



Yebo le Dimo

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Yebo le batsadi ba gagwe ba nna kwa sekgweng.

Mo go yona kgaolo e, go nna dimo, Zim-zim.

Zim-zim o ne a itsege ka go ja bana.



Sikwebu, rraagwe Yebo e ne e le motsomi. Fa a boela gae, o abitsa, "Yebo! Yebo! Tlaa o kopane le nna ngwanake."

Yebo a re go mmaagwe, "Rre wa mpitsa, Ke tshwanetse go ya go kopana le ena."

Zim-zim a bona tsotlhe tse.



Zim-zim o leka go etsisa Sikwebu, "Yebo! Tlaa o kopane le nna ngwanake."

O ne a itse gore ga a utlwale go tshwana le Sikwebu.

"Nka fetola jang lentswe la me?" o maketse.



Zim-zim a kopa thuso kwa moloing.

“Nka fetola jang lentswe la me go nna la setho?”
a botsa.

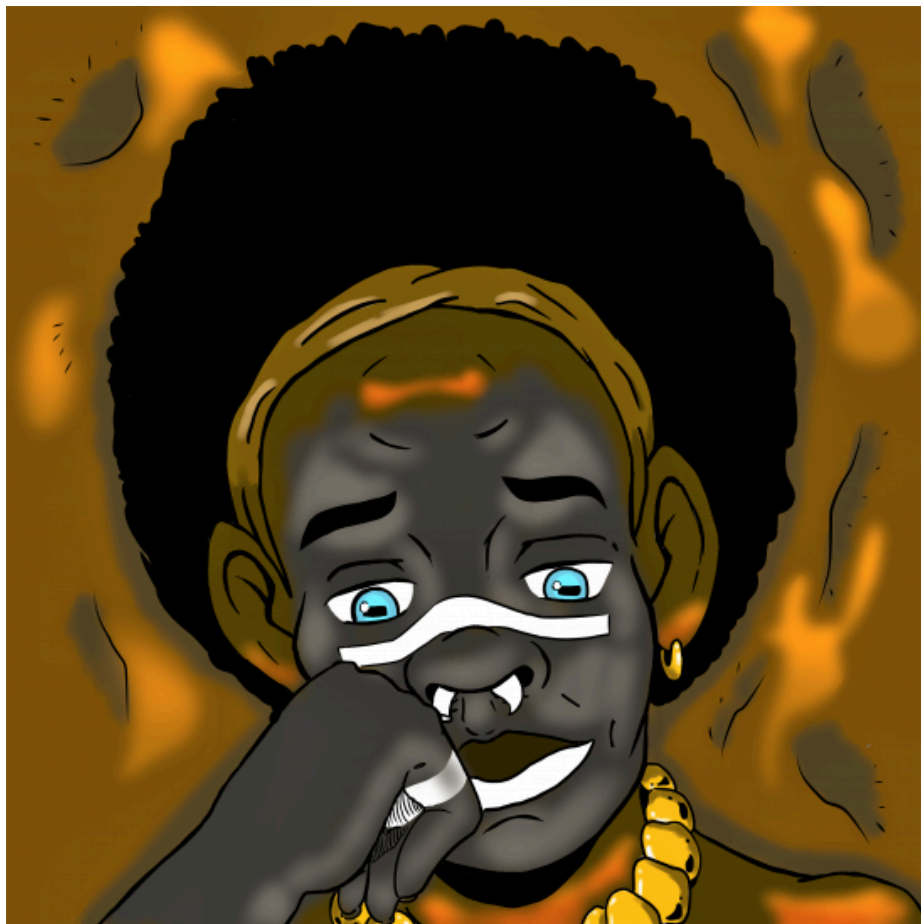
“Gotetsa motshe go fitlhelela o fisa o nna
mohibidu, mme o o metse otlhe,” moloji a mo
gakolola.



Zim-zim a boela gae a meditse motshe o bolelo.

Jaanong a simolola go bitsa, "Yebo! Yebo! Tlaa o kopane le nna ngwanake."

