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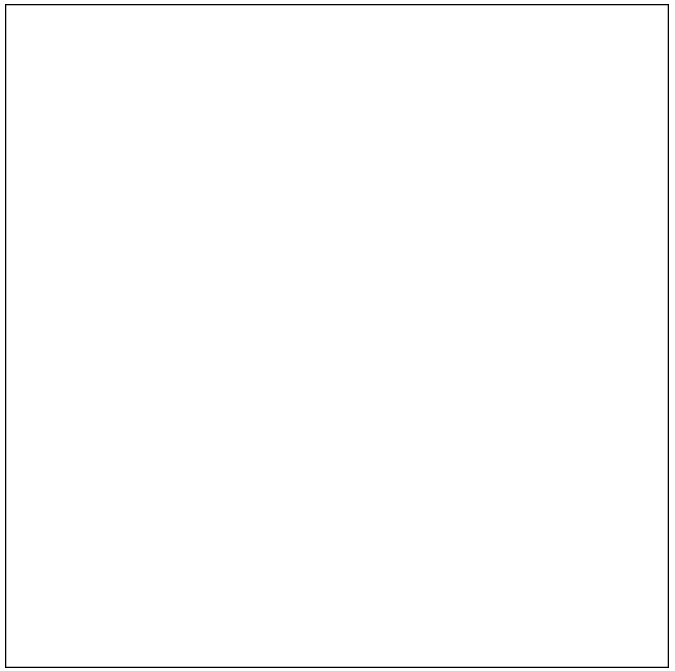

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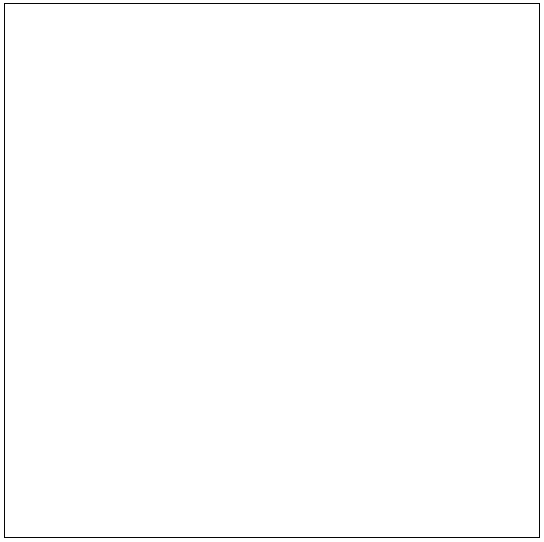

Tingi gha tungire na nyakudyendi ghomukamadi.

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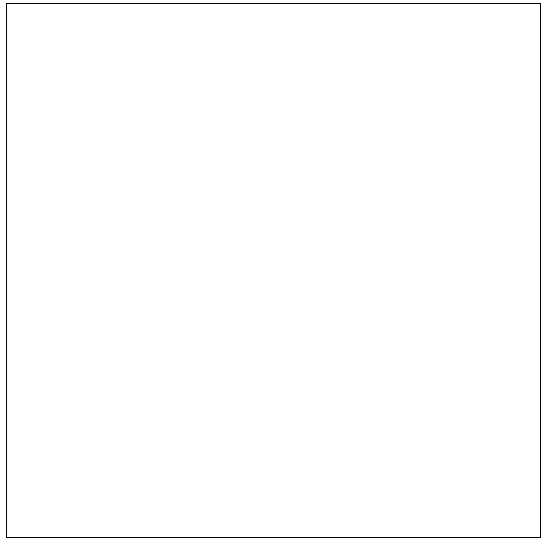
Tingi lived with his grandmother.



Nga ha kunganga ngombe dhawo pofotji.

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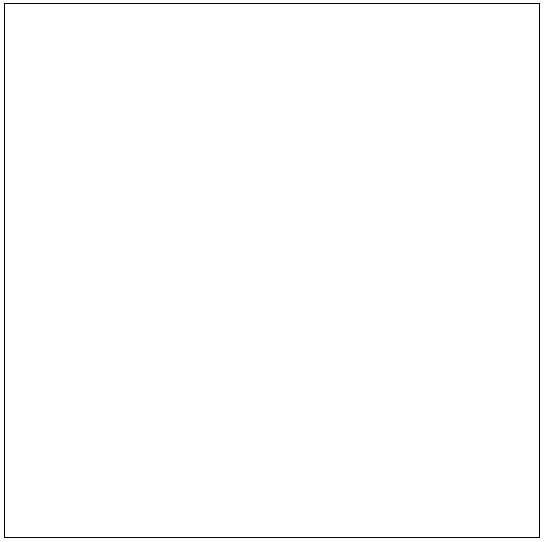
He used to look after the cows with her.



