

## Ekwo Ebvu-oma

### 1

<sup>1</sup> Ehu-utso bę a goru nü onye  
 ono,  
 yee ndu ejo-iphe ta achidu  
 idzu lanu;  
 ọphu ooshiswetajedu ụzo  
 ndu iphe-eji;  
 ọphu ọ nođujedu l'eka ndu  
 epfubyishi kę Chileke nō;  
<sup>2</sup> mbu onye buepho iphe,  
 aduje iya ree bu ekemu  
 Chipfu;  
 ọ buru ekemu Chipfu ono  
 bę qonoduje arı l'oriri eswe  
 l'enyaši.

<sup>3</sup> Onye ono dù g'oshi,  
 e yeru l'aguga nggele;  
 ọ nođu amị mebyi  
 l'orwuberu iya;  
 ọphu ekwo iya  
 anwulwashihujedu  
 anwulwashihu.

Iphe, bükpo iphemiphe,  
 oome abujeeru iya pho  
 upete.

<sup>4</sup> Obenu l'o tọ buđu egube  
 ono bę qodujeru ndu  
 ejo-iphe.

Ęphebedua dù g'ęswa ereshi,  
 pherephere anöduje  
 ezikashị ezikashị.

<sup>5</sup> Oo ya bụ lẹ ndu ęjo-iphe bẹ<sup>5</sup>  
 ikpe Chileke a-nma;  
 ophu oodobedu ndu iphe-eji  
 l'eka ndu pfüberekoto nọ.

<sup>6</sup> Noo kèle Chipfu aboru ndu  
 pfüberekoto ụzo;  
 obenu l'ụzo kẹ ndu  
 ęjo-iphe e-me;  
 ęphe aburu mkpurupyata.

## 2

<sup>1</sup> ?Bụ gunu kparu iphe,  
 ọhamoha gude  
 ęhu-eghu aba hanyihanyi?

?O nwuru ịnwu-agha bẹ  
 ndiphe achị ęjo idzu,  
 enwedu ishi?

<sup>2</sup> Ndu eze, bu ishi ndiphe  
 akwakobe k'ogu;  
 ndu-ishi dzukobe;  
 g'ęphe tsoo Chipfu ọgu;  
 tsokwapho onye ono,  
 ọ hotaru g'ọ búru eze  
 ono ọgu.

<sup>3</sup> Ęphe sürü: “Unu g'anyi  
 nyakashịa mkporo ono,  
 ęphe gude tüğbabe anyi ono!

Unu g'anyi gbabushia  
 ęgbirigba ono,  
 ęphe gude kee anyi

egbu ono.”

<sup>4</sup> Qlobuele-a ọchi bẹ onye ono,  
sugaru l'aba-eze iya  
l'imigwe ono achije phẹ;  
mbụ l'oo ọchi bẹ ọonoduje  
ezi Nnajịuphu.

<sup>5</sup> O -nonyaephō l'oo gbanwubē  
iphu pfuaru phẹ opfu  
ehu-eghu;  
l'o gude oke ehu-eghu iya  
mee gẹ ndzụ rwuta phẹ.

<sup>6</sup> Oo-sụ phẹ: “Mu gudewaa  
eka mu mee onye mu  
hotaru;  
g'oo bụru eze l'ubvú Zayonu;  
mbụ ubvú ono,  
mu doberu nsọ ono.”

<sup>7</sup> Onye ọbu, ọ hotaru ọbu sụ:  
“Mu e-wotaephō  
ekemu Chipfu tügen jala.

Noo kele Chipfu sụwaru mu;  
Ọo ngu bụ Nwa mu.

E -shi ntanụ-a bẹ mu  
bụakwaa Nna,  
nwuru ngu nụ.

<sup>8</sup> Mu e-woerupho ọha l'ophu  
nụ ngu g'oo bụru  
okiphe ngu.

Mu e-worū mgboko l'ophu  
nụ ngu g'oo bụru alị-ihe ngu;  
m'oo bụru l'i rworu mu iya.

<sup>9</sup> O bụru mgborígwè bẹ ii-gude  
bụru ishi phẹ;

gude iya kụa phẹ pyaapyaa  
g'ite ụrwa."

- <sup>10</sup> Qo ya bụ; unubẹ ndu  
bükwanu eze;  
unu kwakwaa ẹnya!  
Unubẹ ndu-ikpe kẹ<sup>1</sup>  
mgboko-a; unu ngabékwa  
nchị l'ọkwa ono,  
aanmaru unu ono!  
<sup>11</sup> Unu gudekwa ndzụ-agụgu  
wata ejeru Chipfu ozi!  
Unu egude ẹhu-anmanma  
tee ęswa!  
<sup>12</sup> Unu phozeta tsutsua Nwa iya  
Ọbu ọnụ l'ọkpa.  
A nonyaa ẹhu wata iya eghu  
eghu;  
o mee g'unu bürü  
mkpurupyata lẹ gbororo;  
kẹle ọ kwa nwiphe,  
ha nwanshịi bẹ akpatsuje  
iya ẹhu-eghu.  
Ẹhu-ụtso bẹ a goru nụ ndu  
gbapfuru iya nụ;  
je anọdu iya l'eka  
zee ndzụ.

### 3

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru teke ọogbalaru nwa  
iya Abusalomu*

- <sup>1</sup> Oowaa Chipfu; ndu achi  
mu lẹ njọ paakwaru igwerigwe!  
Ndu wulihuru etso mu opfu

- bükwa agüta agüta.
- <sup>2</sup> Ndu epfuru mu nü sụ lẹ  
Chileke ta adzotadu  
mu pakwapho  
igwerigwe.
- <sup>3</sup> Olobu Chipfu; ọ kwa ngu bụ  
onye egbobutajẹ mu nü.  
Ọo ngu bụ onye emeje;  
l'aakwabẹ mu ùbvù;  
bya abụru ngu anoduje  
ekutse mu.
- <sup>4</sup> Mu woliru olu mu raku  
Chipfu.  
Ọ gbẹ l'úbvú ono,  
o doberu nsọ ono  
zaa mu ẹnu.
- <sup>5</sup> Mu zé-zeta kuru  
mgbenya; kua ya  
teta;  
kélé ọo Chipfu  
gude ndzụ mu.
- <sup>6</sup> Unubuku nemadzụ  
ugbo iri ono,  
kwakachaaru  
nó-phee mu  
mgburugburu ono  
bẹ mu ta atsükwa  
ebvu.
- <sup>7</sup> Kwolihiuro Chipfu;  
Chileke mu;  
jiko dzọo mu rọ!  
Chinaa ndu oħogu  
mu eka lẹ nchi;  
chitsushia phe;

l'i chishia ndu  
ejo-iphe eze l'önü.

<sup>8</sup> Oo gube Chipfu  
adzoje nemadzü.  
Gonuru önü-oma ngu nü ndu  
nke ngu.

## 4

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nü onye-ishi ebvu; g'a  
kporu une ye iya*

<sup>1</sup> Zaa mu ęnu mę mu raku ngu;  
jiko Chileke mu; onye  
pfüberekoto.  
I gbaru mu mkpu teke mu shi  
eje iphe-ehuka.  
Jiko phüaru mu obu-imemini;  
numaro epfupfu,  
mu epfu anü ngu!  
<sup>2</sup> ?Bụ teke ole bę unubę  
unwu-eliphe a-ha egude ùbvù,  
a kwabęru mu eme iberezi?  
?Bụ teke ole bę unu e-yeberu  
obu l'iphe, enwedu ishi;  
mbụ woru onwunu haarụ  
iphe, abụdu ọkpobe iphe?  
<sup>3</sup> Ole ọphu unu a-maru bụ lę  
Chipfu hotawaru ndu  
yeru iya obu doberu  
onwiya.  
Mu -chiku Chipfu bę ọozaje  
mu ęnu.  
<sup>4</sup> Ehu -ghuahaa unu eghu;

unu te ekwekwa  
g'ehu-eghu ɔbu kpataru  
unu eme iphe-eji.

Unu zékpoephō nwapyakō  
l'iphe, unu azeje azee;  
tōo nwēhu ria ya ariri;  
nō-kirishia.

<sup>5</sup> Gẹ ngweja, unu a-nodu egwe  
anu Chileke bükwaru  
ngweja, dù iya ree.

Unu adakobeje Chipfu.

<sup>6</sup> Ikpoto nemadzú asuje:  
“?Jiko Chipfu; mebanaaru  
anyi iphe oma.

Menaa g'iphe dūru anyi lẹ  
ree!”

<sup>7</sup> Obenu l'ehu-ütso ophu i meru;  
o nodu atsɔ mbédua  
bè kakwa ophu atsoje  
phẹ nụ;  
mẹ iphe, ẹphe meberu  
l'opfu phẹ mehu shingushingu.

<sup>8</sup> Mu a-tökpoephō nwēhu  
zé-zeta kuru mgbẹnya  
l'ehu-guu;  
kèle ọo gùbe Chipfu kpoloko  
emeje gẹ mu maru l'ọ tọ  
dudu iphe, sùru mu emebata.

