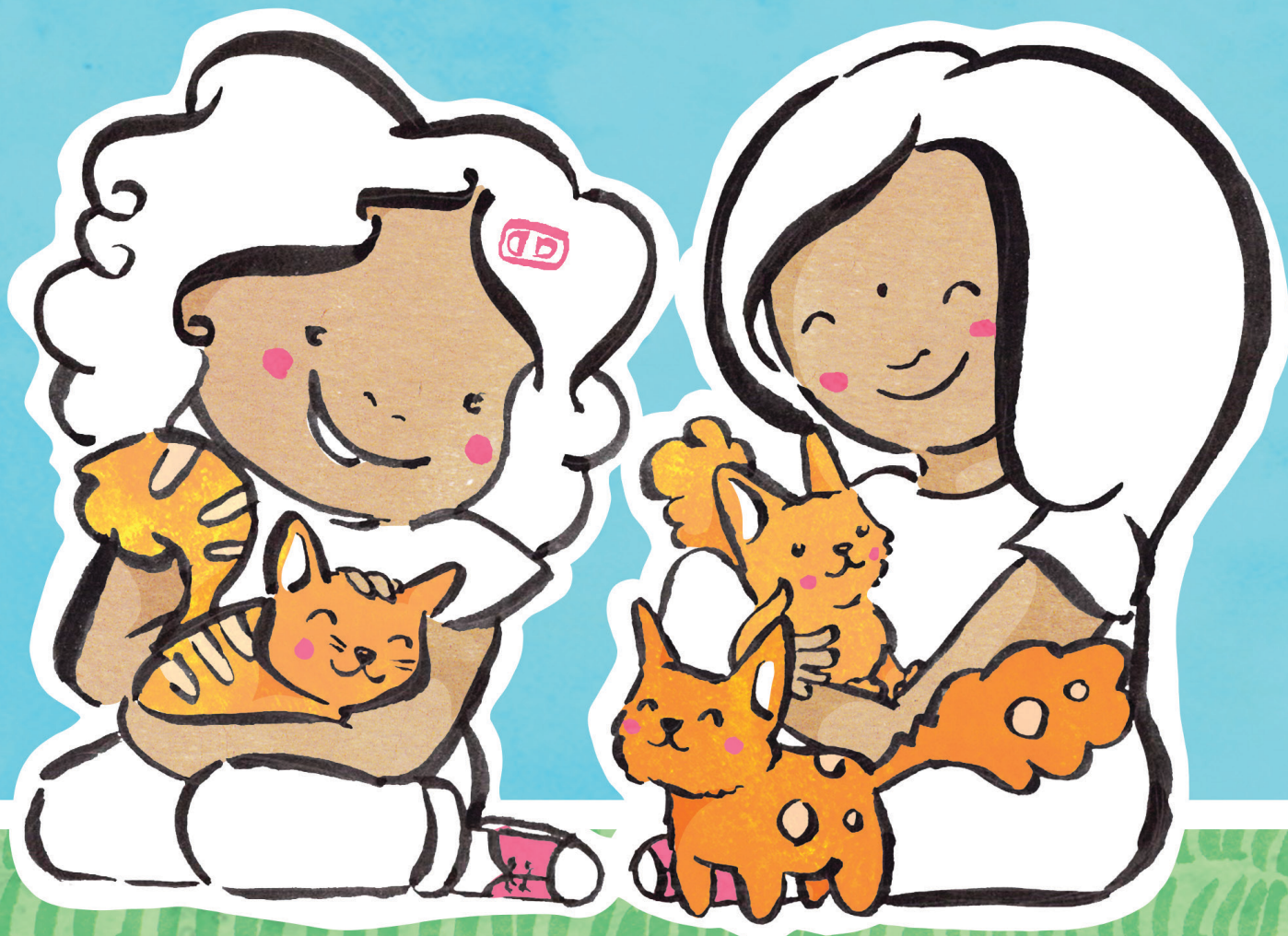




“Owu kuhle oko - siza konwaba
sonke sicule ngokunjalo.”

