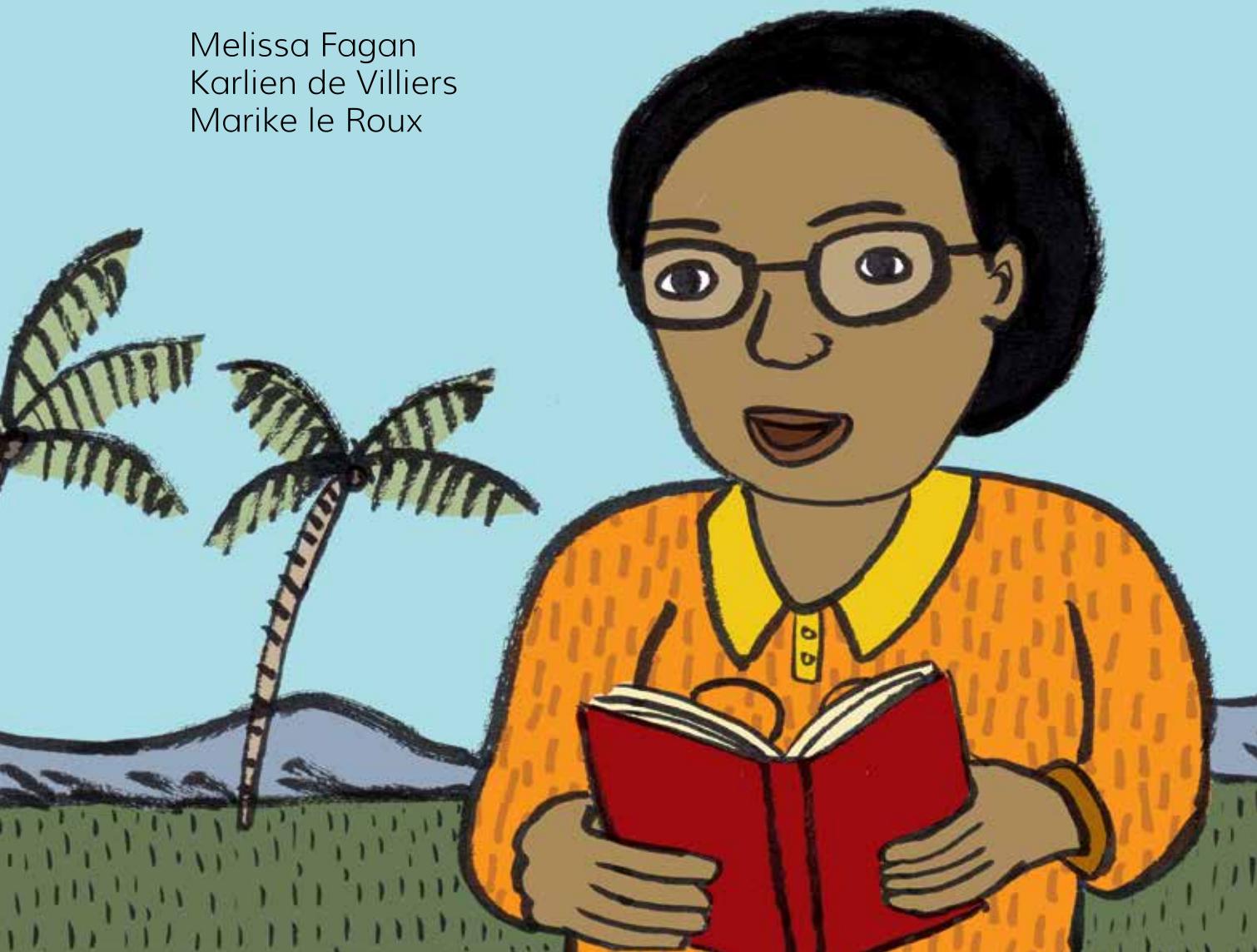


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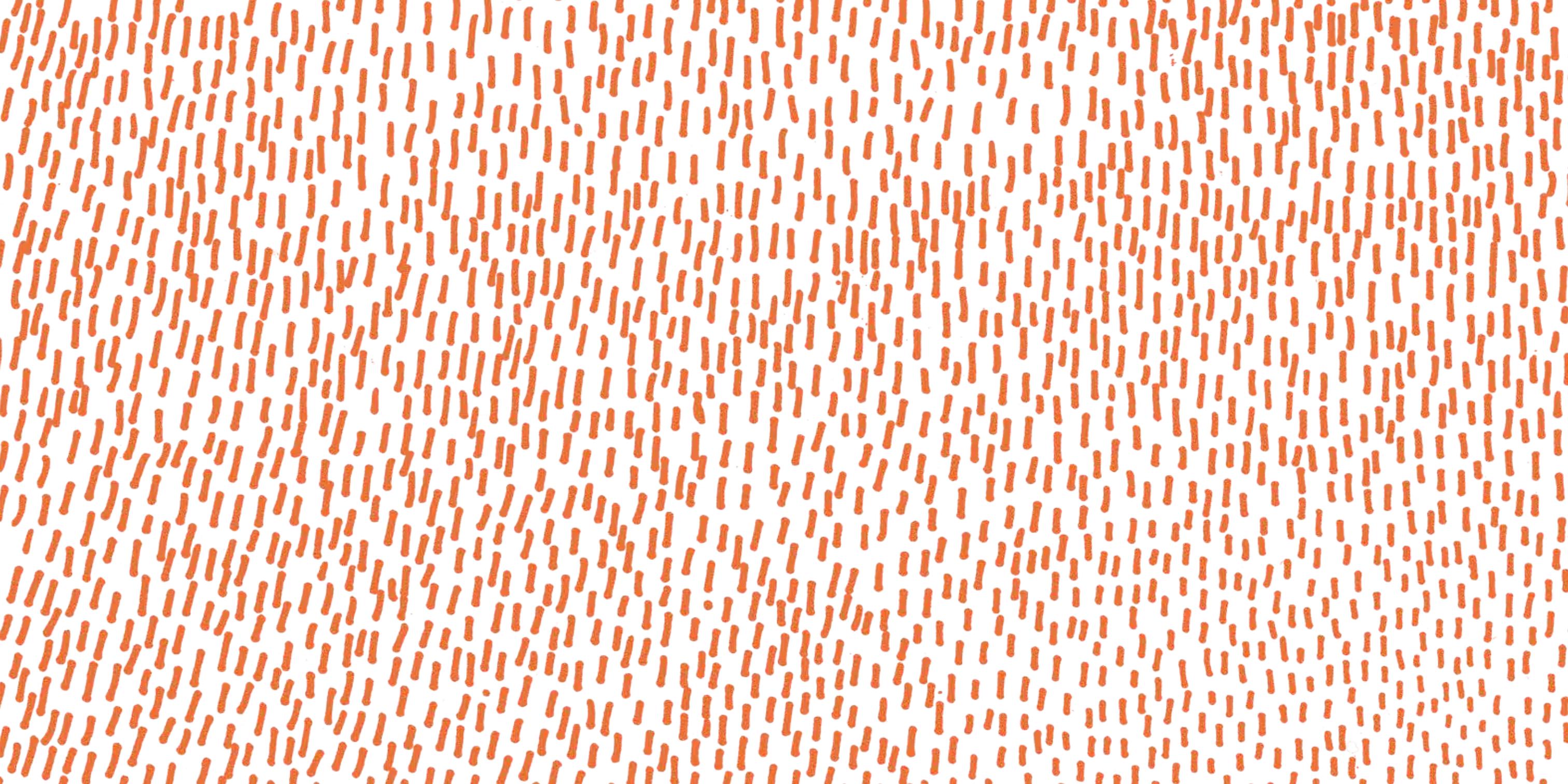


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Graça o be a le kgauswi le go belegwa motsaneng wa Mozambique. Naga e be e itlhakela le batho ba be ba sa ipuše. Bana ba be ba se na dikolo tše kaone gomme bontši bo be bo sa kgone go bala. Mmago Graça o ile a lora a efa bana ba gagwe menyetla. Efela go be go se na kholofelo ntle thuto.