## 5

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru nụ onye-ishi ebvu; g'a  
phürü ototo ye iya*

<sup>1</sup> Jiko Chipfu; ngabẹnu nchị

- nüma olu mu;  
 Jiko gę ude, mu atsụ rwua  
 ngu rọ l'ehu!
- <sup>2</sup> Gube Chileke mu, bụ onye  
 Eze mu;  
 ngabenu nchị nüma mkpu,  
 mu echị echiku ngu!
- Noo kèle ọ ngu bę mu epfu  
 anụ.
- <sup>3</sup> Gube Chipfu; ụtsu g'ụtsu bę  
 ijinumaje olu mu.  
 Mu ewojeru mkpa mu  
 dooru ngu giriri; daa  
 ngabemu ngu ụtsu g'ụtsu.
- <sup>4</sup> Chileke; i tị będu onye  
 ejo-iphe aduje ree.  
 Ophu iikwejedu gę ndu eme  
 ejo-ememe nọ-kube  
 ngu.
- <sup>5</sup> Ndu eku onwophę ta adụdu  
 ike apfuru l'iphu ngu.  
 Iphe, bükpoo ndu eme iphe,  
 adụdu ree bę dükota  
 ngu ashị.
- <sup>6</sup> Iphe, bükpoo ndu anọduje  
 adzụ ụka bę iimeje  
 g'ephe bürü mkpurupyata.  
 Ndu egbu ọchi; yee ndu ụgho  
 bę gube Chipfu anọduje  
 akpofu akpofu.
- <sup>7</sup> Obenu lę mbedula a-byaję  
 l'ulo ngu;  
 eshinu i yeru mu obu.

Ọ bụru ntsumebvu bẹ mu  
 e-gudeje gha iphu  
 l'eze-ulo ngu, dù nsọ  
 baarụ ngu ejá.

<sup>8</sup> Kpọ-ziaru mu uzo jiko Chipfu  
 eshinu i bụ onye  
 pfüberekoto.

Kpọ-zinaaru mu uzo;  
 m'obvu ndu achị mu  
 lè njo.

Menaa g'uzo, ijicho gę mu  
 shia doo mu enya.

<sup>9</sup> O tọ dudu opfu, shi phę l'önü  
 mẽ nanụ, e gude eka.

Obu phę bụ iwashị tükoru  
 iya sweta.

Ire phę bẹ ẹphe egudeje aja  
 nwibe phę ajaja;  
 obenu l'iphe, nō phę l'ime  
 obu anoduje eshi  
 ishi g'ilu, gheru önü.

<sup>10</sup> Jiko Chileke; menaa g'iphe-eji,  
 ẹphe eme tukoru phę l'ishi!

G'idzu, ẹphe chịru nmakwaa  
 phę g'ónyà.

Chịshichaa phę Chileke;  
 noo kélé ẹphe  
 kwefunükawaru ngu  
 ike;  
 teme ẹphe nödu anoduje  
 atüpya ngu tekenteke.

<sup>11</sup> Obenu-a; g'ehu-ütso bükwaru  
 kę ndu agbabaję l'ime

ngu je anodu  
 zeeru ndzü.  
 G'ephe guje ebvu ęhu-utso  
 jasü lę tuutuutuu lę  
 miimiiimii.  
 Gbochitenu phę Chileke!  
 G'iphe, bükpoo ndu yeru  
 ępha ngu obu etee eswa.  
<sup>12</sup> Noo kélé oo gube Chipfu  
 agojeru ounu-oma nü  
 ndu pfüberekoto.  
 Iigudeje l'oo l'ephe dù ngu  
 l'obu gbobuta phę.

## 6

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
 nü onye-ishi ebvu; g'e  
 gude olu-edede gúa ya;  
 g'a kpóru une ye iya*

- <sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; te egudekwa  
 ęhu-eghu baarü mu  
 mba!  
 Te egudekwa ẹnya,  
 ata ngu kpítikpiti hùa  
 mu àhùhù!  
<sup>2</sup> Phuaru mu obu-imemini  
 jiko Chipfu;  
 kélé mu eyifuwa eyifu.  
 Mee g'ehu dù mu ike;  
 kélé ęhu mu l'ophu  
 tuko aphükota mu  
 kparíkpári.  
<sup>3</sup> Teme meji nödu atofukwa

- mu phø atøfu.  
 Sụ-a; gübę Chipfu; ?bükpoo a  
 -nqo jasụ teke ole  
 b'ii-gbaru mu mkpu?  
<sup>4</sup> Lwaphutanụ azụ Chipfu;  
 bya agbafuta mu gę mu  
 dzụru ndzụ. Phụnaaru mu  
 obu-imemini; dzø mu rø!  
<sup>5</sup> Kélé; onye nwụhuru nụ  
 ta anyataékwaru ngu.  
 ?Bụ onye a-gbè l'alí-maa  
 ekele ngu ekele?  
<sup>6</sup> Mu tsuakwaru ude jasụ ike  
 bvụ mu.  
 Enyashi mbóku-mbóku bę mu  
 azeje l'iphe-azęe mu  
 kwakota ękwa  
 m kpurumkpuru.  
 Ophu ọ dudu mbóku,  
 a nöghajeru g'enya-mini  
 ta agba utso l'iphe,  
 mu azeje azęe.  
<sup>7</sup> Aphụ, tsoru mu nụ mewaru;  
 mu raa ękwa aphụ  
 ragaraga.  
 O mewaru; ophu mu  
 aphụ-rweędu aphụ-rwe;  
 ọ búru iphe, ndu achị mu  
 lę njø kparụ.  
<sup>8</sup> Unu tuko parụ mu haa;  
 unubę ndu ono, eme iphe,  
 adudu ree ono;  
 kélé Chipfu nümawaru

- olu ékwa mu.
- <sup>9</sup> Chipfu nümawaru arworwo,  
mu rwóru iya.  
Epfupfu, mu epfu anú iya  
rwuwaru iya nchí.  
<sup>10</sup> G'e kpukwaa ndu ọhogu mu  
iphu lẹ ntú;  
gẹ meji tófukwa phẹ.  
G'ephe tsekwaa iphu egwegwa  
gude iphere laphu azú.

## 7

*Ebvü-apħu, Dévidi gúru nū  
Chipfu lẹ k'iphe, Kushi, bù  
oshilòkpa Benjiaminu pfuru*

- <sup>1</sup> Gùbe Chipfu, bù Chileke mu;  
o kwa l'ime ngu bẹ  
mu gbabarù je ezeeru  
ndzú mu.  
Dzónaa mu dzóta l'eka iphe,  
bù ndu achi mu nū;  
jiko nafuta mu rō!  
<sup>2</sup> Odumeka bẹ ẹphe e-gudekwa  
mu labushia nanú nanú;  
g'onye agú dzugburu;  
ẹbe adú onye ọzo, mu nweru,  
a-gbaru mu mkpu.  
<sup>3</sup> Gùbe Chipfu, bù Chileke mu;  
a -gufukwa lẹ-a:  
l'o nweru iphe, apfuduru-oto,  
mu mejeru;  
<sup>4</sup> mbù m'ọ -búru l'o nweru

onye opfu aduduru mu l'iya,  
 mu mejeru ejo-iphe;  
 ọzoo lẹ mu natajero ndu  
 achị mu lẹ nịọ iphe k'ehuka;  
 lẹ bẹ adụ iphe, kparu iya nụ;  
<sup>5</sup> ọ ya bụ gẹ ndu ọhogu mu  
 ono chia mu gude;  
 zowa mu rọ tolitoli;  
 wowaruro ùbvù ono,  
 aakwabeje mu ono rwua lẹ ntụ.

<sup>6</sup> Gube Chipfu; kwolihunu  
 l'ehu-eghu!

Jiko gbeshinu; nochia ndu ono,  
 l'achị mu lẹ nịọ ono ụzo;  
 mbu ndu ono,  
 atu kpereree abyapfuta  
 mu ono.

Kwolihuro Chipfu; kélé ọ  
 kwa gubedua türü  
 ekemu su gẹ ndiphe  
 kpeje ikpe, pfuru ọto.

<sup>7</sup> Jiko chikobenu oha l'ophu  
 ono, dzukoberu nụ ono;  
 g'ephe gbaa ngu  
 mgburugburu.

L'i no-zeta l'aba-eze ngu  
 l'ephekerekhe.

<sup>8</sup> Oo gube Chipfu bụ onye  
 e-kpe ndu ono ikpe.

Jiko Chipfu hanaru mu enge;  
 kélé mu bụ onye  
 pfuberekoto;  
 ọphu ọ dudu eka ụta dụ

mu l'ehu.

- <sup>9</sup> Gube Chileke, bụ onye  
pfuberekoto;  
gube onye enyochajẹ ime  
obu waa egomunggo;  
jiko menaa g'ego-ememe,  
ndu ego-iphe anoduje  
eme bürü bugemu!

Mee gẹ ndu pfuberekoto  
nguru anguru!

- <sup>10</sup> Chileke bụ onye egbobutaje  
mu nụ.

Ọo yébedua adzoje ndu obu  
phẹ guru iphóró.

- <sup>11</sup> Chileke bụ onye ekpeje ikpe,  
pfuru ọto;  
bya abürü onye egoshije  
oke ẹhu-eghu iya  
mbóku-mbóku.

- <sup>12</sup> O -lenyaa ẹnya l'izimanụ  
a-lwa onye ego-iphe azụ;  
ophu ọ dudu;  
bẹ oo-wokwaru ogu-echi  
iya baa ababa.

