



Pale ya Lesedi

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Ausi wa ka Lesedi ke setsokotsane sa nnete.

O tla kotsama setulong sa hae jwalo ka ha eka ke bere.

O tla ipata hodima sefate ha o ka leka ho motshwara.



“Theoha moo sefateng, o tla senya moriri wa hao!” ke nkgono a omana.

“Oho nkgono! Ke se kele lefaufaung!” ho araba Lesedi.

Nkgono a sisinya hlooho a sa kgolwe.



O ka kgolwa hore le ha pula ena ausi wa ka Lesedi o matha hara yona.

“Lesedi! Kena ka tlung, ota kolobisa diaparo tsa hao!” ke nkgono a hweletsa.



Lesedi o taka ka dijo tsa hae tsa mantsiboya
mme o etsa dipudulwana ka tee ya hae.



O letsa moropa wa hae a be a tidinya katara ya hae ya motlakase.



Ha ho makatse ha a sa eellwe bohlaswa boo a bo bakang.



“Lesedi, ka nnete ona ha se mokgwa oo kgarebe e tshwanetseng ho itshwara ka ona,” ho rialo nkgono.



“Jo! Nkgono, ona ke mokgwa oo ke bopuweng ka ona,” ho rialo Lesedi a edimola.



Empa bosiu bohle Lesedi o lala a fetoha a sa robale ho hang.



Ha bosiu bo esa, Lesedi ke hona a ntseng a
otsela.

“Oho nkgono,” ho rialo Lesedi, “Ha ke ya robala
hamonate ho hang.

Ka kopo hle o nneheletse lefielo ke hlwekise
kamore ya ka.”



“Oho Lesedi,” ke nkgono a bososela, “Ha o rata o ka ba kgarebe ya seithati”

“Jo nkgono,” ke Lesedi a bososela, “Ha ke rata nka ba jwaloka kgarebe ya seithati.”



“Nkaba tsona di le pedi. Nkaba ntho e nngwe le enngwe yeo ke e batlang,” ho rialo Lesedi a haka nkgonae.



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