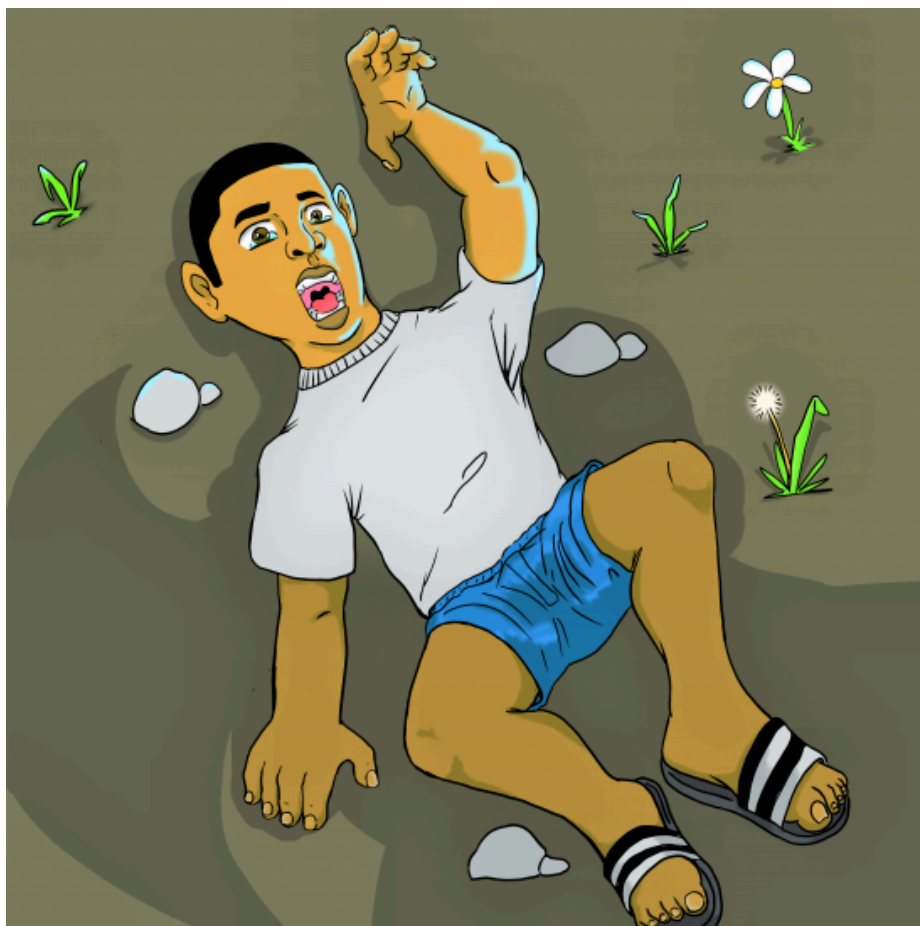
Nyaa! Lentswe la gagwe le ne le sa tshwane le la ga Sikwebu. Le ne le tibile lele boteng.



Zim-zim yo o sa itumelang a boela kwa moloing.

“Ke ka dirang go nna le lentswe le lennye la setho?” a botsa.

“Mo nakong e, gotetsa motshe bosigo botlhe mme mo mosong, o metse gotlhe,” ga araba moloji.

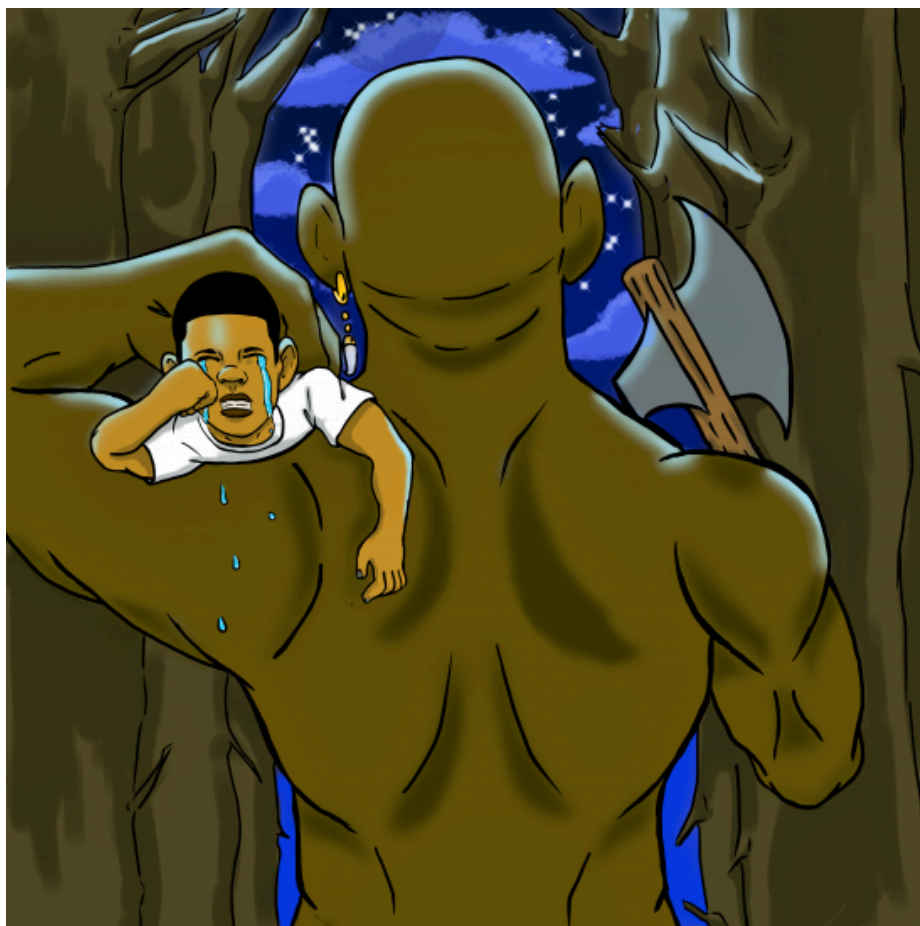


Morago ga go dira jaaka a laetswe, Zim-zim a boela a bitsa, "Yebo! Yebo! Tlaa o kopane le nna ngwanake."

