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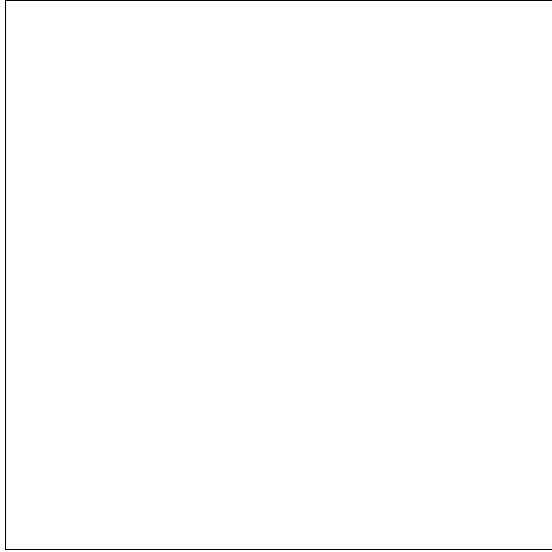
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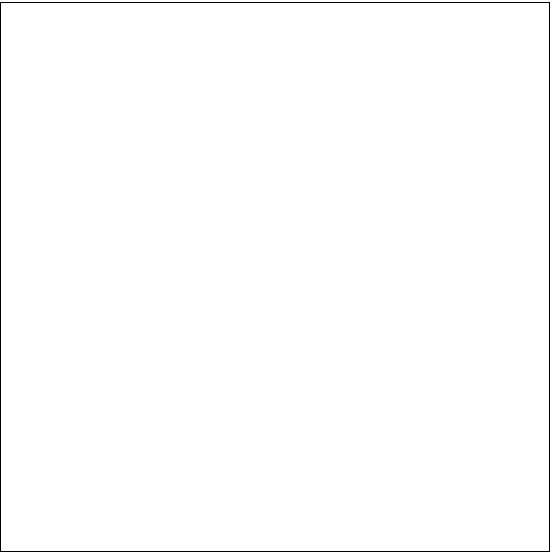




Kijiji changu kilikuwa na matatizo mengi. Tulipanga foleni ndefu tukisubiri kuchota maji kutoka mfereji mmoja.

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My village had many problems. We made a long line to fetch water from one tap.



Tulisbiri kupokea msada wa chakula.

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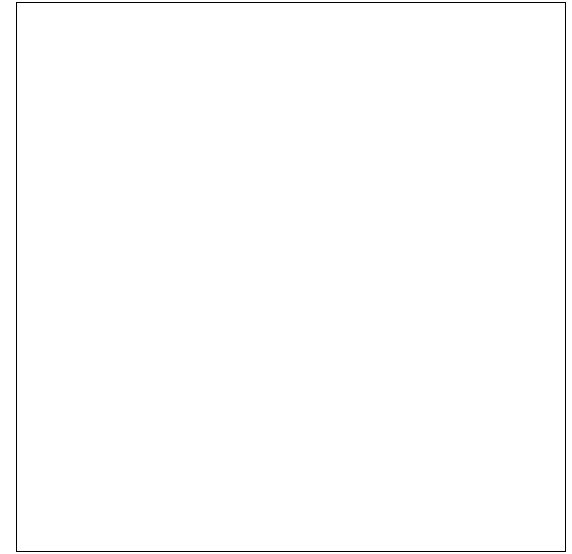
We waited for food donated by others.



Tulifunga nyumba zetu mapema
kwasababu ya wizi.

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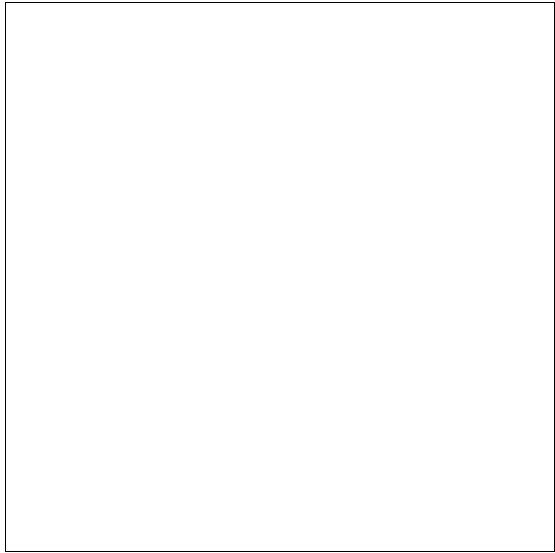
We locked our houses early because of
thieves.



Sote tulisema kwa sauti moja, "Lazima
tubadilishe maisha yetu." Tangu siku
hiyo, tulifanya kazi pamoja kutatua
shida zetu.