Uta iya bẹ o setaanarụ-a ke  
kikiki kwaberi ndu  
obu.

- <sup>13</sup> Ejo ngwogu iya ono bẹ o  
meakwaru dobe;  
bya edoziwaa apfụ iya,  
o meru ọ nodu ekegbaa  
pfupfupfu.

- <sup>14</sup> Lewaro lẹ ndu ego-iphe

- tsùtagbaaru ime iphe-eji.  
 Ẹpho bewaru phẹ l'ezeda ejo  
 erekede.  
 O bụru ntuphu-ire bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
 ephe e-mechaa nwụa.
- 15 Ephe buru iduma;  
 bya ebvumia ya ebvumi;  
 ọle ọo ẹphebedua  
 e-mechaa dalahụ  
 l'iduma ọbu.
- 16 Eregede, ẹphe agba  
 l'e-mechakwaphọ  
 daphutaru phẹ azụ;  
 bya adakoru phẹ l'ishi.  
 Teme iphe-kpanganga,  
 ẹphe meru ndu ọzo bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
 a-lwaphutakötarу phẹ azụ.
- 17 Mbędua a-nöduepho ekele  
 Chipfu ekele l'o bụ  
 onye pfüberekoto.  
 Mu agúa ebvü gude tua  
 onye ono, bụ  
 Okalibe-kakqota-shii  
 onoya ẹpha.

## 8

*Ebvü-qoma, Dévidi deru nụ  
 onye-ishi ebvü; g'e gudeje  
 ngwa ebvü, jítá gúa ya*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu, bụ Nnajịuphu  
 anyi;  
 ẹpha ngu nyiberu anyibe le  
 mgboko l'ophu.

Gube onye woru ọdu-biribiri  
ngu dobe doghaa igwe.

<sup>2</sup> I mewaru ụnwegirimma;  
waa ndu angu ेra;  
ẹphe wata ngu aja ajaja;  
m'obvu ndu ọhogu ngu;  
shi nno mee g'önü  
bụru ndu ọhogu ngu ono;  
waa ndu eme g'ephe  
gwata ngu ugwo  
iphe kpụrukudukuu.

<sup>3</sup> Teke mu leri ẹnya l'igwe  
l'ophu, bụ iphe, i gude  
mkpụshi-eka ngu mee;  
mbukpoo ọnwa mẹ  
kpokpode, bùchaa iphe,  
i meru ememe dobe;  
<sup>4</sup> bẹ mu asuje: “?Bụ gunu  
bẹ nemadzụ bụ; kẹ<sup>5</sup>  
g'iiri-vuje iya?  
?Bụ gunu bẹ ụnwu-eliphe,  
bụ kẹ g'iiletajẹ phẹ ẹnya?”

<sup>5</sup> I meru iya; ophu iphe,  
ụnwu imigwe gude  
sengoo ya  
ahakpôdanu g'ẹnya-nvọ.

I kpuberu iya  
o-gbu-nwịinwii  
g'okpu-eze; bya akwabẹ<sup>6</sup>  
iya ùbvù, parụ eka.

<sup>6</sup> I nuru iya ike g'o letakota  
iphemiphe, i meru  
ememe ẹnya;

bya emee g'iphemiphe  
 nodukota iya l'eka;  
<sup>7</sup> mbu g'aturu; yee eghu;  
 waa eswi;  
 waa anu-egbudu g'ephe  
 hakota;  
<sup>8</sup> me enu, ephe l'eli;  
 waa ema, bu le mini;  
 mewaro iphemiphe,  
 bu le mini g'ephe ha  
 nodukota iya l'eka.

<sup>9</sup> Gube Chipfu,  
 bu Nnajuphu anyi;  
 epha ngu nyiberu anyibe  
 le mgboko l'ophu.

## 9

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru nu  
 onye-ishi ebvu; g'e gude olu  
 ebvu, "Ekwa Nwa" gua ya*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; mu e-gude obu  
 mu l'ophu ekele ngu  
 ekele.

Mu a-nođu epfukashi  
 iphe, du biribiri,  
 iimeshigbaa.

<sup>2</sup> Ehu a-nođu atso mu utsø;  
 mu egude ngu ete eswa.

Mu agu ebvu etu ngu epha;  
 gube

Okalibe-kangokotaru-nu!

<sup>3</sup> Ndu ohogu mu tsuphuwaru  
 azu!

Ẹphe vukotawaru iphe daa;  
 bürü mkpurupyata  
 l'atatiphu ngu!

<sup>4</sup> Noo kẹle i kpewaru ikpe,  
 pfuru ọto bya ahaaru  
 mü enge.

I nọ l'aba-eze ngu kpee ikpe,  
 pfuru nhamụnha.

<sup>5</sup> I bawaru ọhamoha mba;  
 bya emee ndu ejo-iphe;  
 ẹphe bürü mkpurupyata.

I mewaru g'epha phẹ  
 chịhu achịhu jasụ  
 lẹ tuutuutuu lẹ  
 mịimiimii.

<sup>6</sup> Ndu ọhogu mu phẹ bẹ  
 nkephẹ bvụwaru.

Ibe phẹ a-buerupho ochobu  
 jasuru asuru.

Mkpukpu phẹ bẹ i vụwaru  
 l'ogbarabvu;  
 ọphu ọ duedu onye  
 nyatarụ iya nụ.

<sup>7</sup> Chipfu a-bürü eze jasụ  
 lẹ tuutuutuu lẹ  
 mịimiimii.

O mewaru aba-eze iya ono  
 g'o nguru anguru;  
 k'ophu ọo-nodu iya kpee  
 ikpe.

<sup>8</sup> Oo-kpe ndu mgboko ikpe,  
 pfuru ọto.

Ikpe, ookpeje apfujeru

nhamunha.

<sup>9</sup> Ndu eemekpa ẹhu agbabajẹ<sup>9</sup>  
Chipfu l'eka je ezeeru  
ndzụ.

Ndu iphe-ehuka byaru  
agbabajékwa iya  
pho l'eka je edomia  
onwophe.

<sup>10</sup> Iphe, bükpoó ndu maru ngu  
nụ bụ ngu bẹ ẹphe  
dakoberu;  
kèle gube Chipfu teke  
agbadoswee ndu achọ  
ngu amaru.

<sup>11</sup> Unu gúa ebvu gude tua  
Chipfu ono, bụ eze lẹ  
Zayọnụ ono ẹpha.

Unu tñaru ọhamoha ọnụ iphe,  
o meru.

<sup>12</sup> Noo kèle yébedua, akpajé  
ishi ọchi onye e gburu  
egbugbu;  
bẹ nyatakwarụ phẹ nụ.

Ndu iphe-ehuka byaru -chia  
mkpu bẹ ọ tọo  
gbajékwa phẹ nkuchi.

<sup>13</sup> Gube Chipfu; phụaru mu  
obu-imemini!

Lewarọ gẹ ndu achị mu lẹ njọ  
akpabe mu ẹhu!

Lofutanu mu l'ọnụ-oguzo maa!

<sup>14</sup> Ọ ya bụ gẹ mu anodu  
l'ọnụ-abata Nwada Zayọnụ

ono jaa ngu ajaja;  
 bya etekwaapho ẹswa l'ị  
 dzotaru mu.

15 Ohamoha dalahụwaru l'iduma,  
 ẹphe buru nwęka phę.

Ęphe jewaru ekoda l'ugbu,  
 ẹphe geru l'onwophe.

16 Iphe, e gude maru Chipfu bụ  
 g'oogudeje ekpe ikpe.

Ndu ejio-iphe egudeje  
 ejio-ememe, ẹphe eme  
 gbabęru onwophe  
 ónyà dalahụ.

17 Ndu ejio-iphe bę aa-chịru ye  
 l'alị-maa;  
 mbụ l'iphe, bükpo ọha,  
 zoharuh Chileke bę  
 a-lakota l'alị-maa.

18 Obenu lę ndu adụdu g'ọ  
 dù phę bę ọ tọo  
 zohajekwa jasịru;  
 ọphu iphe, ndu ụkpa  
 ele enya lę Chipfu  
 e-meru phę  
 abyadụ ala kę mmanụ.

19 Gbalihukpọdapho gube Chipfu;  
 g'ọ tọ bụ nemadzụ  
 l'agbę ka ngu ike!

G'e kpee ọhamoha ikpe l'iphu  
 ngu!

20 Chipfu; menaa ge  
 ndzụ-agugu rwuta phę;  
 k'ọphu ọhamoha ono

a-maru l'ọo nemadzụ  
mmanụ bẹ ẹphe bụ.