Ngwana Graça o be a tlide go ba ngwana wa boselela. Efela go be na le manyami a mantši ka tiragalo ye ya lethabo. Tatago bona wa morategi o be a hlokofala. O ile a lora gore ngwana wa gagwe wa mosetsana yo monyanennyane o tla ya sekolong se kaone. O be a tseba gore thuto e tla mo fa menyetla yeo a sa kago a ba le yona. Lapa la gagwe le ile la tshepiša go phethagatša toro ya tatago bona go ba nnete.



Ka morago ga dibeke di se kae tša go hlokoſala ga tatago bona, leſea le leswa le ile la belegwa. O ile a reelwa leina la go ſepelelana le botſe bja gagwe le tšhegoſatšo – Graça. Ge mengwaga e kgatlampana, Graça o ile a tliša lethabo go lapa la gabonome ba ſwarelala go tshepišo yeo ba e dirilego go tatago bona. Graça o tla hwetša thuto ye kaone.



Graça o ile a šoma ka maatla sekolong gomme bjalo ka ngwana wa go tšwa mahlalagading a amogela mpho yeo e tla fetošago bophelo bja gagwe. E be e le thušo ya mašeleng ya go yo tsena sekolo sa motsesetoropong sa go huma. O ile a lora ka go ba morutiši le go diriša thuto ya gagwe go ruta ba bangwe. O be a nyaka bana ba Mozambique ye a e ratago ba tsebe go bala le go ithuta. O ile a lora ka nako yeo bana ka moka ba tla yago sekolong.



Graça o ile a dira ka mo a kgonago  
motsesetoropong wo gomme mengwageng  
ya moragonyana a šegofatšwa gape. E be  
e le thušo ye nngwe ya mašaleng ya go yo  
tsena yunibesiti kua kgole Potokisi. O kopane  
le bagwera ba baswa, a ithuta maleme a  
maswa le go bala dipuku tše dintšintši. O ile a  
fihlelela toro ya gagwe ya go ba morutiši.

Tšeо ka moka di ile tša thabiša Graça kudu.  
Go be go sa na le selo se tee fela seo se mo  
nyamišago ...