Diyuwa dimweya maporitha gheyire.

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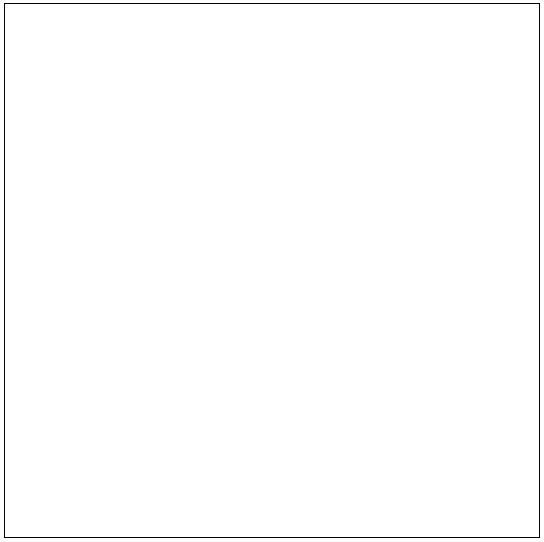
One day the soldiers came.



Ha nyomine thipore ha yende kudighumbo.

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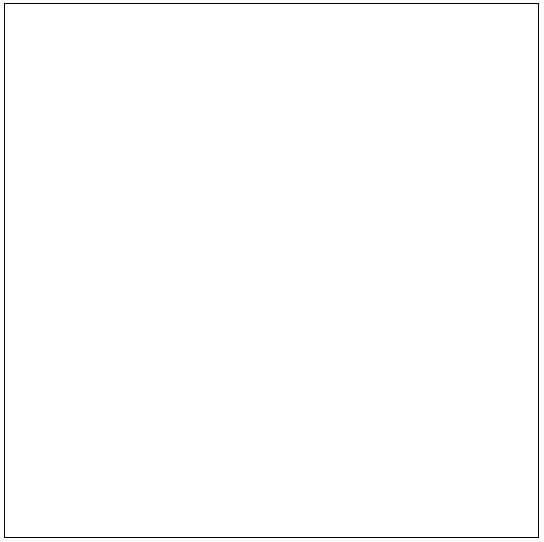
They crept home very quietly.



Hana shimbire ngombe dhawo.

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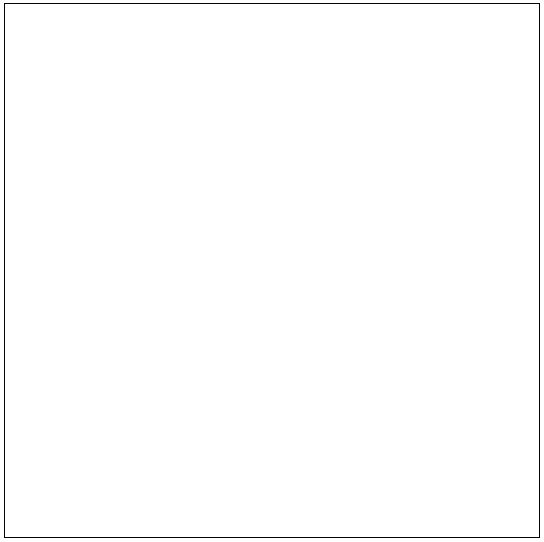
They took the cows away.



Tingi na nyakudyendi ghomukamadi ha tjirire no hondire.

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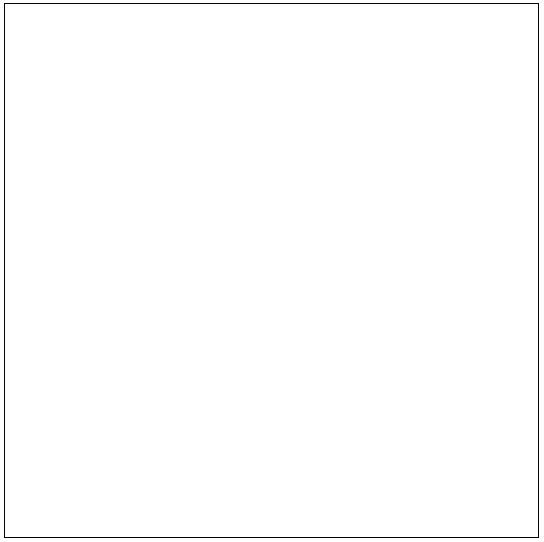
Tingi and his grandmother ran away and hid.



