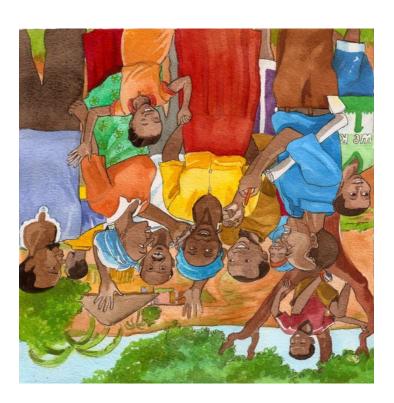
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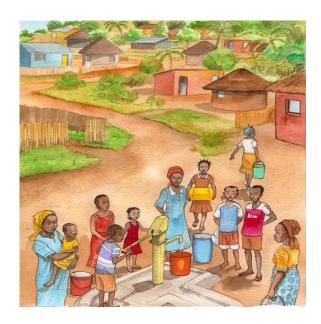
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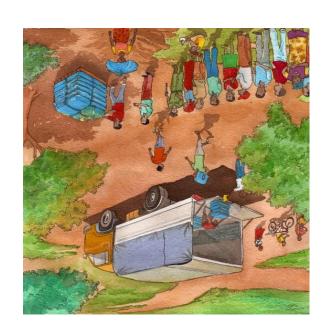
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Tuuladayda waxay lahayd dhibaatooyin badan. Waxaan samaynay saf dheer si aan biyo ooga soo dhaansano tuubada.

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



Waxaan sugnay raashin ay nagu deeqeen dad kale.

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We waited for food donated by others.



Waxaan xirnay guryahanaga amin hore sababta oo ah tuugo.

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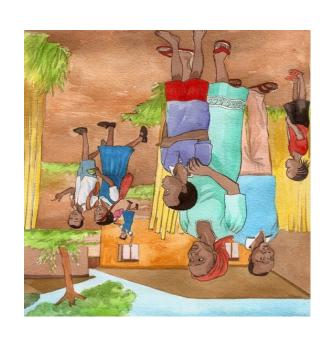
We locked our houses early because of thieves.



Dhammaanteen waxaan ku dhawaaqnay, "Waan ku qasbanahay in aan badelno nolosheena." Maalintaas laga bilaabo waxaan ka wada shaqeynay inaan xallino dhibaatooyinkeena.

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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.



Caruur badan ayaa dugsiga ka baxday.

Many children dropped out of school.

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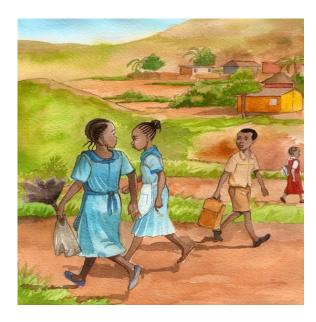


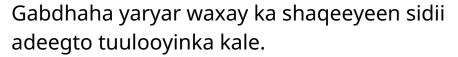
Ninkale ayaa istaagay oo na yidhi, "Raggu waxa ay qodi doonaan ceel."

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

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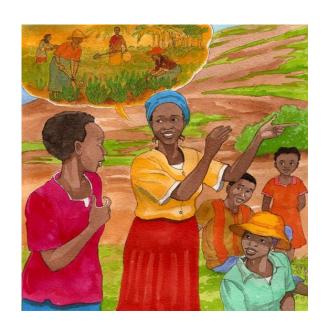




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Young girls worked as maids in other villages.

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Haweeney ayaa tiri, "Dumarka way igu soo biiri karaan si ay u beeraan cuntada."

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



Wiilasha yaryar waxay ku wareegeysteen agagaarka tuulada halka kuwa kale na ay ka shaqeeyeen beeraha dadka.

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



Juma oo sideed jir ah, oo kufadhiyo jirridda geedka ayaa ku qeyliyay, "Waan kaa caawin karaa nadiifinta."

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

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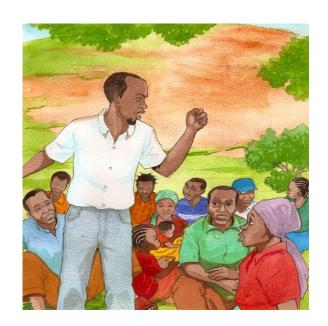


Markii dabayshu kacdo, waraaqaha qashinka ayaa ka lalmado geedaha iyo dayrarka.

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

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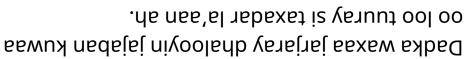


Aabahay ayaa istaagay waxuuna yidhi, "Waxaan u baahanahay in aan wada shaqayno si aan u xallino dhibaatooyinkeena."

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





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People were cut by broken glass that was thrown carelessly.



People gathered under a big tree and listened.

hoostiisa wayna dhagaysteen.



Kadib hal maalin, tuubada ayaa biyo la'aan laga dhigay weelashanadana faaruq bey ahaayeen.

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



Aabahay ayaa guri guri ugu tagay asagoo waydiinayo dadka in ay ka qayb galaan shirka tuulada.

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