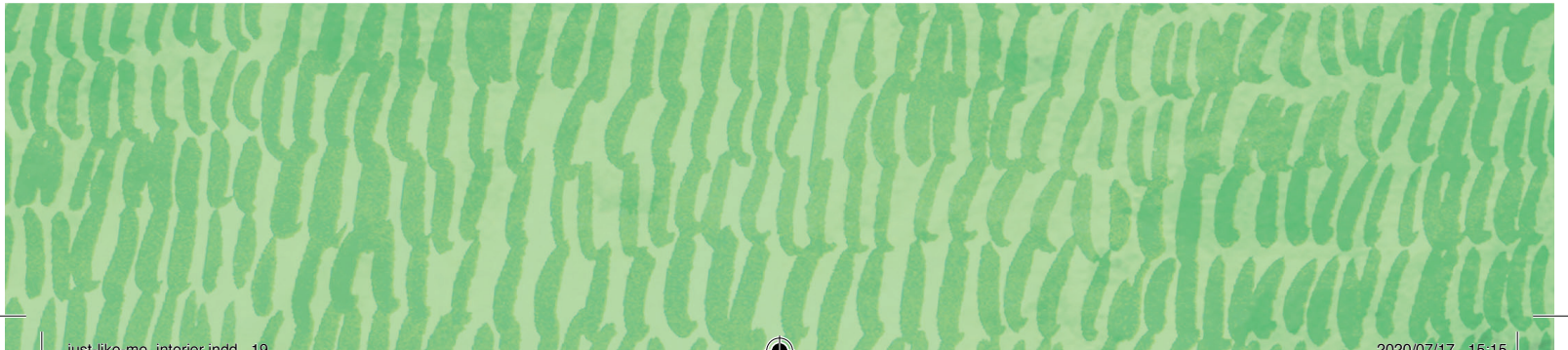








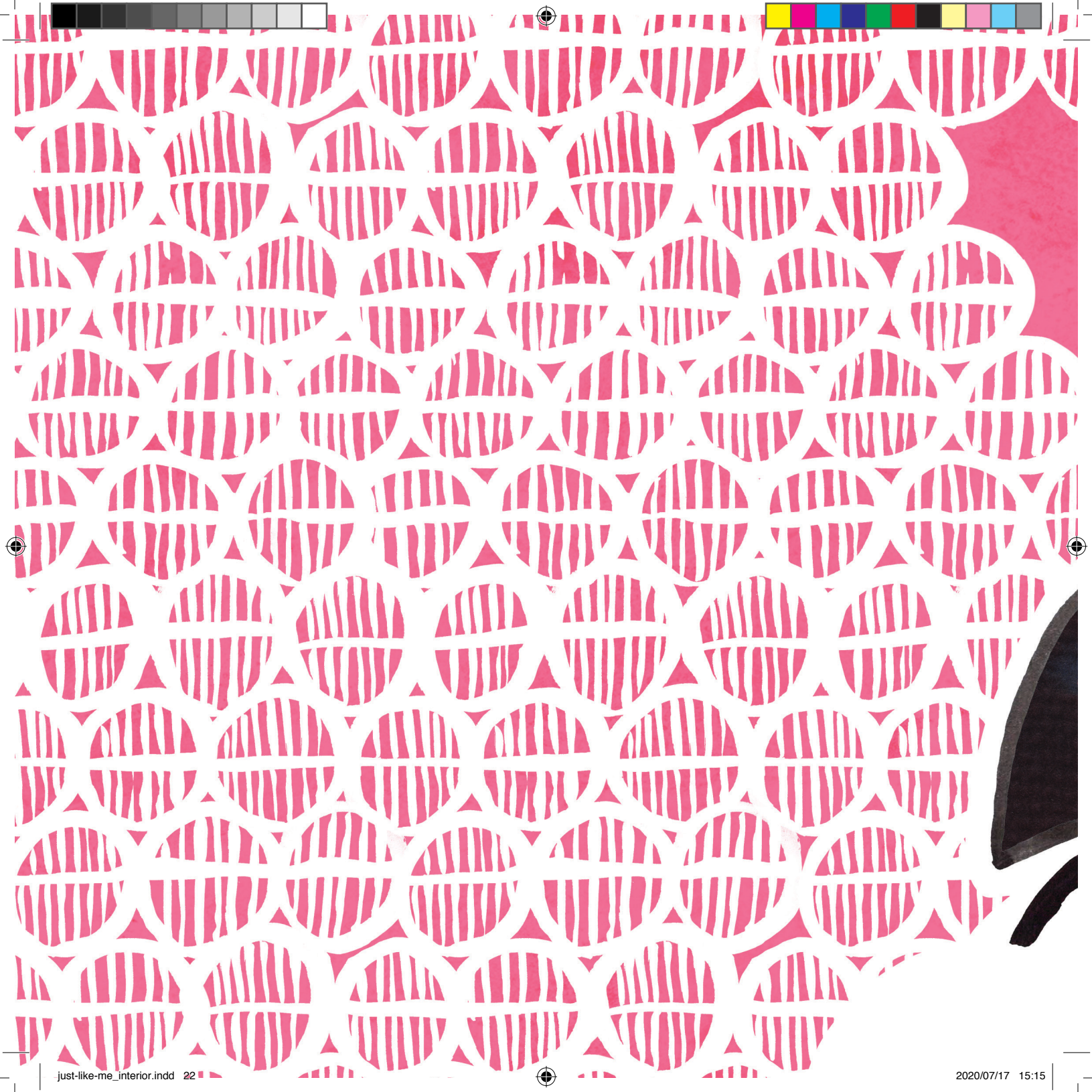
“Singammema uSusheela?
Uneekatana ezinoboya
obuthambileyo,
kanye njengam!”