## 10

- <sup>1</sup> ?Denu g'o gude i je apfuru  
      ügenya Chipfu?  
?Denu g'o nwụru i domiru  
      onwòngu nta-a,  
      iphe-ehuka byaru-a?  
<sup>2</sup> Ndu ejo-iphe egudeje eku  
      onwophẹ achi nta ndu  
      ükpa.  
Gẹ ndu ejo-iphe ono  
      nmalahukwa l'ídzù,  
      ẹphe chíru dobe!  
<sup>3</sup> Iphe, ndu ejo-iphe egudeje  
      aba abaa bụ iphe,  
      ẹphe rịru dobe l'obu phẹ.  
Chileke bẹ ẹphe anoduje  
      epfutoshi;  
      o bụchiaru ndu iphe  
      taa asujeduru asuru  
      bẹ ẹphe  
      anoduje ekutse.  
<sup>4</sup> Ndu ejo-iphe egudeje eku  
      onwophẹ ji ka acho  
      Chileke;  
      ophu ẹphe arivujedu  
      Chileke ililekpoo.  
<sup>5</sup> Ole iphemiphe, ẹphe eme  
      anodujeele-a ejehuru phẹ.  
Ndu achi phẹ lẹ njo bẹ ẹphe  
      akakputeje l'enya;

ophu ẹphe  
ahumajedu ikpe ono,  
Chipfu e-mechaa  
kpee phẹ ono.

<sup>6</sup> Iphe, ẹphe arije l'obu phẹ  
bu l'ẹphe buwaa  
enwubata enwubata;  
l'ẹphe ta abyadụ eje  
iphe ẹhuka.

<sup>7</sup> Iphe, ejije phẹ ọnụ ebushihu  
ebushihu bu ẹphu  
iphu;  
waa agho ụgho waa  
emekpa nwibe phẹ ẹhu.

Iphe, ẹphe akpujeru  
l'ọnụ buerupho  
eregede yẹe iphe,  
adụdu ree.

<sup>8</sup> Ephe ewohaję onwophe  
l'aguga mkpukpu.

Ọ bürü eka ono,  
ẹphe domiru onwophe;  
kwaberi ndu a-nmada  
phẹ l'eka ono  
bẹ ẹphe anoduje  
gbushia ndu enwedu iphe,  
ẹphe meru.

<sup>9</sup> Oo g'oduma edomije onwiya  
l'egbudu kwaberi  
ụnwu-anụ-a bu g'ẹphe  
edomije onwophe  
kwaberi ndu ükpa.

Teke ẹphe nmataeri phẹ

pho; ẹphe akpuru  
phẹ lashịa.

10 Ndu nmadaru phẹ l'eka bẹ<sup>10</sup>  
ẹphe egweje arakabya;  
jasu ẹphe eworu ẹnya  
kurwua.

Ẹphe egudeje ọkpemu phẹ  
kụa ndu ụkpaa ono  
pýaapyaa.

11 Ẹphe arije lẹ Chileke  
zohakotawaru iphe,  
ẹphe meru;  
mbụ lẹ Chileke ghawarụ  
okotazu;  
ophu ọ byaedu aghaba  
ẹnya l'azụ húma iphe ono,  
ẹphe meshiru ono.

12 Gube Chipfu;  
gbalihukpödapho  
agbalihu!

Gube Chileke; palikpödapho  
eka ngu apali!  
Ta azohashinu ndu ono,  
aakpa ẹhu ono!

13 ?Denu g'o nwuru ndu  
ejo-iphe anoduje epfutoshi  
Chileke?

?Bu gunu meru iphe,  
ẹphe anoduje arị lẹ Chileke  
ta adudu iphe,  
oome phẹ?

14 Obenu l'iitukoje iphemiphe  
húmakota.

Iihumaje ndu eje iphe-éhuka;  
waa ndu agu aphụ.

Ophu iichijeduru eka ye  
l'iphu ụtapfu.

Ndu ụkpa bụ gubedua be  
ephe woru ndzụ phe  
ye l'eka.

Ndu nna phe anqedu bürü  
gubedua agbajeru phe  
mkpu.

<sup>15</sup> Nyakwonaa ndu ejo-iphe eka;  
mẹ ndu eme ejo-ememe.

Vokwaa ejo-iphe, ephe eme  
g'oha. Ba ahakwa mẹ nanu.

<sup>16</sup> Oo Chipfu bụ Eze jasụ le  
tuutuutuu le mijimiimii.

Ndu ọhozo a-chịhu l'alị  
kè Chipfu.

<sup>17</sup> Gube Chipfu; iphe,  
ndu dù àgù rworu ngu  
be i nümawaru.

Oo gubedua emeje g'obu  
nmapfuru phe;  
teme i nodu anumaję olu phe.

<sup>18</sup> Haarụ ndu nna phe anqedu enge;  
waa ndu eemekpa ẹhu.

G'ụnwu-eliphe haa phe  
akpapya ishi.

## 11

*Ebvu, Dévidi deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Mu woru onwomu ye Chipfu

l'eka.

?Denu g'o nwuru unu s̄ru  
ḡe mu phee ephep̄e  
g'enu je edomia onwomu  
l'eka úbvú d̄u?

<sup>2</sup> No k̄ele ndu ẹjo-iphe woharu  
onwoph̄e seta apf̄u ph̄e  
k̄e kikiki g'ephe gbaa  
ndu obu ph̄e  
guru iphóró.

<sup>3</sup> Eshi ọphu e mebyishiwaru  
itso, gude mkpukpu;  
?buhunu gunu b'a s̄ru  
g'onye-pfuberekoto  
mebaa ọzo?

<sup>4</sup> Chipfu nökwa l'eze-ulo iya,  
d̄u ns̄o.

Ek̄a aba-eze Chipfu nō  
bukwa l'imigwe.

Ọ b̄ru l'eka ono b̄e ọonoduje  
ele enya l̄e mgboko.

Enya iya atuko ụnwu-eliphe  
l'ophu h̄umagbua.

<sup>5</sup> Chipfu enyochajekwa ndu  
pfuberekoto;  
m̄e ndu ẹjo-iphe enyocha.

Obenu l̄e ndu bu iphe,  
aduje ph̄e ree bu  
eme ndu ọzo iphe  
kpanganga aduje iya ashị.

<sup>6</sup> Ndu ẹjo-iphe ono b̄e  
oo-mechaa dzeeru  
icheku-oku yee

oku-nshiegbe g'igwe  
edzeje mini-a.  
Ọ bụru ejo pherephere,  
ekpo ọku a-buru  
okiphe phẹ.  
<sup>7</sup> Chipfu bụ onye pfuberekoto.  
Ndu eme iphe, pfuru  
nhamunha aduje  
iya ree.  
Ndu obu phẹ gurus iphóró  
e-mechaa húma  
iphu iya.

## 12

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nụ onye-ishi ebvu; g'e  
gude olu-edede gúa ya*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; bya agbaa  
mkpu lẹ ndibe ngu  
bvụakwaru!  
Ọ tọ dükwa eka  
aahúmakwadu onye  
ire-lanụ.  
<sup>2</sup> Onyemonye anoduje adzuru  
nwibe iya ụka;  
gude opfu-enwunwu  
edupushi nwibe phẹ.  
<sup>3</sup> Gube Chipfu; menaa g'ephe  
chịihu;  
mbụ ndu ono, enwuru  
nwibe phẹ  
opfu-enwunwu ono;  
waa ndu ono, anoduje etu

onwophę oke ẹpha ono.

<sup>4</sup> Mbụ ndu ono, asuje l'ephe  
a-nodu epfu g'o dù phę;  
l'o tọ dudu onye suru  
akpọ-buru opfu ye phę  
l'ọn'u.

?Bukwanu onye aturu phę  
iphe, ẹphe e-pfu?

<sup>5</sup> Obenu lẹ Chipfu byakwanu  
eyeru phę ọn'u bya asụ phę:  
“O rwuakwaru teke ya  
a-byapfuta unu;  
kélé ndu ükpa bę unu  
kpatashiwaru ęhu;  
teme ndu adudu g'o dù phę  
gunukawa aphụ unu.

Nta-a bę o rwuwaru teke  
ya a-gbaru phę mkpu ono,  
ẹphe ele ẹnya iya ono.”

<sup>6</sup> Iphe, Chipfu pfuru  
bụ ọkpobe opfu.

Opfu iya ono dù g'okpobe  
mkpola-ochaa,  
a hụru l'oku-uzu mgbo ęsaa  
g'o gbuchafụ egbuchafụ.

<sup>7-8</sup> Ndu ejio-iphe dzuakwaru  
ekameka; teme iphe,  
unwu-eliphe gharu iphu  
bụwaru ejio-ememe.

Obenu l'oo gube Chipfu  
anoduje eche anyi.

Ọo ngu eletaję anyi ẹnya  
mkpùrumkpuru

g'eka ndu ejo-iphe te erwu  
anyi l'ehu.

## 13

*Ebvu, Dévidi deru nü  
onye-ishi ebvu*

- 1 Gube Chipfu; ?bu jasụ teke  
ole bę ii-zoha-beru mu  
g'i zoharu mu ọwa-a?  
?Bu jasụ l'ojojoje tọo?  
?Bu jasụ teke ole  
bę iighaberu mu azụ?  
2 ?Mu a-takpoo nshi jasụ teke ole?  
?Bu je eberu iberu-agha bę  
aphu e-ji mu obu eswe  
l'enyaashi egube ọwa-a?  
?Bu teke ole bę ndu ọhogu  
mu a-tụ-beru okoo  
kpuar mu?
- 3 Lenaa mu ẹnya gube Chipfu,  
bu Chileke mu;  
yenaaru mu ọnụ!  
Menaa gę mu hụma ụzo;  
a nonyaa mu nwụhu!
- 4 K'ophu ndu ọhogu mu  
ata asujedu l'ephe  
mekpewaru mu.  
Noo kele ndu achi mu lę njo  
bę e-tekwa ęswa mę  
mu daa.
- 5 Obenu l'oo n-yemobu ngu bę  
mu dakoberu.  
Mu ete ęswa; kele mu maru

l'ii-dzota mu.

