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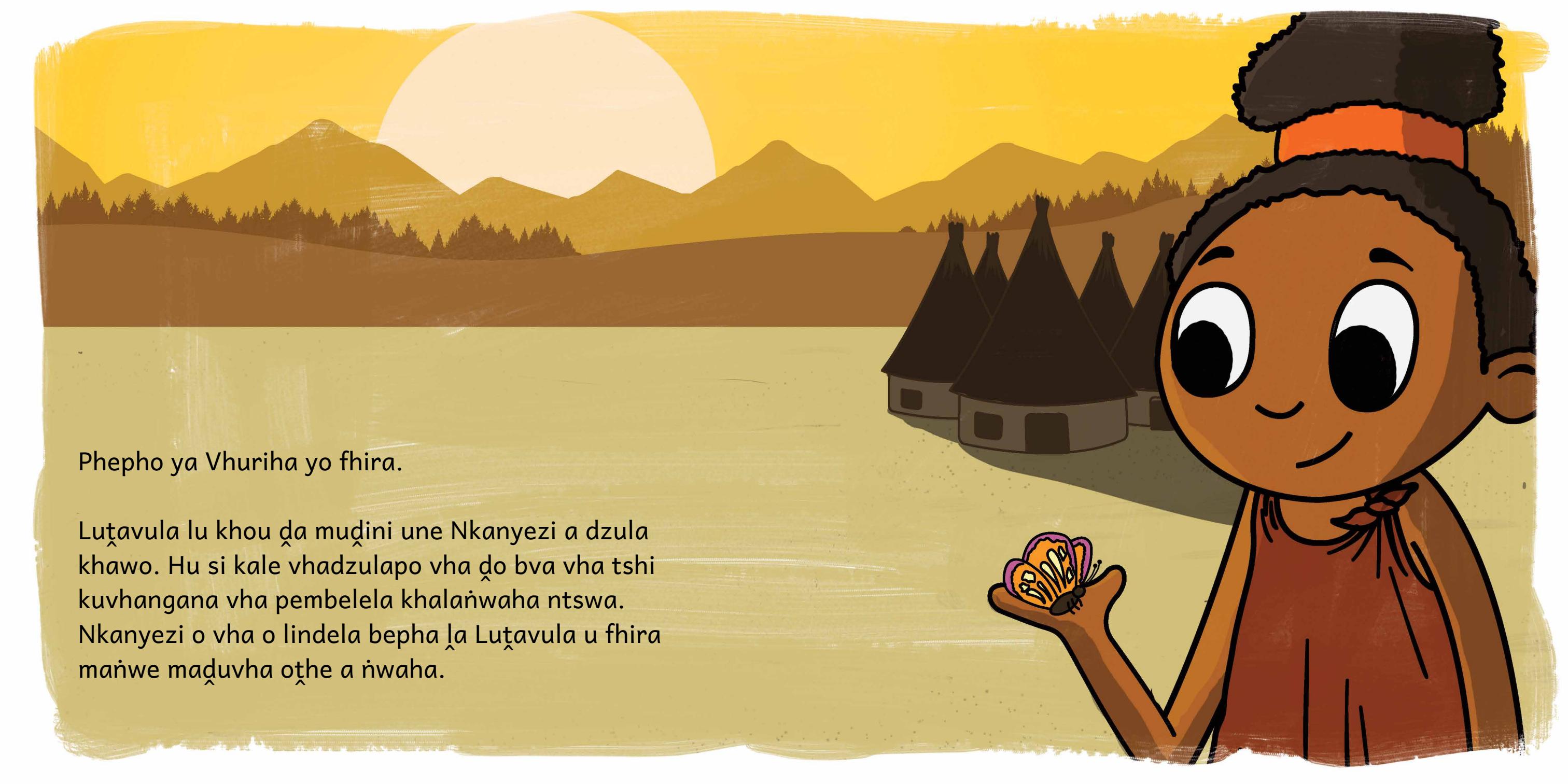
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Phepho ya Vhuriha yo fhira.

Lučavula lu khou ḋa mudini une Nkanyezi a dzula khawo. Hu si kale vhadzulapo vha ḋo bva vha tshi kuvhangana vha pembelela khalañwaha ntswa. Nkanyezi o vha o lindela bepha ḥa Lučavula u fhira mañwe mađuvha othe a ñwaha.

Liñwe ḫuvha nga matsheloni a dudelaho, Nkanyezi
a pfa vhañwe vhahulwane vhavhili vha mudi wonoyo
vha tshi khou amba nga ha bepha.

“Vhathu vha Ndlovu who xelewā nga maya wa u
pembela,” muñwe wavho u amba a tshi tou femela
n̄tha.

“Ri nga vha hani na bepha ḥa Lutavula mudini wo
hangwaho ndila ya u pembela?” hu vhudzisa muñwe.





