

Tatana na Manana Malatji

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Khale ka khaleni, a ku ri na xitikwana xin'wana eLimpopo, lexi axi vuriwa Ga-Molapo, ehansi ka hosi Sello Kekana.

Xitikwana lexi a xi ri xitsongo, leswi a swi endla leswaku vanhu va tivana hinkwavo. A ku ri ni tindlu to akiwa hi misava no fuleriwa hi byanyi.



Ttn na Mnn Malatji a va tshama ematikoxikaya.

Masiku hinkwawo Ttn Malatji a kuva tihunyi,
kasi Mnn Malatji a ya ka mati enambyeni.

Masiku hinkwawo, a va kwetlembetana hi
mitirho ya vona.



“Ndzi karhele ku ya kuva tihunyi,” ku vula Ttn Malatji.

“Na mina ndzi karhele ku ya ka mati,” ku vula Mnn Malatji.

“A ndza ha yi ku ya tshova tihunyi!” ku huwelela Ttn Malatji. A cukumeta tihunyi a huma a famba.



Hi nkarhi wolowo, ku sungula ku tshwa etikweni.
Mindyangu yo tala yi sala yi ri hava tindlu.

Ndzilo wu sungule eka yindlu ya ka Malatji, ivi
wu tlulela eka tindlu ta van'wana.

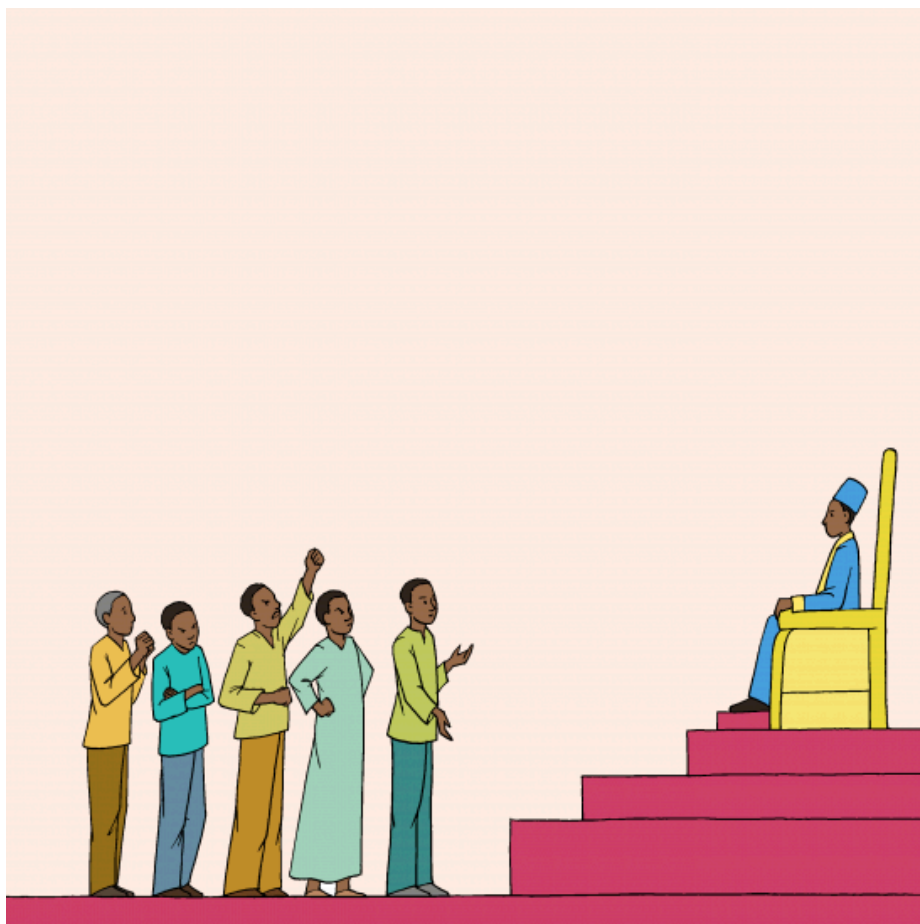


Mnn Malatji a khunguvanyekile swinene.

A huwelela leswaku nuna wa yena a vuya.