“Ewe, masenze njalo. Naye
uza konwabela ukudlala
neekatana zethu.”





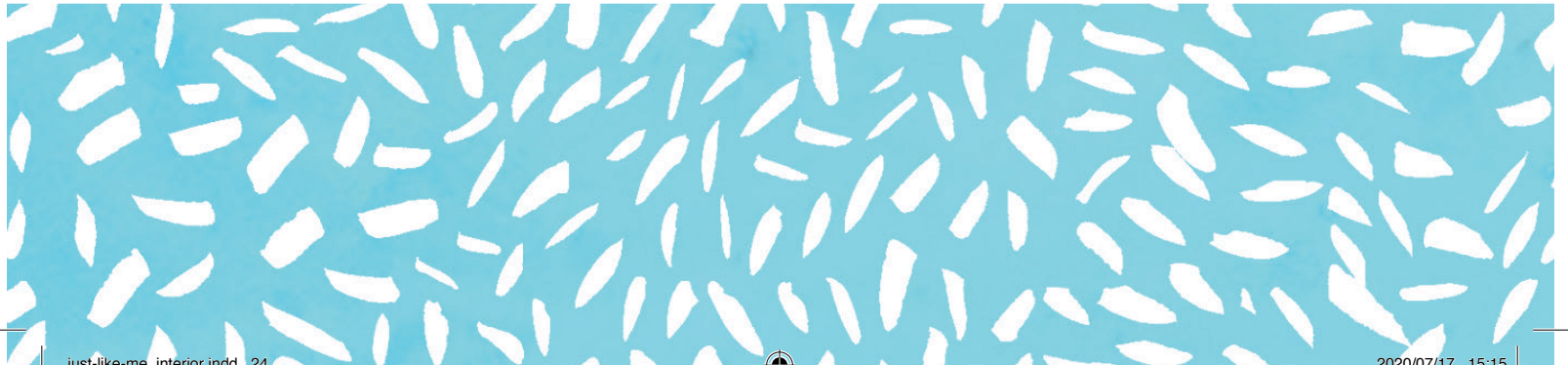
“Yaye kufuneka simeme uYongnam.
Uthanda amaqebengwana apinki
nangaphezu kwam.”





“Kungethamsanqa ndenza
amaqebengwana,” utsho uMama.

“Angafumana apinki.”







“Owu enkosi, Mama!
Andisangxame ngako.”

“Owu Rahah! Ndivuyela
ukuba ndiza kudibana
nabo bonke abahlobo bakho.
Bavakala bekhethekile -
kanye njengawe!”







“Kodwa uthini ngawe?
Uyazithanda iincwadi, akunjalo ...
kanye njengam!”

“Ungathanda ukuza
kwitheko lam nawe?”









