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African Storybook

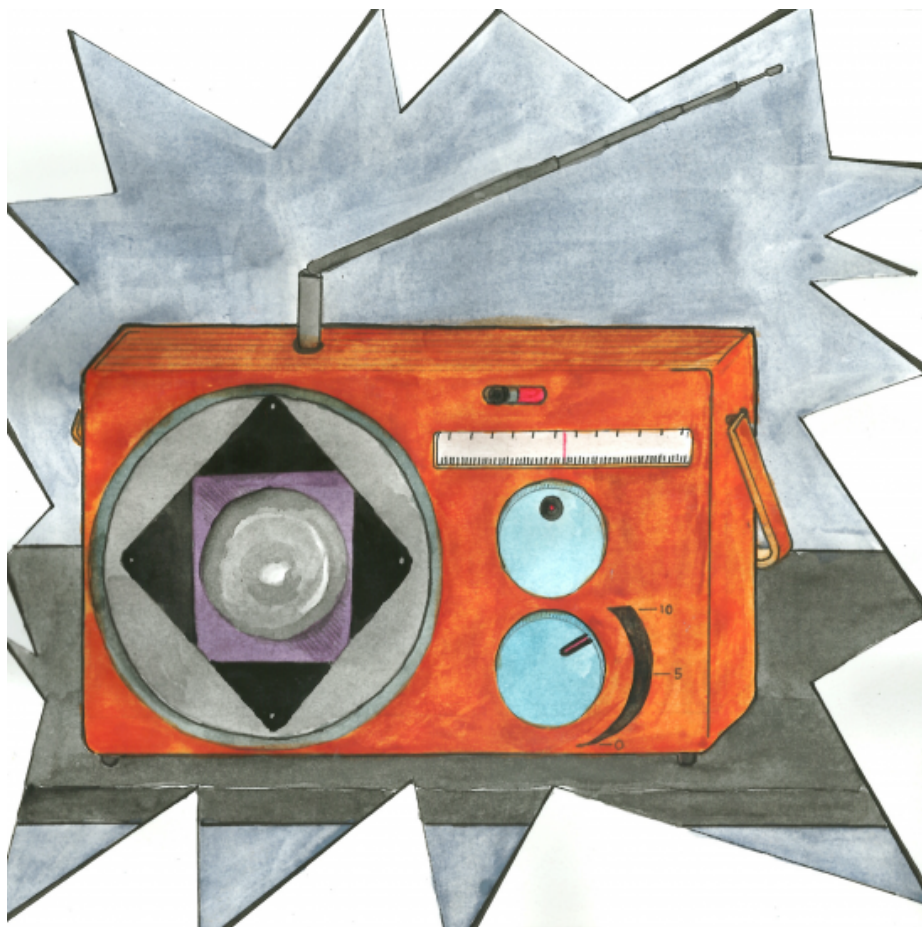
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Sinomhlangano womndeni.

Loya nguBaba, nguKghari uPula, nguMalume uChavani, ngu-Eddie, ngu-Attie, ngimi kanye noGogo. Ngingomncani kunabo boke.



Umrhatjho uvulelwa ubusuku nemini ekhethu.
Silalela iindaba ngaso soke isikhathi.

Sizwe namhlanjesi bona iinkolo ziyokuvulwa
ngeveke ezako.



Iinkolo zabe zivalwe iinyangana ngesimanga sokuqinteliswa kwamakhambo.

“Njengomndeni, kufanele sithathe isiqunto ngendaba yokobana abantwana babuyele esikolweni,” kutjho uBaba.



UKghari uPula utshwenyekile. “Lokha iinkolo nazivulwako kutjho bona inengi labantu lizokutshwayeleka.

Izinto zingaba zimbi khulu,” kutjho uKghari Pula.



“Heyi, mina ngisaba ukungenwa bulwele lobu,”
kutjho u-Attie.

“Asilindeni iimveke ezimbili sibone bona izinto
zikhamba njani esikolweni. Kukhona
ukuhlangahlangana okunengi.”



“Mina ngisabela uGogo,” kutjho uBaba.

