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Lińwe ḫuvha Tshibode tsho vha tshi tshi
khou tshimbila ḫakani. Tsho vha tshi tshi
khou ṭoda ṭoda.

Tsha lavhelesa tshikhalani tsha dovha tsha
sedza mahatsini.



“Hu na zwińwe zwine na khou ṭoda
zwone?” Hu vhudzisa Khumba.

“Ee, ndi khou ṭoda nnđu yanga.
No vhuya na i vhona vho?”



“Hai, a thongo i vhona, fhedzi ndi nga ni thusa
u i ṭoda!”

Khumba ya gonya kha gwangwa ḥa Tshibode.
Tshibode tsha tshimbila tsho hwala Khumba
muṭanani.

Zwa sedza sedza hoṭhe hoṭhe fhedzi ha vha hu
si na luswayo lwa nn̄du.





“Hu na zwiṁwe zwine na khou ṭoda zwone?” hu vhudzisa Lunzhaanzhaa.

“Ee, ri khou ṭoda nn̄du ya Tshibode. No vhuya na i vhone vho?”

“Hai, a thongo i vhone, fhedzi ndi ḋo ni thusa u i ṭoda!”

Lunzhaanzhaa lwa babamelisa phapha dzalwo lwa lidza
muludzi lu tshi ḫuwa.

“Ni khou ḫuwa nga luvhilo!” hu vhidzelela Tshibode.

“Zwo luga, zwi amba uri ndi ḫo tou thamutshela nṭha
haṇu na nne.”

Tshibode tsha tshimbila na Khumba na Lunzhaanzhaa



zwo nambatela kha gwangwa ḫatsho. Zwa sedza zwo
sedza, fhedzi ho vha hu si na luswayo lwa nn̄du.



“Hu na zwińwe zwine na khou ḥoda zwone?” hu vhudzisa
Tshikhokhonono.

“Ee, ri khou ḥoda nnđu ya Tshibode. No vhuya na i vhona
vho?”



“Hai, a thongo i vhona, fhedzi ndi ḋo ni thusa u
i ṭoda!”

Tshikhokhonono tsha thamutshela n̄tha ha
gwangwa ṽa Tshibode. Tshibode tsha tshimbila
tsho hwala Khumba na Lunzhaanzhaa na
Tshikhokhonono mutanani watsho.

Vha ṭoda vho ṭoda, fhedzi ho vha hu si na
luswayo lwa nn̄du.

Ha thoma u fhefhedā muya wavhuđi.

“Hu na zwińwe zwine na khou ṭoda zwone?” hu vhudzisa
Mbevha.

“Ee Mbevha, ndi khou ṭoda nnđu yanga. No vhuya na i
vhona vho?”

“Hai, a thongo i vhona, fhedzi ndi ḍo ni thusa u i ṭoda!”



Mbevha ya thamutshela muṭanani wa Tshibode.

Tshibode tsha tshimbila tshi tshi bvela phanḍa tsho
hwala Khumba na Lunzhaanzhaa na Tshikhokhonono na
Mbevha muṭanani watsho.

Vha ṭoda vho ṭoda, fhedzi ho vha hu si na luswayo
lwa nndu.

Muya wa swiela maṭari fhasi wa a kuvhanganya u
mona na Tshibode.





Muya wa ḥa na u tshi ya. Makole a thoma u swifhala.

“Yowee, nn̄du yanga i ngafhi?” Tshibode tshi amba tshi tshi tou femela n̄tha.

Ya thoma u bvuma zwikwarani.