<sup>6</sup> Mu a-nodu agụ ebvu anụ  
Chipfū;  
kèle ọ nwụbenukaru  
mu ẹnyá.

## 14

*Ebvu, Dévidi deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Ndu eswe anoduje arị l'ime  
obu phē lẹ Chileke  
ta adudu.

Ęphe mebyishiwaru  
onwophē;  
bya emewaa iphe,  
Chileke kpɔru ashị;  
ophu ọ dudu m'onye lanụ  
eme iphe, dù ree.

<sup>2</sup> Chipfu gbé l'imigwe lee ẹnya  
lẹ mgboko-a; mbụ l'ehu  
ụnwu-eliphe;  
gẹ ya maru ?o nweru onye  
kwaru ẹnya?

Mbụ g'ọ maru ?o nweru onye  
acho yébe Chileke?

<sup>3</sup> Ole g'ęphe ha tükowaru haa  
uzo jephuhu.

Ęphe tükowaru g'ęphe ha  
mebyishihukọta.

Ọ tọ dudu g'ọ ka mma l'oo  
onye lanụ eme iphe,  
dù ree.

<sup>4</sup> Ọ dükwa gẹ ndu ono,

eme ejo-ememe ono te  
 nwedu egomunggo;  
 mbụ ndu ono, anoduje  
 eri ndibe mu g'onye eri nri;  
 ophu ẹphe epfujedu  
 anụ Chipfu.

<sup>5</sup> Ephe bụ ndu ndzụ-agugu  
 rwutaru;  
 obenu le Chileke nō-kube  
 ogbo ndu pfuberekoto.

<sup>6</sup> Oobujeru; ndu ụkpa -chichaa  
 idzu; unubę ndu  
 ejo-iphe akpọshia ya.

Ole onye ẹphe gbabarụ l'ime  
 iya je anodu ezeru ndzụ  
 phę bükwa Chipfu.

<sup>7</sup> O dù mu g'e shi lę Zayonu  
 bya adzọ ndu Ízuręlu.

Jiékọpu e-te ẹswa; ęhu atsọo  
 Ízuręlu ụtso mę Chipfu  
 dophuepho ndibe iya  
 azụ l'ọnodu phę.

## 15

### *Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; ?bụ onye  
 e-buru l'ibe ngu?  
 ?Bụ onye dù ịdu-agha e-buru l'úbvú  
 ngu, dù nsọ?  
<sup>2</sup> Oo onye enwedu eka ụta dù  
 iya l'ęhu;  
 bya abuerupho iphe, pfuru

oto bẹ ọonoduje eme;  
 mbụ onye epfufe ire-lanụ,  
 shi iya l'obu;  
<sup>3</sup> mbụ onye ete evujedu  
 nwibe iya nvu-azụ;  
 ọphu o mejedu nwibe iya ejị;  
 teme ọphu opfubyishijedu  
 nwibe iya epfubyishi.

<sup>4</sup> Onye akpoje ndu dụ Chileke  
 ejị ashị.

Obenu lẹ ndu atsụ Chileke  
 ebvu bẹ ọokwabeje úbvú.  
 Onye abujeru; o -ribua nte lẹ  
 ya e-me iphe;  
 l'o mee iphe ọbu; m'obeta  
 o jee ebuta iya.

<sup>5</sup> Onye bụ; o -jie nemadzụ  
 ụgwo; o too ledu ẹnya  
 ntukwase;  
 ọphu oorijedu ụphalazu  
 l'ishi ndu iswi dụ mma.

Onye eme nno bẹ a ta  
 byakpọdaa enwubata  
 enwubata jasụru asụru.

## 16

### *Ebvu-ọma, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Gbochite mu gube Chileke;  
 kẹle ọo ngu bẹ mu gbabarụ  
 l'eka je ezeeru ndzụ.
- <sup>2</sup> Mu sụru Chipfu; “Ọo ngu bụ  
 Nnajiuphụ nkemu.  
 Iphe, bụ iphe, dụ ree, mu

nweru bụ ngu bẹ o shi  
l'eka."

<sup>3</sup> A bya lẹ ndu dȲru Chileke  
nsø, bu l'eliphe-a;  
oo ẹphe bụ ndu dù akpabiri;  
buru phẹ kachaa mu  
adụ l'obu.

<sup>4</sup> Ndu anoduaje akpọ ephuhuru  
agwa bẹ mgburwashi-ehu  
phẹ anoduepho  
aka shii eje.

Mee anụ, shi mu l'eka ta  
abyadụ ebe agwa phẹ  
ono l'ọnụ;  
ophu mu abyadụ egude  
ọnụ mu ọwa-a kpọ-ku phẹ.

<sup>5</sup> Oo Chipfu bụ okiphe,  
mu ketarụ;  
bya abụru iya bụwaa mu  
mkpakọ lẹ nswiko;  
mbụ l'oo gube Chipfu bẹ iphe,  
mu a-bụru nọ l'eka.

<sup>6</sup> Iphe, e ketarụ mu dù ree  
dụgharu iya eka;  
mbụ l'okiphe nkemu dukpoo ree.

<sup>7</sup> Mu a-noduaje etu Chipfu ẹpha;  
mbụ onye akpọ-ziru  
mu ụzo.

Ọobujeru; o -be l'enyashi;  
obu mu eziahaa  
mu iphe.

<sup>8</sup> Mu anoduajeephо arị kẹ  
Chipfu tekenteke.

Tekenteke bẹ ọ nọ  
 mu l'ékutara;  
 k'ophu a ta abyadụ enwubata  
 mu enwubata.

<sup>9</sup> Noo g'o gude ẹhu nōdu  
 atso mu ụtso.

Mu nōdu ete ẹswa l'ime obu  
 mu;  
 kèle ọ tọ dudu iphe,  
 byaru emebata mu nụ.

<sup>10</sup> Noo kèle mu maru l'i tịi hadụ  
 mu l'alị-maa.

I tịi hadụ onye nkengu,  
 dù nsọ g'o rehu  
 erehu.

<sup>11</sup> Obenu l'i goshichiaru mu ụzo  
 ndzụ.

Anọno, mu anoduje l'iphu  
 ngu tekenteke emeje  
 g'ehu-ụtso ji mu obu.

Mbụ l'anọno, mu anoduje  
 l'ékutara ngu e-me  
 g'ehu tsọ mu ụtso  
 jasụ l'ojejoje.

## 17

*Epfupfu, Dévidi  
 pfuru nü Chileke*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; ngabẹ nchị!  
 Numa arwɔrwo, mube onye  
 pfuberekoto arwọ  
 ngu!

Togbo nchị numa mkpu,

mu echí echíku ngú;  
 l'i gbóbe nchí númera epfupfu,  
 mu epfu anú ngú;  
 kélé o tó bùdu úgho bē  
 mu aghó.

<sup>2</sup> Jiko byanú ahaaru mu enge!  
 Byanú elee ya ẹnya;  
 maru onye iswi dù mma!

<sup>3</sup> I nyochawarú ime obu mu;  
 teme i húwa mu ama  
 l'enyashi;  
 bya elerwewa mu ẹnya  
 ọkpobe elerwe.

Obenu l'o tó dùdu iphe-eji,  
 i húmaru mu l'ehu.

Onu mu bē mu kwabéru ẹnya  
 g'o tó dù ejo opfu,  
 e-shi iya nü.

<sup>4</sup> A -bya l'iphe, nemadzú  
 emegbabe; bē mu  
 mekwáru-pho iphe, i pfuru;  
 buru ubara yeru ndu iwashi.

<sup>5</sup> O bù ọkpa, i tòru bē mu  
 anòduje etso;  
 ọphu o dùdu teke ọkpa  
 chiswafujeru mu.

<sup>6</sup> Iphe, mu gude epfu anú ngú  
 Chileke bùkwa l'íngajeru  
 mu nchí.

Gbóbenú nchí; númera olu mu!

<sup>7</sup> Jiko menaa gẹ mu húma  
 n-yemobu ngú ono,  
 dù biribiri ono;

gube onye abujeru;  
 ndu -gbabarù ngu l'eka  
 je ezeeru ndzù  
 l'i gude erekutara ngu dzota  
 phè l'eka ndu ọhogu phè.

<sup>8</sup> Jifujeru mu ejo-iphe;  
 ẹgube ono, aa jifuje  
 iphe-ọnuka g'o tọ rwupya  
 akpuru enya ono.

Woru mu domia lè mkpula  
 ñkù ngu;  
<sup>9</sup> gẹ ndu ejo-iphe ta akpa  
 mu ẹhu;  
 mbụ ndu ọhogu mu ono,  
 nọ-pheru mu mgburugburu  
 eme g'ephe gbua mu ono.

<sup>10</sup> Imemini nemadzù ta  
 adujeju phè;  
 teme ẹphe nödu egudeje  
 ọnun eku onwophè.

<sup>11</sup> Nta-a abujeru; erekameka,  
 mu shiru; ẹphe etsophe mu;  
 nọ-phee mu mgburugburu;  
 eme g'ephe kwatsua mu.