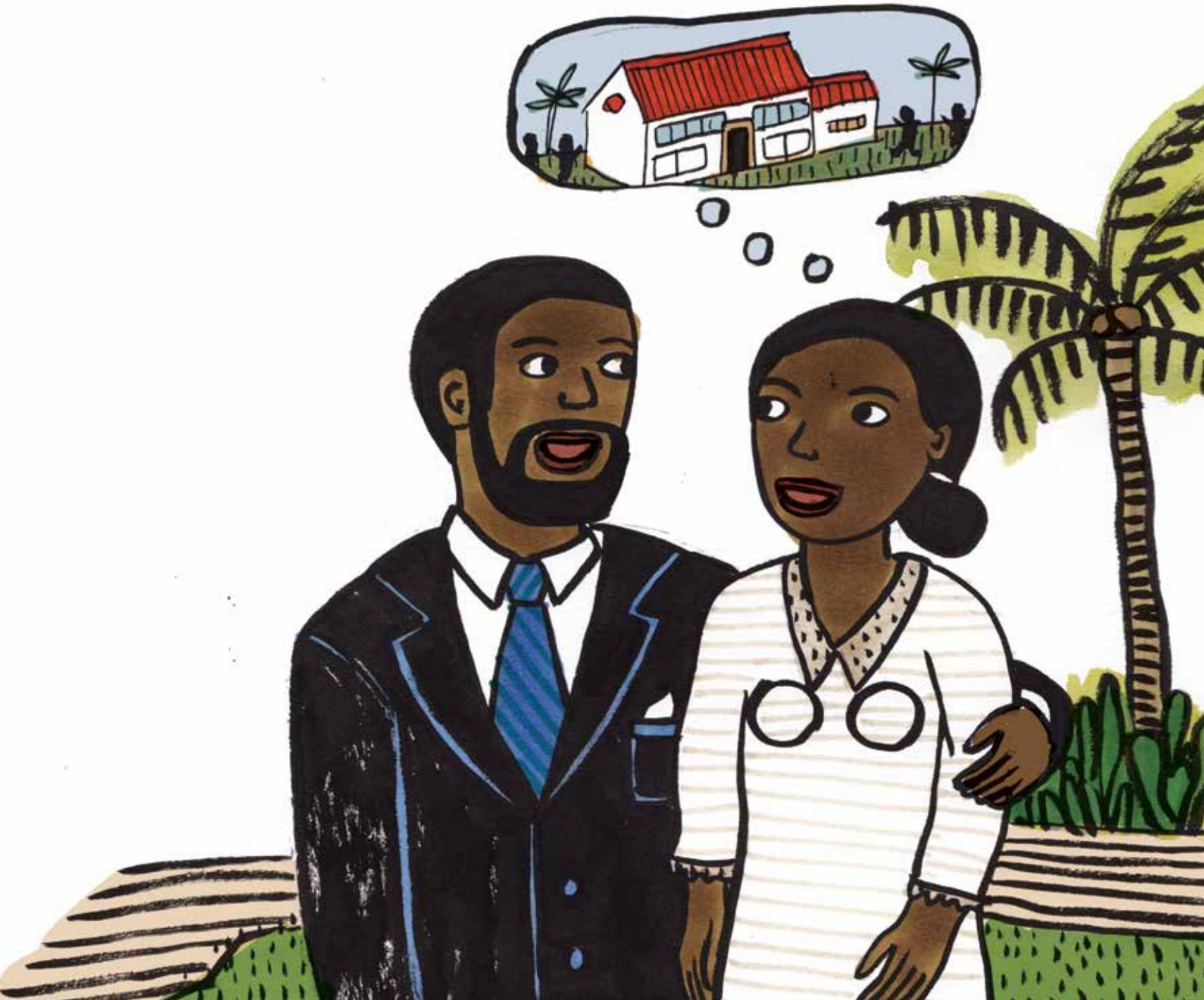
Morago kua gae batho ba be ba sa hlwa ba lokologa. Graça o na le thuto, mabokgoni, le kholofelo. O be a na le bagwera gape bao ba ikwago bjalo ka yena ka ga ditokelo tša bana tša go ithuta. O tla diriša tsebo ya gagwe gomme a šoma le bagwera ba gagwe. Ba tla tliša phetogo ka Mozambique mmogo.