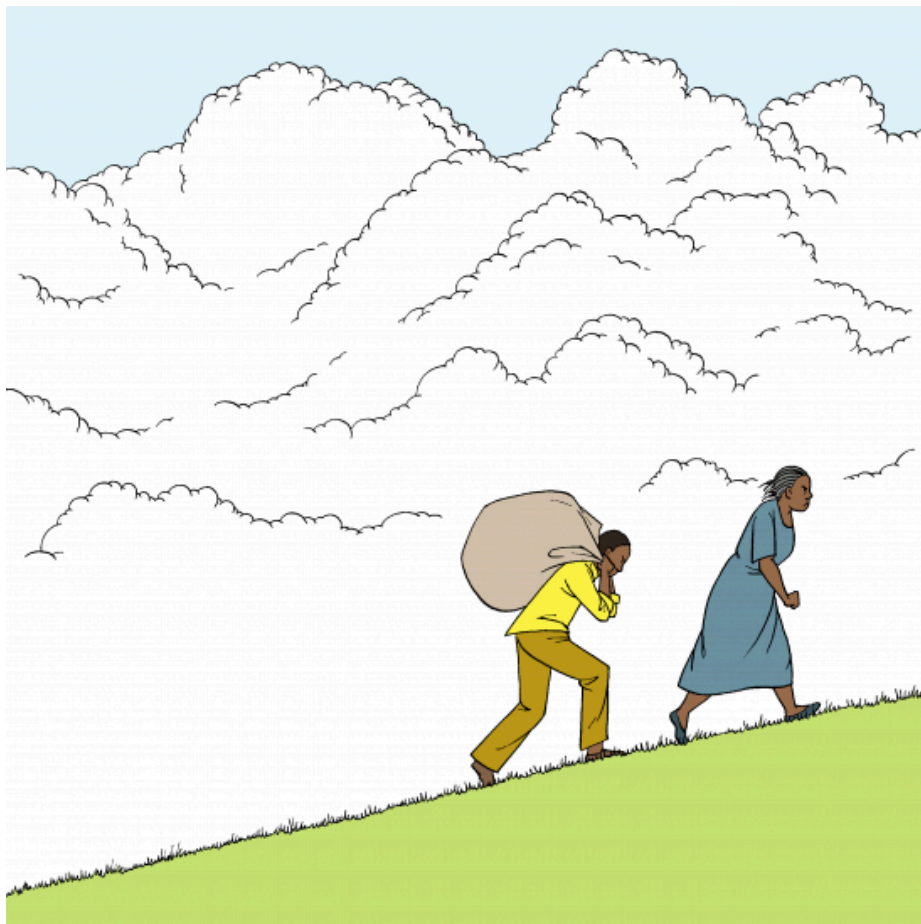
“Vuya u ta ndzi pfuna ku aka yindlu yintshwa! ku rila Mnn Malatji.

Ttn Malatji u titsongahatile loko a vuya.



Vatshami va le Ga-Molapo va kunguhata ku ya eka Hosi.

Va fikile va n'wi byela hinkwaswo leswi nga humelela etikweni. Vafikile va mangalela Ttn na Mnn Malatji.



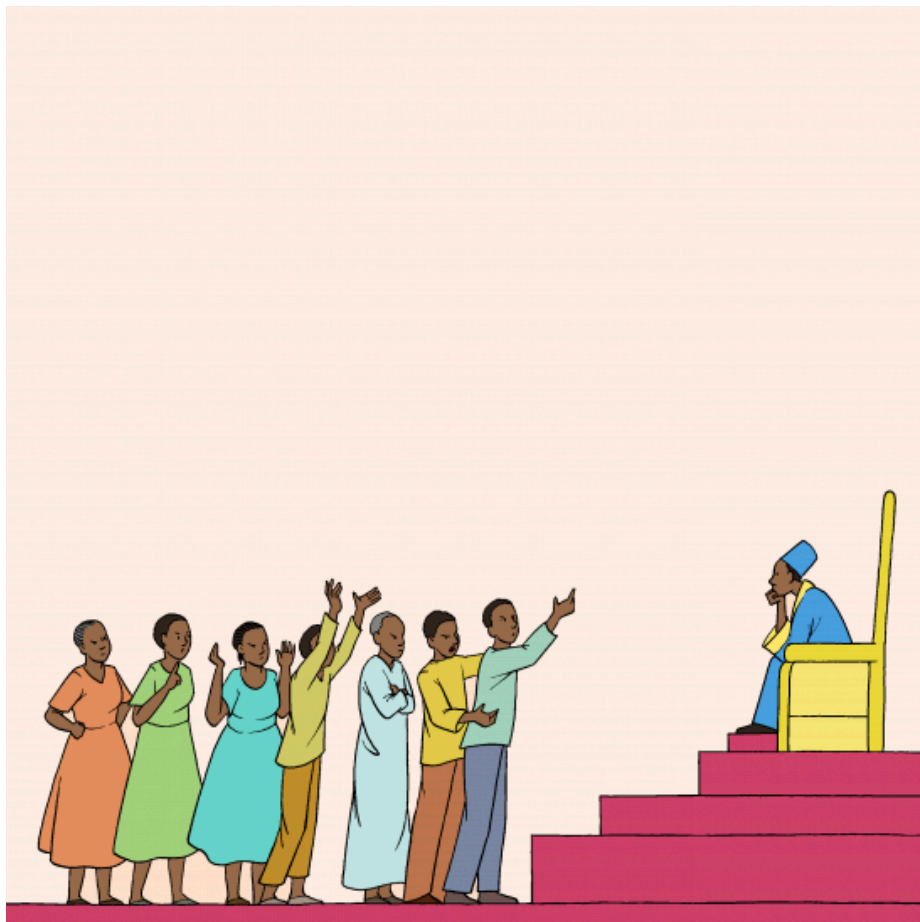
Loko va ka Malatji vat wile hi swivilelo, a va khunguvanyikile swinene.

Va longile hinkwaswo leswi a swi sele va rhurha.



Hi nkarhi wolowo, a ku ri na ndzilo lowu a wu hisa nhova lowu hangalakeke na tiko.

Ndzilo wu hisile tindlu etikweni, wu siya swirho swa tiko swi ri hava tindlu.



Vaakatiko va ya eka hosi nakambe.

“Hi hava swakudya, mati, naswona hi hava ko tshama,” vanhu va vilela.

“Ku tshama ku ri na ndzilo loko Ttn na Mnn Malatji vakwetlembetana!” ku rila vaakatiko.



Hi nkarhi lowu, Hosi Sello Kekana u yingiserile swirilo swa vaakatiko.

U yirisile Ttn na Mnn Malatji ku tshama eGa-Molapo. U tlhele a va yirisa ku tshama eka xifundhzankulu xa Limpopo.

Hambi va ka Malatji va yile va ya tshama kwihi?



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