Nkanyezi o vha a tshi khou vhilaela.

“Duvha li do dovha la penya hani nga nnda ha musi ri tshi nga imbelela u itela u li vusa kha u edela halo ha vhuriha?” u a divhudzisa.

Nkanyezi a elekanya lwa tshifhinga tshilapfu.
A dzhia tsheo, “Ndi fanelu wana zwe ra zwi xedza.”

“Ndi fanelu ya u todha zwithu zwine zwa do vhuisa maya wa u pembela mudini wa hashu.”

Vhahulwane vha nea Nkanyezi dziphathutshedzo dzavho kha lwendo lwawe. Vho mu nea bege ya u fara zwithu zwine a do zwi wana.

Nkanyezi o vha o tshuwa, fhedzi o vha a na fhulufhelo la uri u do bvelela.





Nkanyezi o tshimbila ḫuvha lo̤the. A gonya tshikwara,
a tsela fhasi govhani. A wela mulambo muhulu nga
tshikepe, a gonya vhukati ha matombo a dzīthodzi.
A tshimbila midavhini u swikela a tshi swika kha
murunzi wa thavha tswuku.

Musi li tshi vho kovhela, Nkanyezi a swika mudini une wa vha na dziphetheni na mivhala zwine a sa athu vhuya a zwi vhona na luthihi. A vhudza vhahulwane vha mudi wonoyo nga ha lwendo lwawe lwa u vhuisa maya wa u pembela kha vhathe vha hawe.

Mme a tshitshavha hetshi vha ŋea Nkanyezi mpho.

Vha vhudza musidzana uyu uri, “Nga lufuno ri ni ŋea pennde heyi ya u vhuyedzedza muvhala mudini wo swifhalelwaho.”

Nkanyezi a livhuwa vhahulwane a vhea pennde begeni yawe.

Nga matshelonitsheloni a duvha li tevhelaho a dovha a vhuyeleta lwendoni lwawe, o takalela na mpho heyi ya muvhala.





Nkanyezi a tshimbila ḫuvha lothe vhukati ha madaka mahulu a miri milapfulapfu. Musi lutombo lu tshi vho swifhala a si tsha kona u vhona, a pfa muungo wa ngoma ine ya khou lila. A hwenya a ḫavhanya a ya henengei hune ngoma ya khou lila hone, a tshi khou pfa na muya wa u tshina u tshi khou ḫa milenzheni yawe yo netaho.

Nkanyezi a diwana a muđini wa Vhabhubezi. Vhathu vho vha vho dzula vho tanga mulilo, vha tshi khou lidza ngoma vha tshi khou imbelela. O vha a sa athu vhuya a pfa muzika wavhudì ngaurali.

A vhudza vhahulwane vha muđi wonoyo nga ha Iwendo Iwawe lwa u vhuisa maya wa u pembela kha vhathu vha hawe. Vhabhubezi vha mu humbela uri a awele a dzule navho vhusiku uvho.





Nga matsheloni khosi ya vhidza Nkanyezi.

Ya amba nae ya ri, “Nwananga, ngoma yo khetheaho kheyi. I lidza luimbo luswa tshifhinga tsho^{the} ni tshi i rwa.”

Nkanyezi a livhuwa vhahulwane a vhea ngoma begeni yawe. A dovha a dzhena lwendoni lwawe, o takalela mpho heyi ya muzika na u tshina.

Nga ḫuvha ḥa vhuraru ḥa lwendo lwawe, musi a tshi khou fhira mudavhini hune ha vha na kholomo dzo nonaho, ningo yawe ya thoma u ḫothhonelela. Munukhelelo wa sengenedza zwipfi zwawe zwa u thetshela, mulomo wawe wa thoma u ḫalelwa nga mare. A tevhela munukhelelo, a swika muḍini he a wana vhathu vho ima tsini na bodo dzine dza khou vhila dza tshitshuu.

Tshitshavha hetshi tsho vha tshi tshi ḫivhea nga minyanya yatsho nahone Nkanyezi o vha a sa athu vhuya a thetshela miḍifho yo raloho. Musi o no ḥa o no fura, a vhudza vhahulwane vha muḍi wonoyo nga ha lwendo lwawe lwa u vhuisa maya wa u pembela kha vhathu vha hawe.