Apa ha monine ha Tingi na nyakudyendi ghomukamadi kambenene kokawa, ha shwayire mudiputa.

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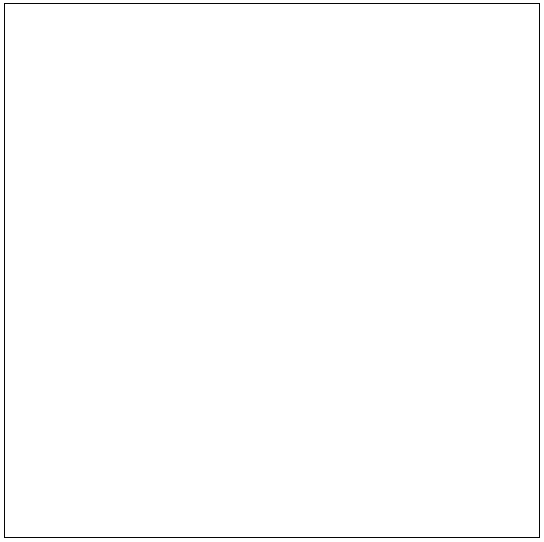
When it was safe, Tingi and his grandmother came out.



Muporitha ghumweya gha mu djatire,
ene yene pore.

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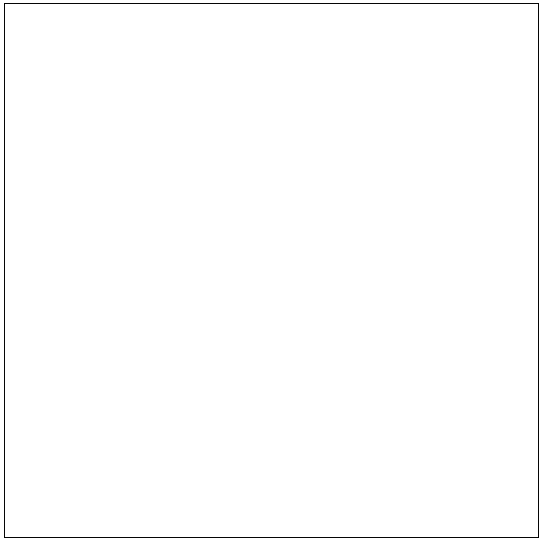
One of the soldiers put his foot right on
him, but he kept quiet.



Ha kondire mudiputa kate ghuthiku.

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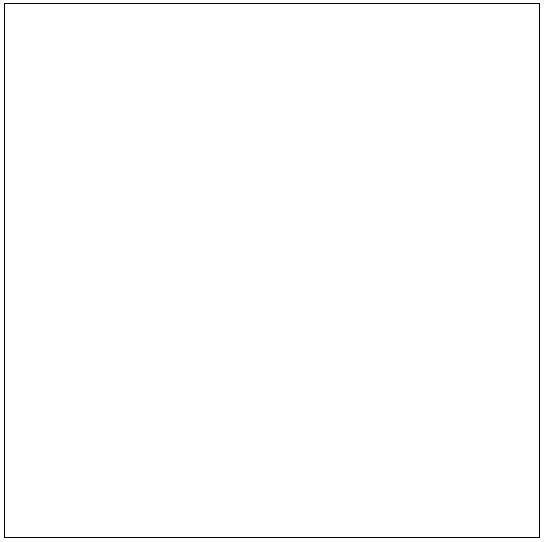
They hid in the bush until night.



Munyimadhopo ha maporitha haka hukire karo.

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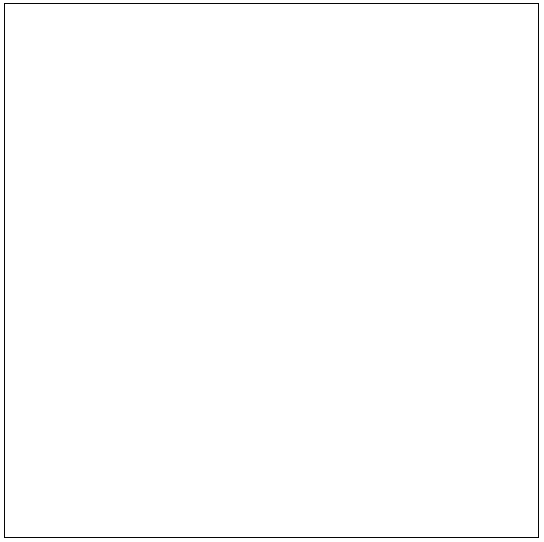
Then the soldiers came back.



Nyakudya Tingi ghomukamadi ghondekire Tingi mumahako.

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Grandmother hid Tingi under the leaves.