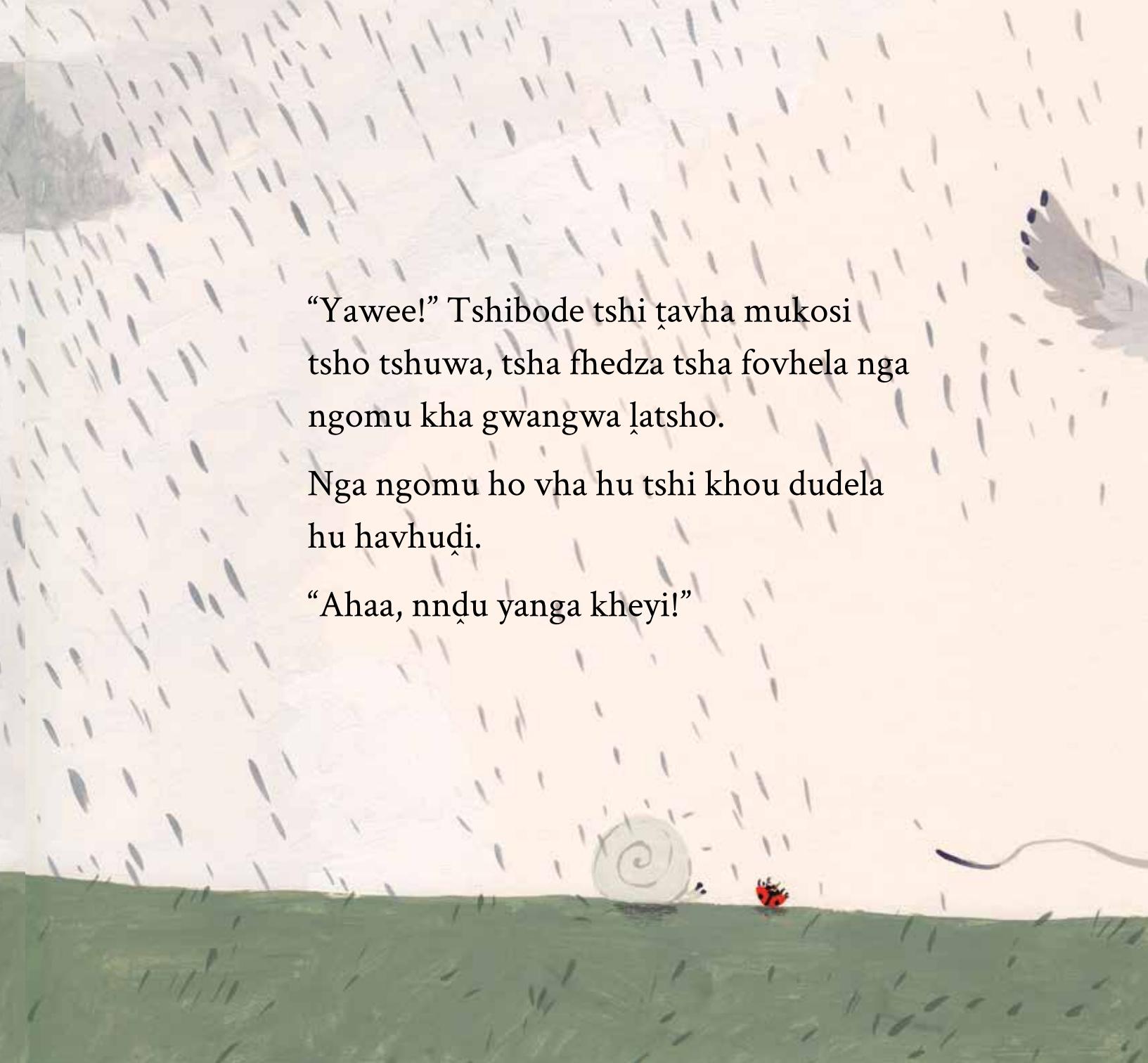
Na lupenyo lwa thoma u vhonala tshikhali.

Tho, tho mvula ya thoma u na.

“Yowee, nn̄du ya Tshibode i ngafhi?” hu vhudzisa Khumba na Lunzhaanzhaa na Tshikhokhonono na Mbevha.



Muya wa vhudzula wa kumba wa
fhufhisa Khumba na Lunzhaanzhaa na
Tshikhokhonono na Mbevha mutanani
wa Tshibode.



“Yawee!” Tshibode tshi ṭavha mukosi
tsho tshuwa, tsha fhedza tsha fovhela nga
ngomu kha gwangwa latsho.

Nga ngomu ho vha hu tshi khou dudela
hu havhudí.

“Ahaa, nn̄du yanga kheyi!”



“Ahaa, nndu ya Tshibode kheyi!”