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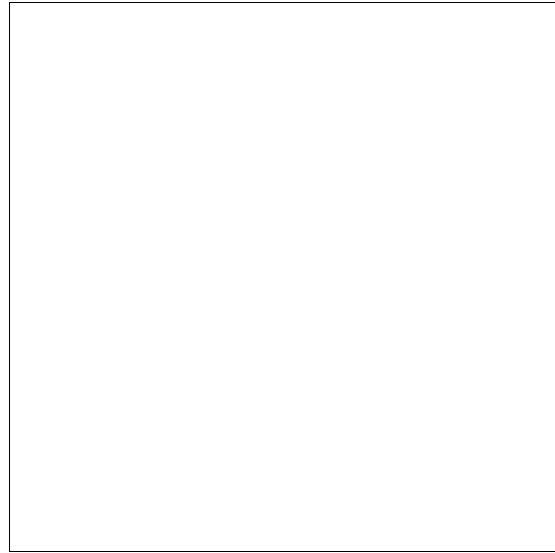
We all shouted with one voice, "We
must change our lives." From that day
we worked together to solve our
problems.



Watoto wengi waliacha shule.

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Many children dropped out of school.



Mwanamume mwingine alisimama na
kusema, "Wanaume watachimba kisma
cha maji:"

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Another man stood up and said, "The
men will dig a well."



Wasichana wadogo walifanya kazi za nyumbani kwenye vijiji vingine.

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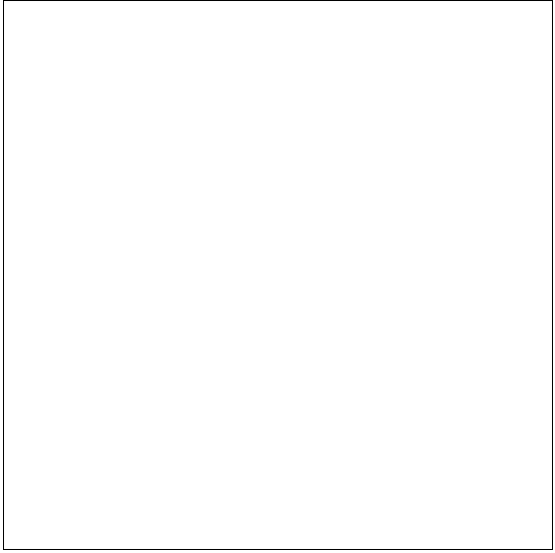
Young girls worked as maids in other villages.



Mwanamke mmoja alisema, "Sisi wanawake tunaweza kuungana na kulima."

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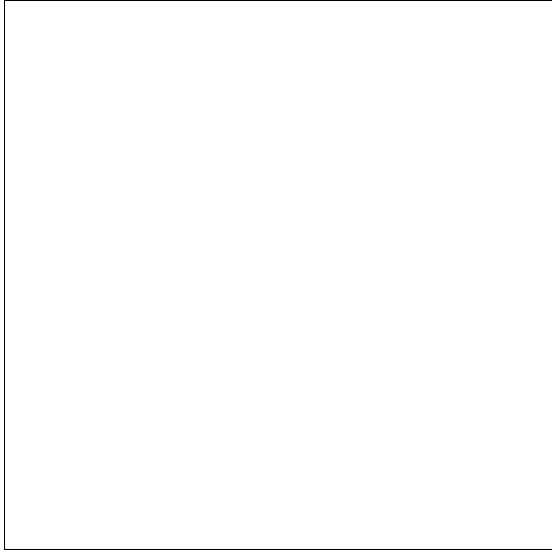
One woman said, "The women can join me to grow food."



Wavulana wadogo waliranda randa
kijijini na wengine walifanya kazi
kwenye mashamba ya watu.

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Young boys roamed around the village
while others worked on people's farms.



Juma, mtoto wa miaka minane
aliyekuwa amekaa kwenye tawi la mti,
alisesema kwa sauti, "Naweza kusaidia na
usafi."