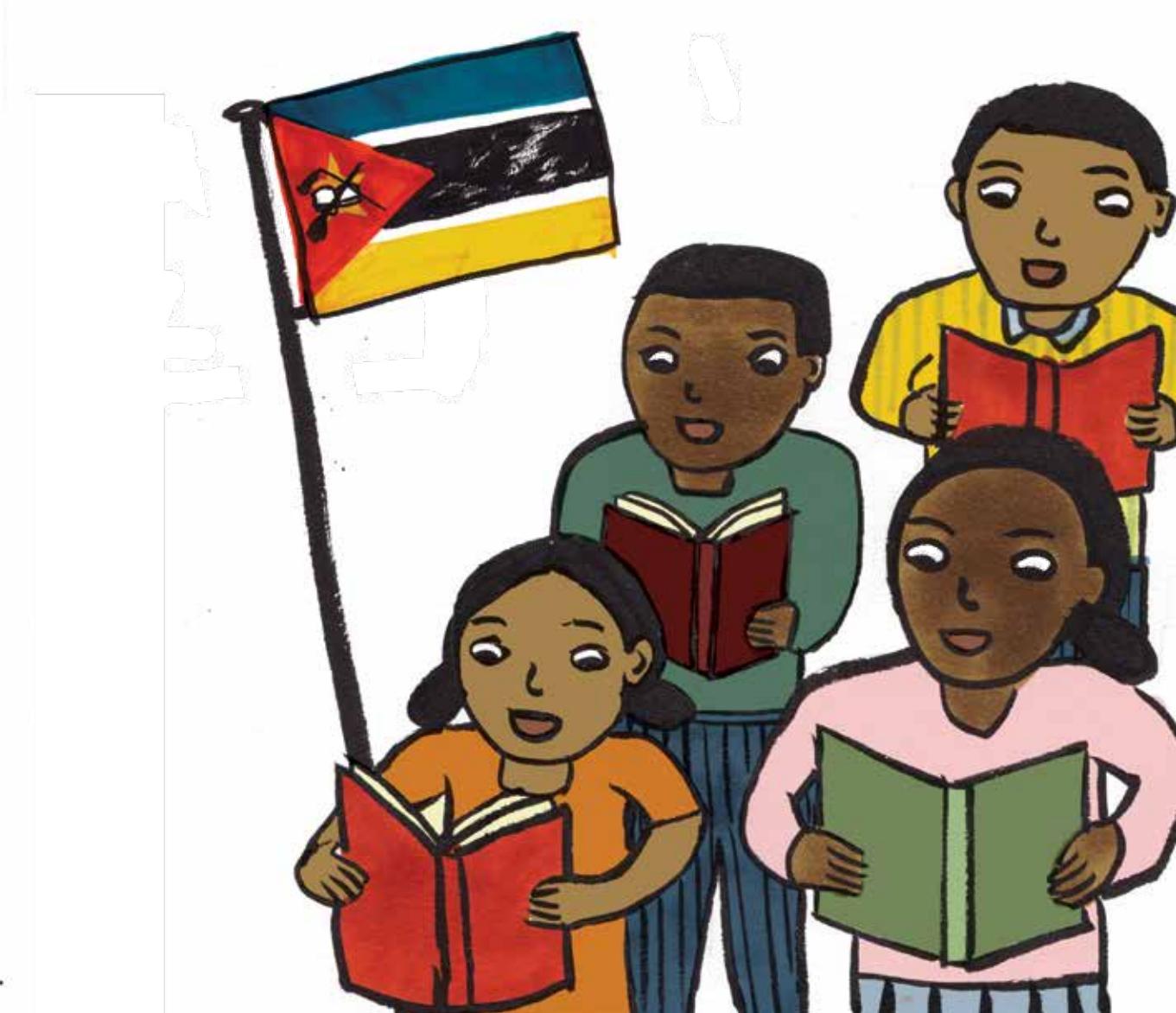
Ka thušo ya bagwera ba gagwe ka  
moka mafelelong, Mozambique e  
lokologile!



Monna yo a kgethilwego go eta naga pele  
ebe e le mogwera wa go kgethega wa Graça,  
Samora Machel. Ba ile ba ratana gomme ba  
nyalana.



Graça o ile a fiwa mošomo wa bohlokwa wa go kgonthiša gore bana ka moka ba Mozambique ba hwetša thuto ye kaone. E be e le mošomo wo boima ka gore go be go na le bana ba bantši ka Mozambique bao ba sa kgonego go bala. O be a tseba gore ba hloka thuto gomme a nyaka go dira phetogo ya makgonthe nageng ya gabu. O thomile ka dikolo tša phoraemari gomme a tsenya bašemane le basetsana ka diphapošiborutelong. Nepišo ya gagwe e be e le go tsebo ya go bala le go ngwala le go bea dipuku ka diatleng tša bana.





Graça le Samora ba be ba na le bana ba babedi. Ba be ba na le toro ya go swana ya go hlama maphelo a makaone a malapa a bobona le a batho ba Mozambique. Ba be ba thabile gomme ba na le kholofelo.

Gomme ka letšatši le lengwe la masetlapelo, Samora a hlokofala pšhatlaganong ya sefofane.