<sup>12</sup> Ephe adzugabechaa  
 g'agụ, ẹgu àgú;  
 ọ nödu achọ anụ,  
 oo-dzù-gbu;  
 mbụ l'ephe aduje g'ejo agụ,  
 nmakpuru anmakpuru  
 kwabèru iphe  
 e-shita iya iphu.

<sup>13</sup> Gbalihunu gube Chipfu;

fụaru phẹ!

Menaa g'ẹphe gbushi  
ikpere huaru ngu  
ọnụ l'alị!

Gudenụ ogu-echi ngu  
dzọo mu l'eka ndu  
ejo-iphe!

<sup>14</sup> Gudenụ ike nkengu nafuta  
mu l'eka phẹ;  
mbụ l'eka ndu okiphe  
nkephẹ kpajiru l'iphe  
kẹ mgboko-a;  
mbụ ndu i meru;  
ẹphe nweru ẹku;  
nweru iya k'etsutsu iya;  
k'ophu ụnwụ phẹ mẹ  
ụnwụ nwanwa phẹ  
e-nweru iphe nweru  
k'anyinyi.

<sup>15</sup> Obenu lẹ mbødua bẹ e-gude  
apfubekoto hụma  
iphu ngu.

Mu -tehuẹpho bẹ ẹhu-ụtso  
e-ji mu obu;  
noo kẹle mu a-hụma  
ụgbugba ngu.

## 18

*Ebvu, Dévidi, bụ  
onye-ozị Chipfu deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu*

*Ebvu-a bẹ ọ guru gude kele  
 Chipfu lẹ mbọku, Chipfu nafutakotaru iya l'eka  
 ndu ọhogu iya l'ophu; kelekele kẹ  
 Sọlu*  
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<sup>1</sup> Mu yeru ngu obu Chipfu.

Ọo ngu bụ ike mu.

<sup>2</sup> Ọo Chipfu bụ  
 agbara-mkpuma nkemu;  
 bya abụru  
 ulo-ezeru-ndzụ mu;  
 bụru onye  
 agbafụtaje mu nụ.

Ọo Chileke mu bụ  
 agbara-mkpuma,  
 mu agbabajẹ je edomia  
 onwomu.

Ọo ya egbobutaje mu g'ọ  
 tọ dù iphe, e-me mu nụ.

Ọ bụru iya bụ onye egudeje  
 ọkpehu iya dzọ mu.

Ọo l'ime iya bẹ mu agbabajẹ  
 je anọdu zeeru ndzụ.

<sup>3</sup> Ọo Chipfu ono, bụ onye  
 gbaru g'a jajẹ iya  
 ajaja ono bẹ mu arakuje;  
 l'ọ dzọ mu l'eka ndu  
 ọhogu mu.

<sup>4</sup> Anwụhu shiwa chie mu  
 egbirigba l'olu.

Ola-l'iswi nodu asọ  
 gborogboro gẹ mini  
 asọ-pfuta mu.

<sup>5</sup> Ekpa-oyi alị-maa nwụa mu  
kpala.

Anwụhu shiwa woru ónyà  
gbaberi mu.

<sup>6</sup> Ole teke mu eje iphe-ehuka bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
mu rakuru Chipfu.

Mu rakuru Chileke mu;  
sụ g'ọ dzọ mu.

Ọ gbé l'eze-ulọ iya nüma olu  
mu.

Mkpu, mu chiru chiku iya  
rwua ya lẹ nchị.

<sup>7</sup> Noo ya bụ; eliphe l'ophu  
tehu kparíkpari;  
nmakọta jjijijii.

Okpa úbvú l'ophu  
nmaghukọta anmaghu;  
kèle Chileke bẹ ehu eghu eghu.

<sup>8</sup> Enwuru ọku shi iya l'imi  
akpụ kẹ tütutuutuu.

Ọku, shi iya l'ọnụ afụshi  
tükoeopho iphemiphe  
ekepyashi.

Ichebu-okwu iphe,  
o kepyashiru tükoo  
ekameka ata pfupfupfu.

<sup>9</sup> O dojaha akpaminigwe  
kẹ tararara; o bụru  
iya alufuta.

Ochii, gbahuru kẹ tsukiribaa  
nodu iya lẹ mkpula  
okpa.

<sup>10</sup> O nodu l'eli chierobu phezeta.

Ọ bürü lẹ ñkù pherephere  
bẹ o degeru ezi  
phuphuphu.

11 O woru ọchii kpuchia onwiya;  
mbụ l'urwukpu, mini jiru  
ejiji bẹ nö-pheru iya  
mgburugburu.

12 Urwukpu; waa  
akamini-mkpuma; waa  
icheku-oku, ata pfupfupfu  
shi l'ogbunwịinwii ya  
agushihugba.

13 No iya; Chipfu gbe  
l'akpaminigwe tụa  
egbigwe.

A nüma olu onye ono,  
bụ Okalibe-kakota-shii  
ono;  
bya ahụma akamini-mkpuma;  
waa icheku-oku,  
ata pfupfupfu.

14 O gbaa apfụ iya gude chikaa  
ndu ọhogu iya.

Ebemu-igwe bẹ ọ kuru ke  
phoo.

Ephe zékota l'oso gbalachaa.

15 Gube Chipfu ziru unme fuu  
gbooru ndu ọhogu  
ngu ụja.

Eze Enyimu sokahu ẹbo;  
k'ophu a hụmachaaru  
ọhu-entyimu l'enya;  
kpuhachaa ẹka a tụru

ókpá-alí mgboko; a húma.

- <sup>16</sup> Chipfu gbé l'imigwe tufu éka;  
zú mu gburumu;  
gufuta mu l'ogbu-mini.
- <sup>17</sup> O nafútakwaru mu phø l'éka  
ejo ọhogu mu;  
mè l'éka iphe, bùkpoo ndu  
mu dù ashí;  
noo kèle éphe kariru mu éka.
- <sup>18</sup> Mbóku ono, mu eje iphe-éhuka  
ono bẹ́ éphe tsoru mu ọgu;  
obenu l'ọo Chipfu gbatarú  
mu ike.
- <sup>19</sup> Oo yébedua kutaru mu dobe  
l'éka mu nọ túsaru éhu.  
O yérú mu éka nafúta mu l'ọgu;  
kèle mu dù iya l'obu.
- <sup>20</sup> Chipfu buru mu nggo;  
kèle mu bù onye  
pfùberekoto;  
mbụ kèle mu bù onye iswi  
dù mma.
- <sup>21</sup> Noo kèle o buepho úzo,  
Chipfu tòru bẹ́ mu  
anóduje etso.
- Ophu mu egudejedu eme  
ejo-iphe gbakútaru  
Chileke azú.
- <sup>22</sup> Ekemu Chipfu bẹ́ mu  
nwùbekotaru énya g'ọ ha.  
Teme ophu mu aghajéduru  
iphe, o súru g'e meje  
okotazú.

**23** O tọ dukpodaa ẹka ụta dù  
mu l'ehu l'atatiphu iya.

Mu sedekpöerupho onwomu;  
ophu ọ dùdu ejo-iphe,  
mu yejeru ẹka.

**24** Chipfu buru mu nggo;  
kélé mu bụ onye pfuberekoto;  
mbụ l'o buru mu nggo;  
kélé mu bụ onye iswi  
dù mma l'iphu iya.

**25** Ndu yeru ngu obu bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
iigoshije l'i yeru phẹ obu.  
Ndu duebe ree bẹ ịiduebejeru  
ree.

**26** Ndu obu phẹ gürü ìphóró  
bẹ iidobejeru obu ìphóró.  
I nodu emejeru ndu doberu  
uzo phẹ nggòdogo  
nggòdogo g'umere  
phẹ gbaru.

**27** Ndu wozeru onwophẹ<sup>2</sup>  
ali bẹ ijdzotaje;  
obenu lẹ ndu eku  
onwophẹ bẹ iiwozeje  
ali l'onwongu.

**28** Qo gube Chipfu eyejeru mu  
oku l'oróku mu.

Qo gube Chileke mu emeje  
g'iphóró dýru mu  
l'eka ọchii agba.

**29** Eshinu iiyeru mu ẹka bẹ mu  
e-tso ikpoto ndu ojogu ọgu.  
Igbulọ mkpükpu phẹ bẹ mu

e-nyi; eshinu mu lę  
Chileke swi.

<sup>30</sup> Uzo Chileke bę ntucha  
adüdu m'ilile.

Opfu Chileke bükota ọkpobe  
opfu.

Oogbobutaje ndu gbabarụ  
l'ime iya je anodu zee ndzụ.

<sup>31</sup> ?Bụ onye buba Okalibe,  
dụ nụ, abudu  
Chipfu kpoloko?

?Bụ onye buba  
agbara-mkpuma,  
abudu Chileke anyi?

<sup>32</sup> Qo Chileke emeje g'ike dụ  
mu.

Q bụru iya meru ụzo mu;  
ophu ntucha adüdu iya.

<sup>33</sup> Oomeje gę mu pfụ shqoshoo  
gę mgbada;  
mbụ l'oomeje gę mu  
pfuru pfushia ike  
l'eli úbvú.