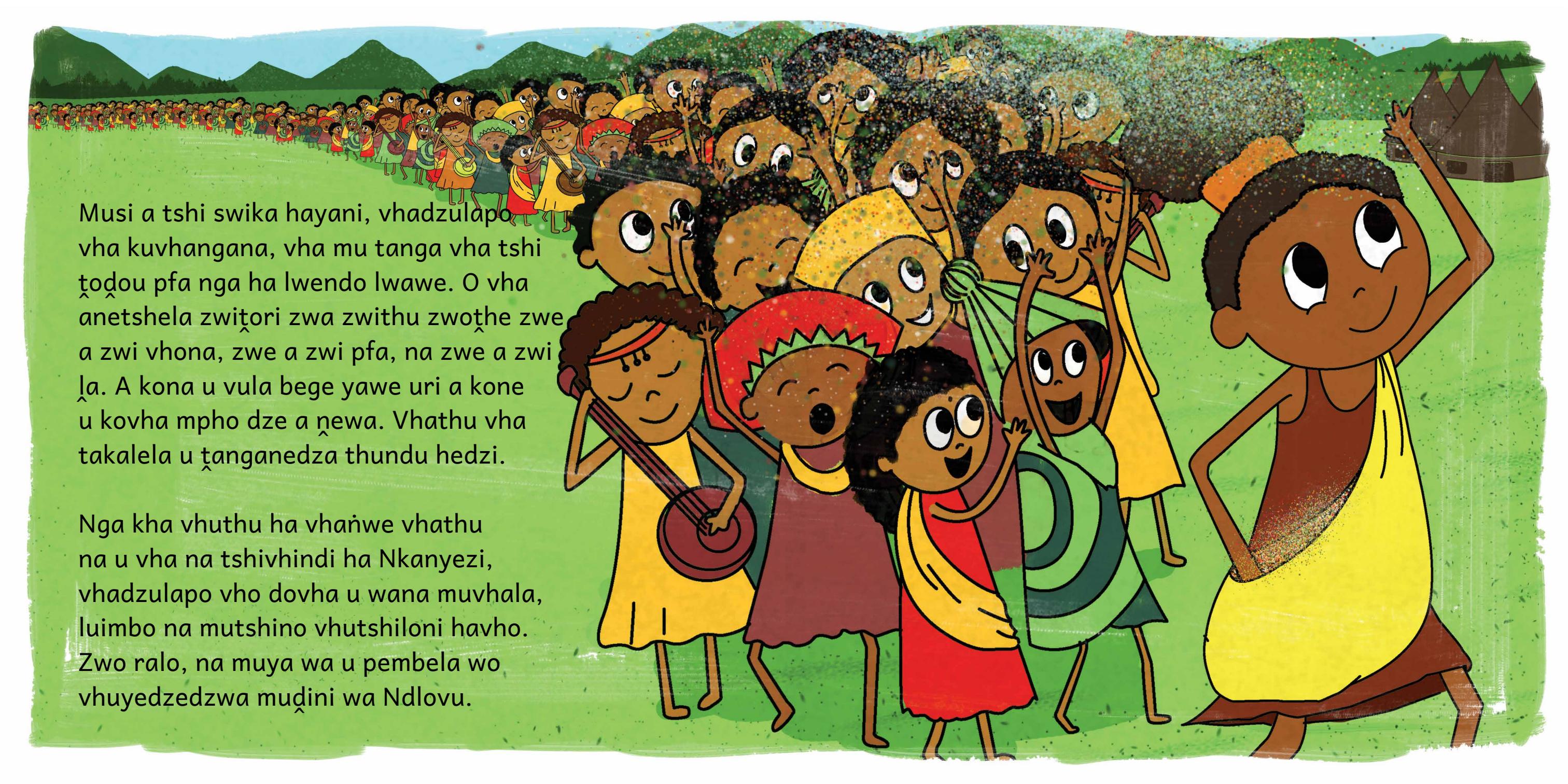


Nga tsha matshelo, vha khoro ya vhabiki vha mu ɳea muvango wa tshiphiri wa zwidohodohwane.

Vha amba nae vha ri, “Nwana washu, nga zwidohodohwane hezwi, ri khou khwaṭhiseda thumbu dzo takalaho! Ri khou ni ɳea mpho ya zwiļiwa zwavhudī.”

Nkanyezi a livhuwa vhahulwane a vhea zwidohodohwane begeni yawe.

O vha a tshi zwi ḋivha zwauri u na zwoṭhe zwine a zwi ṭoda. Nga mafulufulu maswa e a vha e nao, a thoma lwendo lwawe lulapfu lwa u humela muđini wa Ndlovu.



Musi a tshi swika hayani, vhadzulapo
vha kuvhangana, vha mu tanga vha tshi
todou pfa nga ha lwendo lwawe. O vha
anetshela zwiṭori zwa zwithu zwoṭhe zwe
a zwi vhona, zwe a zwi pfa, na zwe a zwi
la. A kona u vula bege yawe uri a kone
u kovha mpho dze a ḥnewa. Vhathu vha
takalela u ṭanganedza thundu hedzi.

Nga kha vhuthu ha vhanwe vhathu
na u vha na tshivhindi ha Nkanyezi,
vhadzulapo vho dovha u wana muvhala,
luimbo na mutshino vhutshiloni havho.
Zwo ralo, na maya wa u pembela wo
vhuyedzedzwa mudini wa Ndlovu.