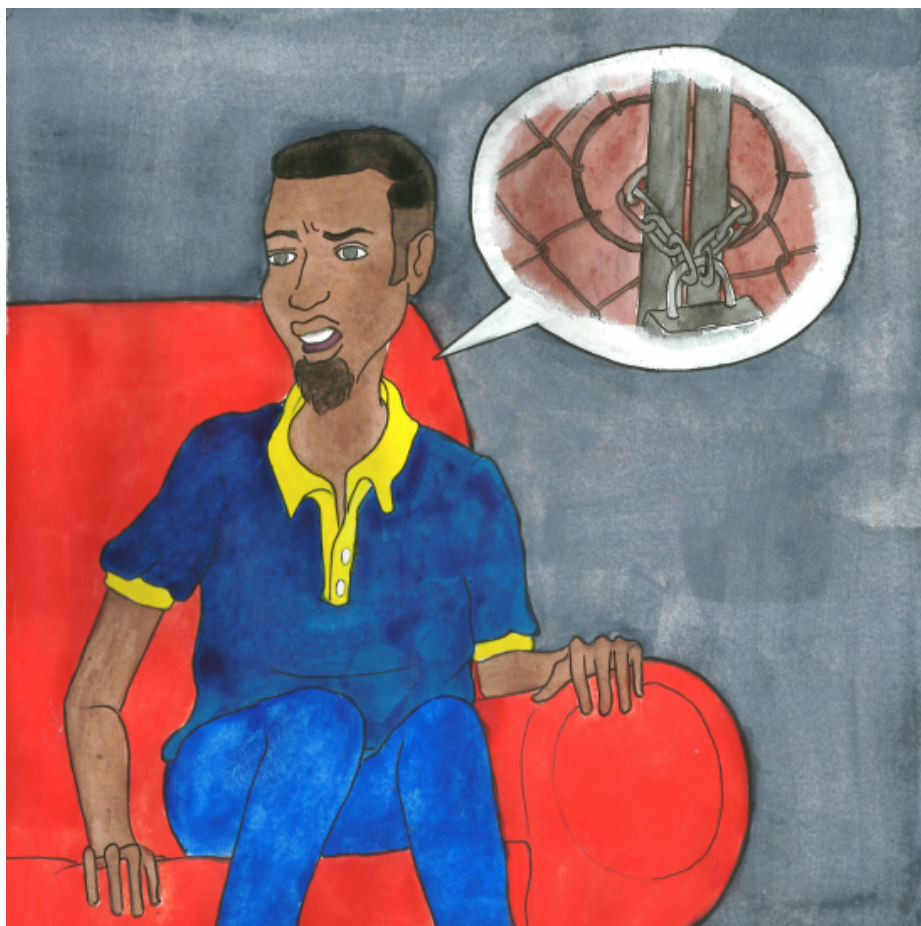
“Nange abantwana bangenwa bulwele babuthwala babulethe ekhaya, yena angagula khulu.”

UGogo uvuma ngehloko.



UGogo wami uluphele. Unobulwele betjhukela nobulwele behliziyo.

Ngiyasaba. Ngitshwenyeke khulu ngomndeni wami.



“Ngicabanga bona abantwana kufanele bahlale ekhaya sivimbele ingozi le,” kutjho uMalume uChavani.

“Asijameni silinde nangabe iinkolo sezilungele ukuba nabafundi.”

Woke umuntu uyavuma ngaphandle kuka-Eddie.



“Kufanele ngiye esikolweni samabanga aphezulu ngomnyaka ozako.

Angazi bona ngingakghona ukukhavara umsebenzi.

Ukufunda ngethungelelwano akusiyo into engiyithandako,” kutjho u-Eddie.



Mina angikatshwenyeki ngokusalela emuva
ngomsebenzi wesikolo.

Ngitshwenywa yindaba yobuntu.
Sizokuphathana njani?

Kufanele siqalane nalokhu sisoke.

—Imibuzo

1. Tlola phasi ihlathululo yamagama la: ukutshwayeleka, ukuguga, isiyeleliso, ubuntu.
2. Hlathulula bona kutjho ukuthini 'ukutshwenyeka ngobuntu'.
3. Ucabanga bona umndeni uthethe siphilisiqunto? Kubayini?
4. Bobani ababumba umndeni wakho?
5. Wazizwa njani nawuhlangana nabangani bakho besikolweni ngemva kokuqinteliswa kwamakhombo kwe-*Covid-19*?
6. Ngaphandle kwedayibhithisi, ngibuphi obunye ubujamo bezamaphilo obungehlisa ubungozi bokungenwa ngamanye amalwele?
7. Ngiziphi iinqunto ozithathako njalo ngelanga?

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