<sup>34</sup> Q zuru mu; mu maru  
g'aalwuje ogu;  
k'ophu bụ l'ọ tọ dudu  
m'obeta ọ bụru apfụ,  
e kweru l'igwe;  
mu aduele-a ike gbaa ya.

<sup>35</sup> Qo gube Chipfu egbobutaje  
mu; shi egube ono  
dzoo mu.

Q bụru ekutara ngu bę

- iigudeje gudeshia mu.  
 Eka iiyeru mu ekutseje mu.
- <sup>36</sup> I mesataru ụzo mu osa;  
 g'okpa te echiswafu mu.
- <sup>37</sup> Mu gude oso chia ndu  
 ọhogu mu gude;  
 ọphu mu anmadụru nggụ;  
 jasụ mu mee phę;  
 ephe bürü mkpurupyata.
- <sup>38</sup> Mu chiru phę pyakapyaka;  
 k'ophu ephe ta adụedu  
 ike gbelibaa ishi ozo.  
 Ephe zegbaepho kę manyoọ  
 lę mgboru ọkpa mu.
- <sup>39</sup> Oo ike nkengu bę mu gude  
 eje ọgu.  
 Ndu etso mu opfu bę i meru;  
 ephe gbushiru mu ikpere.
- <sup>40</sup> Ndu ọhogu mu bę i meru;  
 ephe ye ọkpa l'oso.  
 I mee; mu tuko ndu mu dụ  
 ashị gbushikota.
- <sup>41</sup> Ephe chiru mkpu;  
 ọphu o dudu onye gbaru  
 phę mkpu.  
 Ephe raku Chipfu;  
 ọphu o yeduru phę ọnu.
- <sup>42</sup> Mu gweru phę uji mee phę;  
 ephe dụ g'urwuku,  
 pherephere zikashiru.  
 Mu wüşhia phę g'epuchi lę  
 gbororo.
- <sup>43</sup> I nafutaru mu l'eka ndu etso

mu opfu; bya emee;  
 mu mu bürü ishi ohamoha;  
 k'ophu ndu mu eshidu  
 maru byaru alwakota  
 mu l'eka.

**44** Ephē -nūma l'ōwa-a iphe,  
 mu sūru g'e mee baa;  
 ẹphē emee ya ẹgwegwa.

Ndu ohozo nōdu  
 ephozekötaru mu.

**45** Meji tufukota iphe,  
 bū ndu ohozo ono;  
 tēme ẹphē nōdu eshijegbaa  
 l'eka ẹphē shi wohaa  
 onwophē phūru  
 yēyeye byapfuta mu.

**46** Chipfu nōkwa ndzū;  
 unu tua  
 agbara-mkpuma  
 nkemu ono ẹpha!  
 Unu kutsee Chileke;  
 l'ōo ya bū onye adzoje  
 mu nū!

**47** Qo Chileke ejeje agwata  
 ugwo iphe, ndu ọhogu  
 mu meru mu.  
 O meru; ụnwu-eliche  
 nōdu mu lē mkpula.

**48** Qonafutaje mu  
 l'eka ndu ọhogu mu.  
 Oowolije mu eli woru  
 mu doghaa ndu  
 etso mu opfu.  
 Ọgbafutaje mu l'eka

ndu emeje nemadzụ  
iphe-kpangangaa.

<sup>49</sup> Noo g'o gude mu je  
a-pfuru l'iphu ọhamoha  
kele gube Chipfu ekele.

Mu a-gụ ebvu gude tua  
ngu ẹpha.

<sup>50</sup> Onye eze, ọ hotaru bę  
oomeje g'o mekpee  
l'ogu.

N-yemobu iya bę  
Ọonoduje egoshi onye  
Ọ wuru manụ l'ishi,  
bu Dévidi yęe oshilökpa  
iya jasụ lę tuutuutuu  
lę mijimiimii.

## 19

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nu onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Igwe l'ophu atụ ọnụ ge  
Chileke dù-be biribiri.  
Akpadinigwe nodu egoshi  
g'oomebe ọna.

<sup>2</sup> Eswe mboku-mboku atụ ọnụ  
iya; teme ẹnyashi nodu  
emeje g'a kabaa ya  
amaru.

<sup>3</sup> A taa nudu olu phe;  
ophu ọ dùdu iphe,  
ephe epfu, aanụ lę nchi;

<sup>4</sup> Obenu l'olu phe tukoru eliphe  
l'ophu ngakota.

Ozi, ẹphe ezi jerwuchaa ẹka  
mgboko beru.

Ọo Chileke kpuru ụlo doberu  
enyanwu l'imigwe.

<sup>5</sup> Enyanwu nodu eshije l'ulo  
iya ọbu kpufuta gę nwoke,  
luru nwanyị k'ophúú.

Ehu nodu atsọ iya gę  
mkparawa, ike dụ,  
l'eje atụ ẹgo ọso.

<sup>6</sup> Oowaje l'akpaminigwe l'ishi  
lanụ; o shi l'ishi iya  
ono jee jasụ l'ishi  
iya ọphuu.

Ọphu ọ dudu iphe, a-sụ  
lẹ ya nọ l'ẹka  
okpomoku iya te  
erwudu iya l'ehu.

<sup>7</sup> Ekemu Chipfu duebe ree.

Oomeje g'obu gụ-zeta  
nemadzụ.

Omelali, Chipfu doberu ta  
angadu anganga.

Oomeje g'onye amazidu iphe  
kabaa amaru iphe.

<sup>8</sup> Iphe, Chipfu tịru ọkpa iya  
pfukwaru nhamụnha.

Oomeje g'ehu tsọo nemadzụ  
ütso.

Iphe, Chipfu sịru g'e meje  
doru rịsaa.

Oomeje nemadzụ g'ọ  
hụma-rweta ụzo ree.

<sup>9</sup> Ntsumebvu Chipfu dù ree.

Ọo-nọ jasụ l'ojejoje.

Iphe, Chipfu tịru l'ekemu  
bụ eviya.

Ọ pfukotaru nhamụnha.

<sup>10</sup> Ọ ka mkpola-ododo agụ egu;  
gẹ mkpola-ododo ono  
aduhabe ree.

Teme ọ tsọhaa manụ-enção  
l'ütso; m'o rwuhaa  
ọ bürü ębakala-enção.

<sup>11</sup> Oonoduje alọ mube onye-ozi  
ngu eka lẹ nchị.

Obunggo djury iya onye  
anoduje eme iphe,  
o pfuru.

<sup>12</sup> Ole ọ bụ; ?bụ onye amajeru  
teke ya eme iphe-eji?

Jiko sachafukwa mu iphe-eji,  
mu meru ọphu mu amadụ.

<sup>13</sup> Yetarụ mube onye-ozi ngu  
eka jiko gẹ mu te  
elekebeje ẹnya mee  
iphe-eji.

Te kwekwa g'iphe-eji kapyabęje  
mu ẹnya.

Ọo ya bụ gẹ mu a-duebe ree;  
teme l'a haarụ mu enge  
lẹ mu ta tupyajeduru  
gube Chipfu.

<sup>14</sup> Jiko Chipfu; g'opfu,  
shi mu l'ọnụ; mẹ iphe,  
mu arị l'ime obu mu duje

ngu rø ree;  
 kële ọo ngu bụ  
 agbara-mkpuma mu;  
 bya aburu onye agbafutaje  
 mu nụ.

## 20

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
 nụ onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Gẹ Chipfu nümaro olu ngu  
 nta-a, iphe-ehuka byaru  
 ngu-a!

Gẹ Chileke kẹ Jiékopu jiko  
 gbobutakwa ngu!

<sup>2</sup> G'o shikwa l'ulo iya,  
 dù nsọ bya agbaarụ  
 ngu mkpu!

G'o shinu lẹ Zayonu bya  
 agbaarụ ngu ọdzori!

<sup>3</sup> G'o nyatakwa iphemiphe,  
 i mīru ẹnya nụ iya!

G'o natakwa  
 ngweja-akpo-oku,  
 i gwerụ nụ iya!

<sup>4</sup> G'o nükwa ngu iphe,  
 dù ngu l'obu!

G'o mekwaa g'iphe,  
 i tüberu jee g'i tüberu iya!

<sup>5</sup> Oo ya bükwanu g'anyi  
 atua okoo m'anyi nümaephō  
 l'eka nkengu kangoru.

Anyi achị-liaru Chileke  
 anyi erekwa-ohubama.

Ge Chipfu mekwaru ngu  
iphemiphe, i rwokotaru  
iya!

<sup>6</sup> Nta-a bę mu mawaru lę  
Chipfu dzotawaru onye nkiya,  
a wuru manu l'ishi.

Qogbeje l'imigwe,  
dụ nsọ ono za iya enu.  
O nodu egudeje ọkperehu iya  
mee g'eka onye eze  
kangoo.

<sup>7</sup> O nweru ndu achijeru ụpfu  
kwęe l'ugbo-inya.

O nwekwarupho ndu ọphu  
akpojeru obu ye  
l'inya-ogu phe.

Obenu l'anyibedua bụ  
ephä Chipfu, bụ Chileke  
anyi bę anyi dakoberu.

<sup>8</sup> Ephebedua vukotawaru abalị  
dagbua ochii;  
obenu l'anyibedua gbeshiru  
pfuru pfushia ike.

