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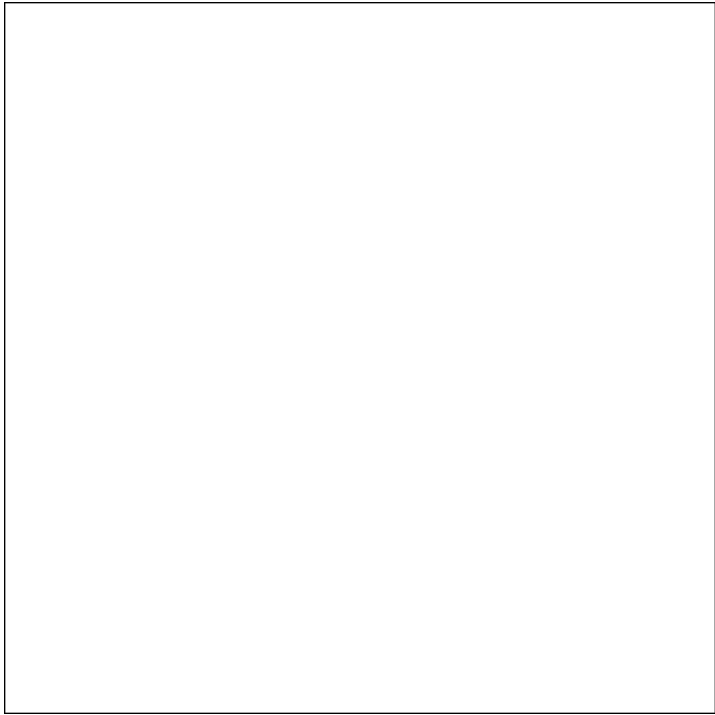
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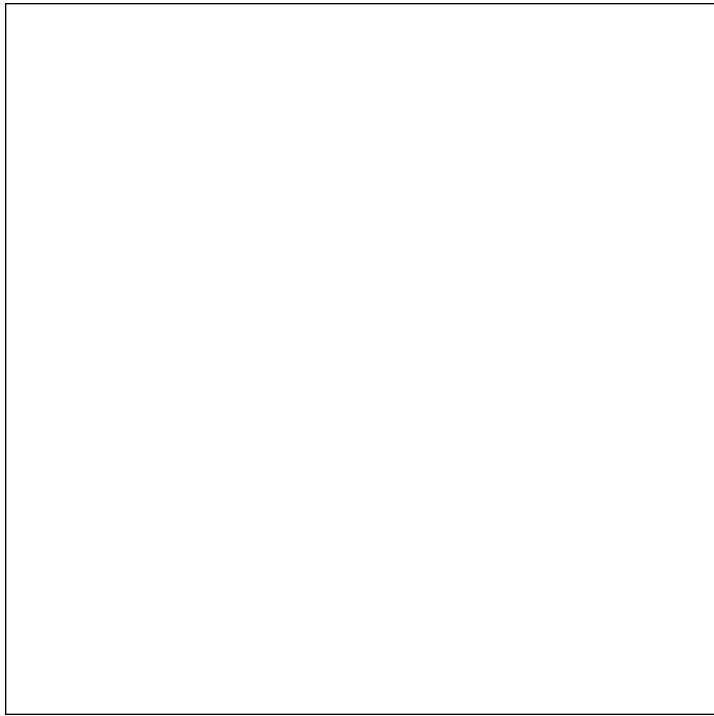
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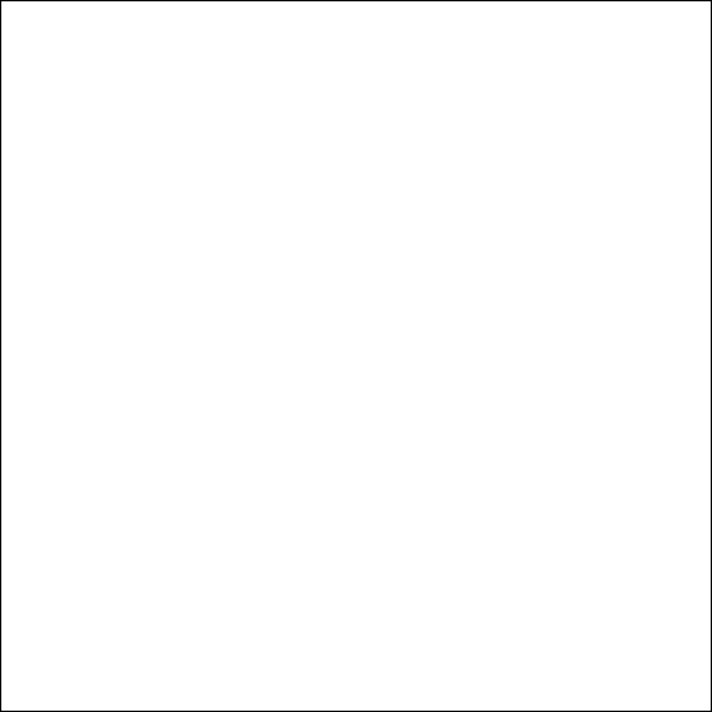
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Ani halkan ka'een ibbidda
qabsisaa.

