

مندالانی مۆمی

Children of wax

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رۆژێك لە ڕۆژان، بنەﮬڵەيەكى بەختەوەر ھەبوو.

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Once upon a time, there lived a happy family.

ئەوان قەت بەيەكەوە دەمەقلان نەدەكرد. ئەوان لە ھلاەوە و لە كىٚلگە درمەتى دايك وجبدن دەدا.



They never fought with each other. They helped their parents at home and in the fields.



بهڵام ئەوان بۆڍن نەبوو لە۩گر نزيك ببنەوە.

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But they were not allowed to go near a fire.



ئەوان دەبوايە ھەموو **ك**رە**ك**ن<u>د</u>ن لە شەودا كرىج. چونكە ئەوان لە مۆم دروست كرابوون!

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They had to do all their work during the night. Because they were made of wax!



بهڵام یهکێك له کوڕه**ک**ن۩رهزووی ئهوه بوو به روٚژی رووهك بچێته دهرهوه.

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But one of the boys longed to go out in the sunlight.



رۆژێکڍن حەزەکەي لە رادەبەدەر بوو. براكنيڟڰدارڍن كردەوە.

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One day the longing was too strong. His brothers warned him...

بهڵام ئيتر زوّر درەنگ ببوو! ئەو لەبەر گەرلاي خوّرەكە توايەوە.

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But it was too late! He melted in the hot sun.





منداڵه مۆمییه**ک**ن زوّر خهمبر بوون به وهی که بینین براکهین تواوهتهوه.

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The wax children were so sad to see their brother melting away.



بهڵام ئهوان پانێکڍن دلا. ئهوان له موٚمه تواوهکه پهيکهری بلندهيهکڍن دروست کرد.

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But they made a plan. They shaped the lump of melted wax into a bird.



ئەوان براهٖڵندەكمىن ھەڵگرت و لەسەر لوتكەى چىيەكى بەرزىن دلا.

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They took their bird brother up to a high mountain.



کتێک خوٚر ههڵات، ئهو به گوٚرانی گوتنهوه له گهڵ تیشکی بهرهبنی ههڵفری.

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And as the sun rose, he flew away singing into the morning light.



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