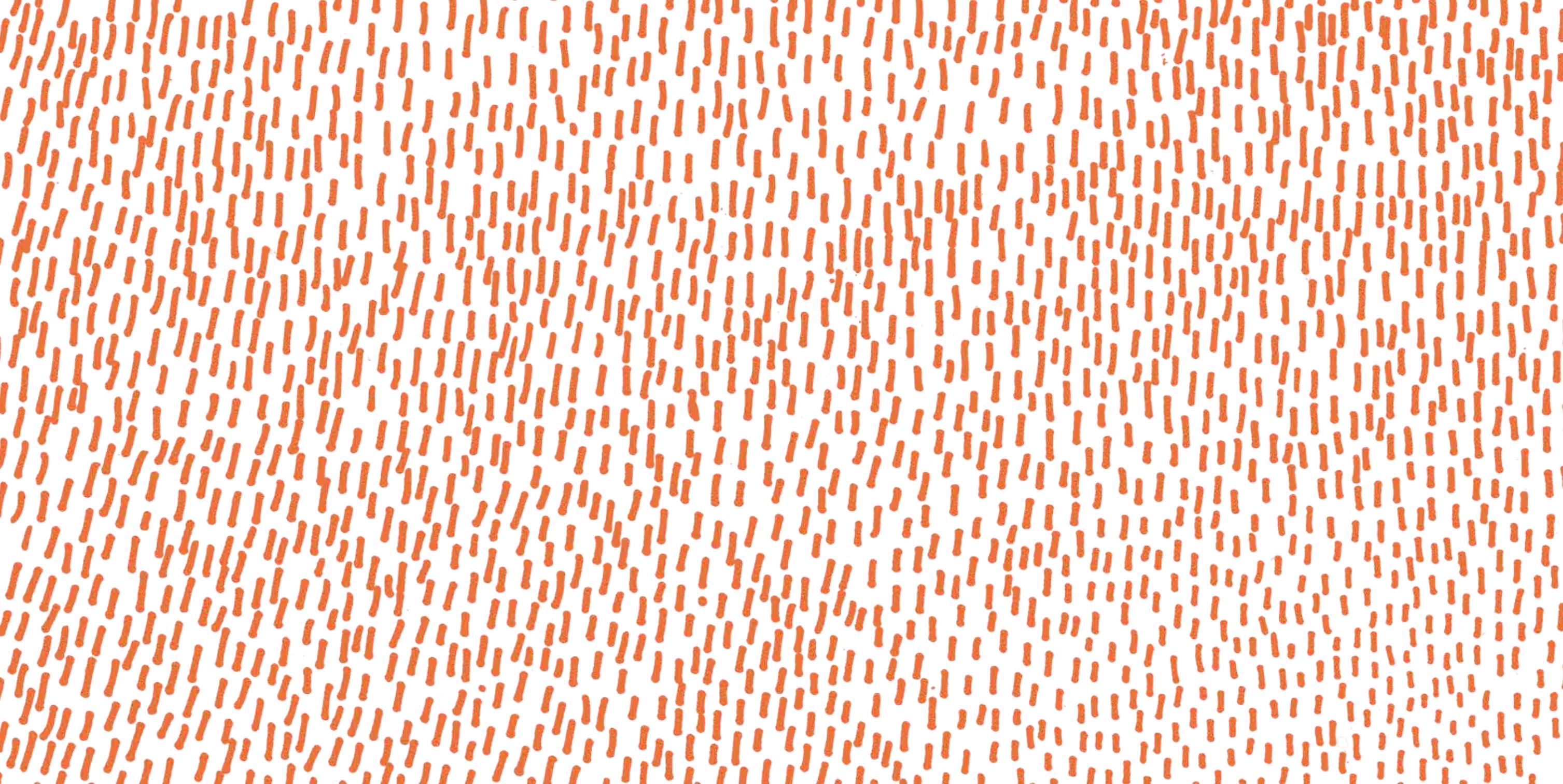
Graça o ile a mo roulela mengwaga ye  
mentši, efela a hwetša lerato gape. O ile  
a kopana le monna yo le yena a feditšego  
bophelo bja gagwe a lora ka go tliša  
tokologo, kholofelo le thuto bathong ba gabon.

Graça o ile a nyalana le Nelson Mandela  
gomme ba šoma mmogo go thuša bana  
ba Afrika.



Ditoro tša Graça di fetogile nnete. O bile morutiši. O ketekile tokologo ya naga ya gabo. O diretše gore bana ba bantši ba kgone go hwetša thuto, le menyetla ya gore le bona ba fihlelele dilo tše di botse.





Puku še ngwanaka. Ke eng  
seo e tla o hlohleletšago go  
se dira?