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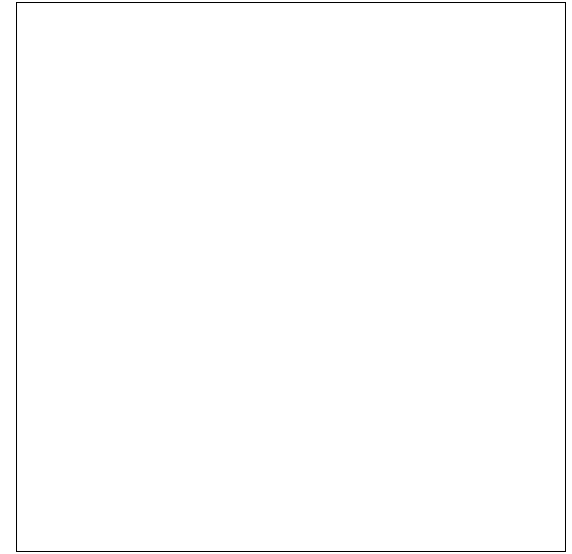
Eight-year-old Juma, sitting on a tree
trunk shouted, "I can help with cleaning
up."



Upepo ulipovuma, ulipeperusha
karatasi chafu na kuzifikisha mitini na
uani.

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When the wind blew, waste paper hung
on trees and fences.

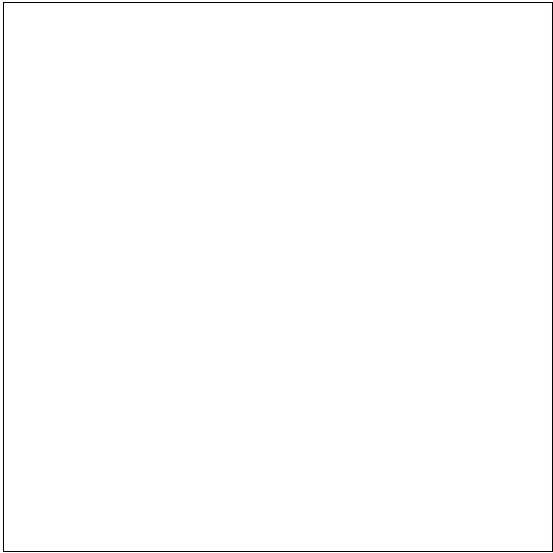


Baba yangu alisimama na kusema,
“Tunahitaji kusaidiana kutatua matatizo
yetu.”

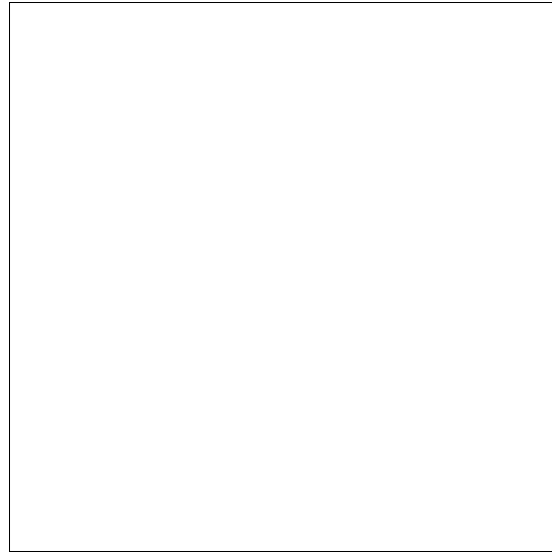
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My father stood up and said, “We need
to work together to solve our
problems.”

Watu walikatwa na vipande vya chupa
 vilivyotupwa ovyo ovyo.
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 People were cut by broken glass that
 was thrown carelessly.



Watu walikusanyika chini ya mti
 mkubwa na kusikiliza.
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 People gathered under a big tree and
 listened.

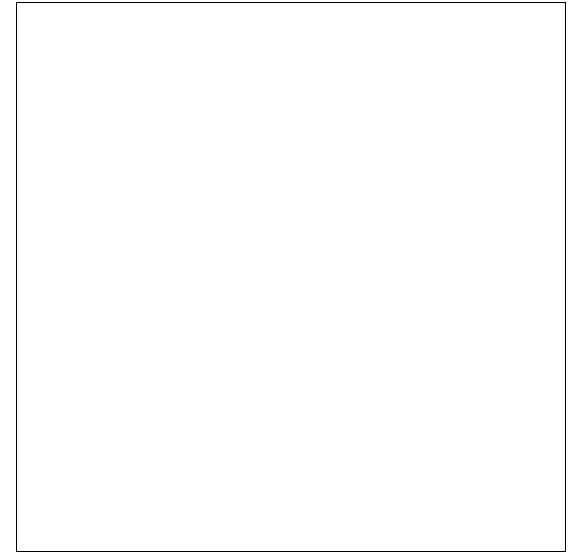




Halafu siku moja, mfereji wa maji ulikauka na mitungi yetu ikawa mitupu.

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Then one day, the tap dried up and our containers were empty.



Baba yangu alitembea nyumba hadi nyumba akiwaomba watu kuhudhuria mkutano wa kijiji.

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My father walked from house to house asking people to attend a village meeting.