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I wake up and make fire.



Bishan xinnon dafisa.

...

I boil some water.

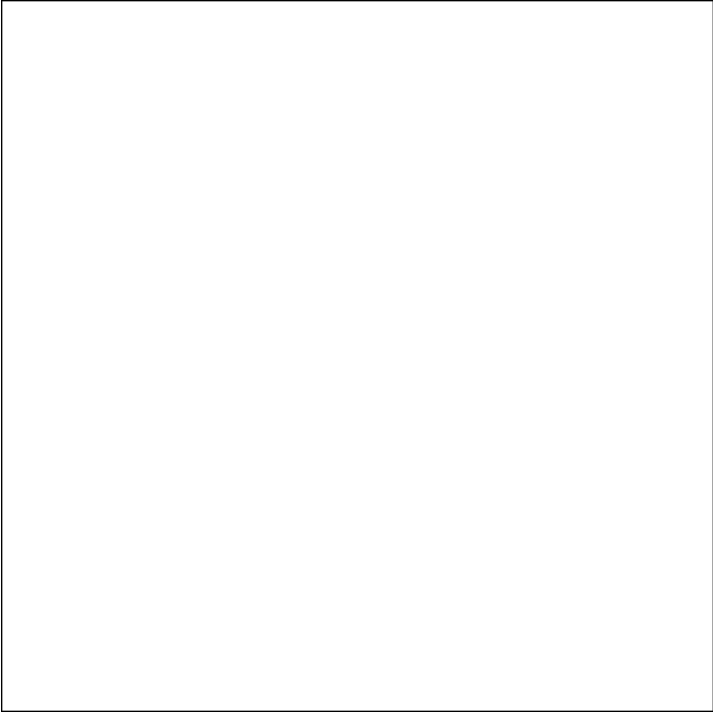


Qoranan falaxaa.

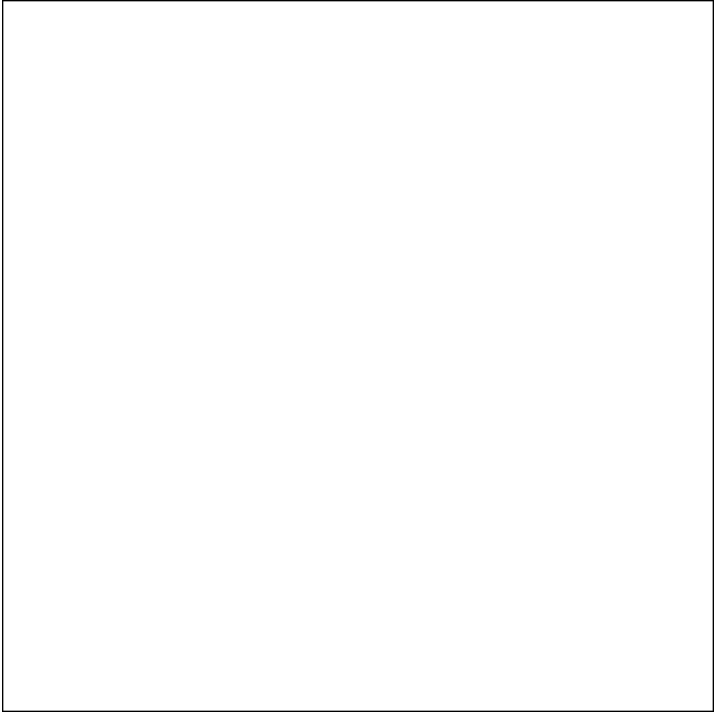
...

I chop the firewood.

Maalifan akkanati ifaja yeroo
 obbolessi koo kubbaa taphatu?
 ...
 Why do I work so hard...
 when my brother is busy
 playing?



Okkoteen sochoosa.
 ...
 I stir the pot.





Manan qulqullessa.

...

I sweep the floor.



Meshaan nyaatan dhiqa.

...

I wash the dishes.