



Simangaliso senhlanyelo



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Nhlavu bekajabule kakhulu! Bekahamba
namake wakhe, bavakashela malume
epulasini labojikanelilanga.





Ngenhlanhla luhambo lwaba lufishane.
Masingane, Nhlavu namake bafika epulasini.

Nhlavu wabona tihlahla letinyenti
nemfudlana. Wabona nesakhiwo
lesineluphahla lwetjani.

Kepha lokuhle kunako konkhe, emasimu
abojikanelilanga labaluphuti!





Bojikanelilanga labahle bajabulisa inhlitiyo
yaNhlavu kakhulu.

Wacela malume kutsi amfundzise
kubahlanyela.



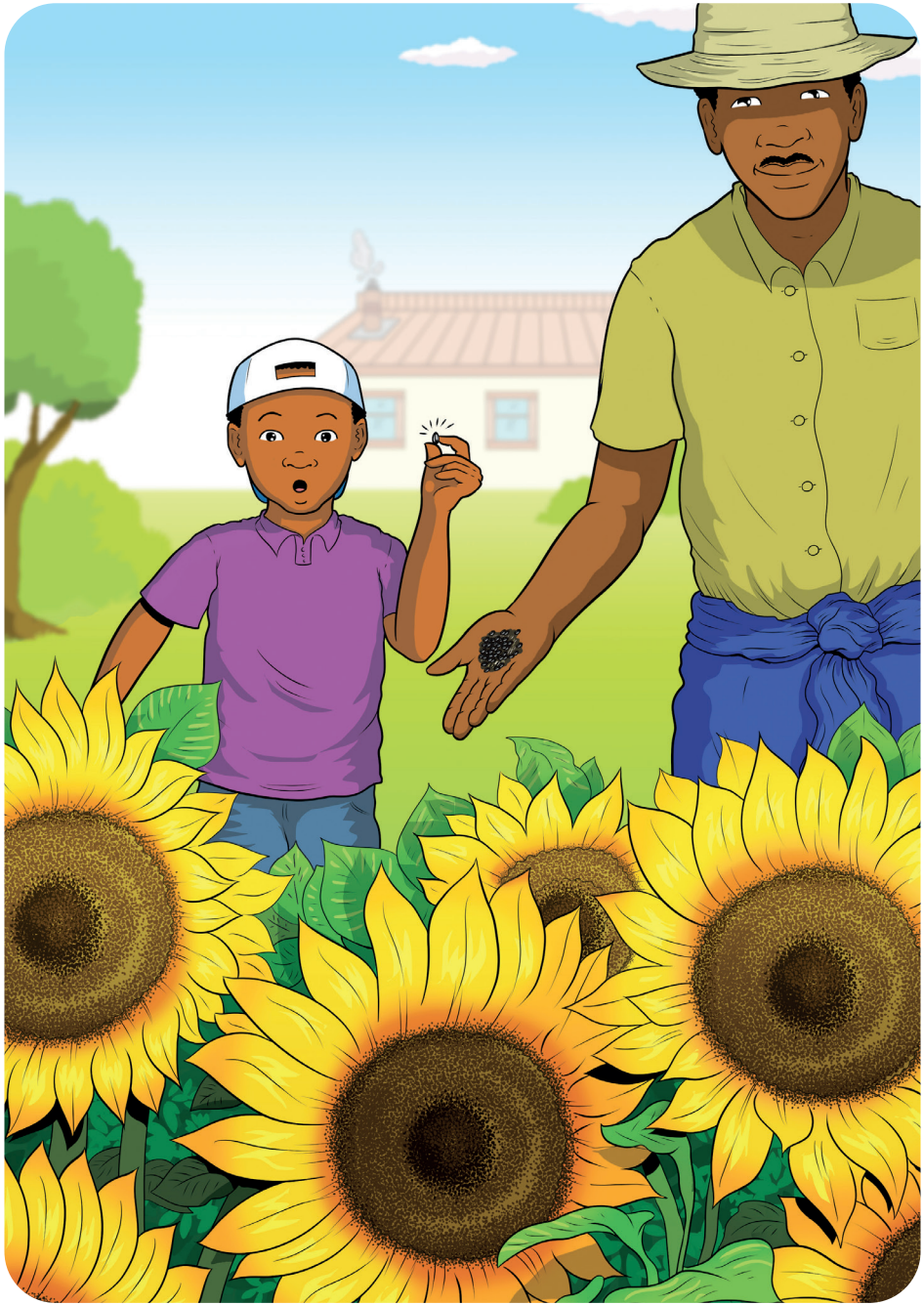


Malume watjengisa Nhlavu inhlanyelo.

Nhlavu wamangala.

“Labojikanelilanga labadze bakhula kulenhlanyelo lencane kangaka?” abuta malume wakhe.

“Yebo,” kusho malume. “Leso simangaliso senhlanyelo. Sihlahla lesikhulukati sake saba yinhlanyelo lencane!”





Malume watjengisa Nhlavu kulungisa umhlabatsi. Wakhapha tjani nematje, walima umhlabatsi.





Malume wenta tigodzi emhlabatsini wafaka inhlanyelo, ngayinye esigodzini ngasinye.



Malume watjela Nhlavu ngendlela yekunisela inhlanyelo.

“Akudzingeki emanti lamanyenti. Kepha inhlanyelo kumele iniselwe onkhe emalanga. Bese silindza lilanga nemhlabatsi nemanti kuvuse inhlanyelo, kute icale kukhula,” kusho malume.





Malume wapha Nhlavu inhlanyelo
yajikanelilanga kutsi ahambe nayo ekhaya.

“Ngiyabonga, Malume. Ngilangatelele kutjala
inhlanyelo yami uma ngibuyela emuva!”
kusho Nhlavu.





Nhlavu waphatsa kahle inhlanyelo
yajikanelilanga ngalesikhatsi bahamba
babuyela edolobheni.





Uma Nhlavu afika ekhaya, wenta loko lakutjelwe ngumalume.

Walima umhlabatsi wafaka inhlanyelo, ngayinye esigodzini. Wanisela inhlanyelo onkhe emalanga.



Lilanga labalela. Sekuphele emaviki lamabili, emahlumela laluhlata acala kuvela emhlabatsini. Inhlanyelo yajikanelilanga beseyikhula.





Masingane timbali letihle letiluphuti tavuleka.
Nhlavu waba nekutigcabha!

Make naye watigcabha ngaye. Watsatsa
sitfombe wasitfumelela malume.

Umlayeto watsi *'Nhlavu ungumlimi
wajikanelilanga!'*