Lentswe la gagwe le ne tshwana sentle le la ga Sikwebu.

Yebo a tabogela kwa ntle.

Fela e ne e se rraagwe.



Yebo a lemoga phoso ya gagwe go setse go le thari!

O lekile go tabogela kwa morago, fela Zim-zim a mo tshwara bonolo.

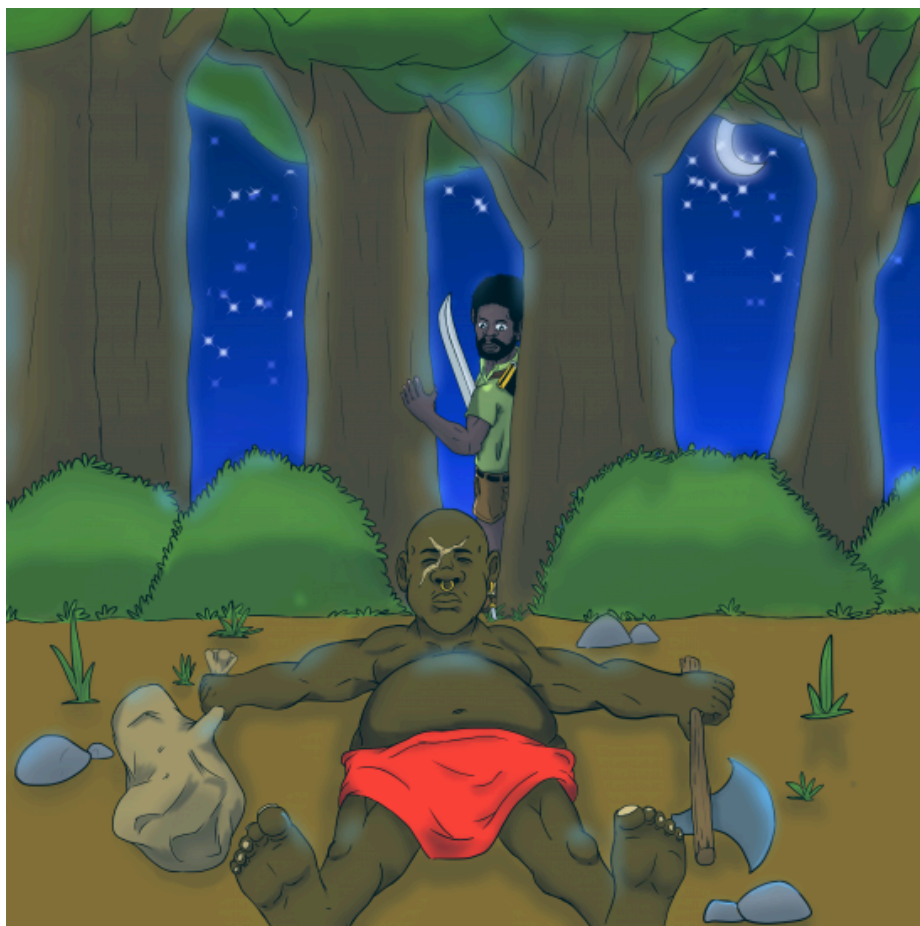
O ne a tshwere Yebo jaaka logong mme a tsena ka ena mo sekgweng se se boteng.



Ka bonako, Sikwebu a fitlha kwa gae mme a bitsa, “Yebo! Yebo! Tlaa o kopane le nna ngwanake.”

Fela Yebo ga a ka a tlhagelela. Mmaagwe a araba, “O setse o mmiditse.”

Ba lemoga gore ngwana wa bona o tshotswe ke Zim-zim.



Sikwebu a tsaya thobane ya gagwe ya go tsoma a ya kwa sekgweng. Go ya go batla morwae.

Go tswa mo bokgakaleng, o ne a bona Zim-zim a tshwerwe ke boroko mo leribeng la noka. O ne a dutse le kgetse e kgolo fa thoko le ena.



Sikwebu a ngwangwaelela kwa go Zim-zim. Fa a le fa gaufi, a tsholetsa thobane e telele ya gagwe a betsa Zim-zim.

Zim-zim a tlola a tlhakatlhakane go tswa mo borokong a tshaba.

Sikwebu a bofolola kgetse mme a ntsha morwae.



Sikwebu a atlarela morwae, a itumeletse go kopana le ena gape. Yebo o ne a itumeletse go bona rraagwe.

Ba ne ba lebala ka ga Zim-zim mme ba boela gae.



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