<sup>9</sup> Jiko Chipfu; menaa g'eka  
onye eze anyi kangoo!

Nümaro olu anyi nta-a,  
anyi araku ngu-a!

## 21

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nụ onye-ishí ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; ehu atsọ eze ụtso

- l'okpehu ngu parụ eka.  
 Lewaro egube ọswa,  
     oote l'i meru; eka iya kangoo!  
<sup>2</sup> Imekpoeru iya pho iphe,  
     du iya l'obu;  
     ophu o dudu iphe,  
     o saru onu su g'i meeru iya,  
     i ti meduru iya.  
<sup>3</sup> Igude iphe-ọma, nyiberu  
     anyibe gba iya ndzuta;  
     bya eworu okpu-eze,  
     e meru l'okpobe  
     mkpola-ododo kpube  
     iya l'ishi.  
<sup>4</sup> O rworu ngu ndzụ;  
     i nụekwa iya ya pho;  
     mbụ mee g'eswe ndzụ iya  
     bụru ojejoje.  
<sup>5</sup> Emekpe ono, i meru;  
     o mekpee ono meru;  
     a nodu akwabę iya ùbvù,  
     parụ eka apaa.  
 I meru; o du akpabiri;  
     egbu nwịinwii.  
<sup>6</sup> Mbụ-a; l'i gowaru iya  
     onu-ọma ojejoje;  
     bya emee g'ehu tsoje iya ụtso;  
     noo kele i no swiru iya.  
<sup>7</sup> Eshinu eze dakoberu Chipfu;  
     teme Okalibe-kakota-shii  
     yee ya obu bę a ta  
     abyakwa enwubata iya  
     enwubata.

- <sup>8</sup> Eka ngu a-kpachaaru ndu  
    ohogu ngu g'ephe hakota.  
Ndu i dụ ashị bẹ ii-gude  
    ekutara ngu zụ pfụurii.
- <sup>9</sup> Teke ii-me g'a huma ngu  
    bẹ ji-hụ phẹ l'oku,  
enwu phoophoophoo;  
mbụ lẹ Chipfu  
a-tukoshi phẹ oke  
    ehu-eghu iya;  
gude ọku tsupyashia phẹ.
- <sup>10</sup> Ii-mebiyishi awa phẹ le  
    mgboko-a l'ophu;  
mekwaapho g'unwu phẹ  
    chịhu lẹ mgboko-a.
- <sup>11</sup> Ephe a-nodu achikpooru  
    ngu ejo idzu;  
gbachaaru ngu kẹ njo;  
    ole o tọ dudu ọphu e-nweru ishi.
- <sup>12</sup> Kele ii-me g'ephe ye ọkpa l'oso;  
    m'i setaephə apfụ ngu kẹ  
    kikiki g'i gbaa phẹ.
- <sup>13</sup> Gube Chipfu; g'e kutsee ngu  
    l'okpehu parụ ngu eka.  
Anyịbedua a-nodu agụ ebvu  
    etu ngu əpha l'ike  
    dụnukaru ngu.

## 22

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu; g'e gude olu,  
"Ele Nchi-abohu" gụa ya*

- 1** Chileke mu! Chileke mu!  
 ?Bụ gụnu bẹ o gude i haa mu  
 nkịnyi mu?  
 ?Bụ gụnu meru g'o gude i haa  
 mu adzota je anọdu mu  
 ụzenya?  
 ?I je anọdu g'i tị nụma ude,  
 mu atsụ?  
**2** Gube Chileke mu;  
 eswe l'enyashi bẹ mu  
 arakuje ngu;  
 i tịi zadụ mu enu; obenu  
 lẹ mu ta anókirishijedu.  
**3** Ole i dunaa nsø g'i dù;  
 mbụ gube onye eze ndu  
 ízurèlu anoduje etu ẹpha.  
**4** Oo ngu bẹ nna anyi phẹ  
 dakoberu.  
 Ẹphe dakoberu ngu;  
 i nafuta phẹ.  
**5** Ẹphe rakuru ngu; i dzøo phẹ.  
 Ẹphe dakobe ngu;  
 ophu i kpuduru phẹ  
 iphu lẹ ntụ.  
**6** Obenu lẹ mbødua bụ  
 mgbashiride;  
 mu ta abụdu nemadzụ.  
 Mu bụ onye ụnwụ-eliche  
 emeje iphe-iphere;  
 bya abụru onye adụdu iphe,  
 ndiphe guberu iya.  
**7** Iphe, bükpo ndu ele mu  
 ẹnya achị mu ọchi;

- aphuru mu egbonu;  
 bya ekweru mu une; su:  
 8 "O kwa l'o sru l'oo Chipfu  
 be ya boru mkpa iya.  
 Ngwa; ge Chipfu obu  
 nafutanu iya!  
 G'o gbafutanu iya;  
 eshinu o sru le ya du  
 Chipfu l'obu."  
 9 Ole o kwa ngu-a kufataru  
 mu l'ephō ne mu.  
 O bürü ngu meru; mu  
 dakobe ngu; e -shiro  
 teke mu angukwadu era.  
 10 A nwuru mu bya ekuru  
 mu ye ngu l'eka.  
 E -shi teke mu no l'ephō ne  
 mu be i buhawaa Chileke mu.  
 11 Ba nodukwa mu uyenya;  
 kele iphe-ehuka nokwa mu  
 phakuu;  
 ophu mu enwekwa onye  
 gbaru mu mkpu.  
 12 Oke-eswi, du igwerigwe  
 no-pheru mu ano-phee;  
 mbu le obobena ndu  
 Beshanu gbaru mu  
 mgburugburu.  
 13 Ephe sagbaaru onu galaba  
 eje abyapfuta mu g'oduma,  
 l'agbo uja, ejepfu anu,  
 oo-gbu; taa.  
 14 A wushiru mu ge mini.

- Iphe, bụ ọkpu, nọ mu  
l'ehu gbughashịhu.  
Nta-a bẹ obu mu dụwaa  
g'ùnwù.  
Ọ nọwa mu l'ime zashịhu  
azashịhu.
- 15 Ike bvụwaru mu;  
ophu ụvoju adụhedu  
mu m'ilile.  
Ire nyakụwaru mu l'akpo.  
I woru mu gwọphua  
l'urwuku gę mu nọdu  
nwụhu.
- 16 Nkuta nọ-phewaru mu  
mgburugburu.  
Ikpotu ndu eme ejo-ememe  
gbaphewaa mu  
mgburugburu;  
kpọ-fushia mu eka yęe  
okpa.
- 17 Nta-a bẹ ęgara agụwa  
mu ọgu.  
Ndiphe tükowa chiru ẹnya  
dzee mu ele mu kę  
phoriphori.
- 18 Ephe kee uwe mu l'ehu l'ehu;  
o be l'ophu mu eyeje l'ime ęhu;  
ephe tụa ido g'ephe maru  
onye a-chịta iya nụ.
- 19 Jiko gube Chipfu;  
ba nödukwa mu ụzenya!  
Gube mkpako ike mu;  
bya ęgwegwa bya

- agbaarụ mu mkpu!
- 20** Gbafuta ndzụ mu g'e te  
gude ogu-echi phụa mu!  
Gbafutaro mkpakọ iphe ono,  
mu nweru ono, bụ ndzụ mu;  
gẹ nkụta ta takashị iya!
- 21** Jiko dzotanu mu l'ọnụ  
oduma;  
waa lẹ mgbaka mpu atsụ.  
Eshinu ị zawaru mu ẹnu;
- 22** bẹ mu a-ra ẹpha ngu arara  
g'unwunna mu phẹ  
numa-dzuru.
- Mu anodu l'edzudzu-ọha jaa  
ngu ajaja.
- 23** Unubẹ ndu atsụ Chipfu ebvu;  
unu jaa ya ajaja!  
Iphe, bükpo g'unu ha bụru  
oshilökpa Jiékopu;  
unu kwabẹje iya ùbvù!
- Unubẹ oshilökpa Ízurelu  
l'ophu; unu bajeru iya ejá!
- 24** Kele onye iphe-ehuka byaru  
b'ẹ o too lejedu  
olegbulẹnya;  
mbụ l'ọ tọo gbadojedu  
onye eje iphe-ehuka;  
ophu ọ ghajeduru  
iya azụ.
- Ọonumaje-chia olu, o gude  
chiku iya lẹ mkpu.
- 25** Mu a-nodu l'edzudzu-ọha jaa  
ngu ajaja iphe, i meru mu.

Ọ bụru l'iphu ndu atsụ ngu  
 ebvu bẹ mu a-nodu  
 mekota iphe, mu riburu  
 angụ ememe.

<sup>26</sup> Ndu ụkpa bẹ ẹpho e-ji.

Ndu acho Chipfu ajaa  
 ya ajaja.

“Gẹ ndzụ unu bụru ojejoje.”

<sup>27</sup> Unwu-eliphe l'ophu  
 e-mechaa nyata iphe,  
 nwuru nụ.

Ẹphe adakọbe Iwapfuta  
 Chipfu.

Mbụ-a; iphe, bükota ipfu,  
 nökota l'ohamoha  
 bẹ e-mechaa bya  
 abakotaru iya ejá.

<sup>28</sup> Kele iphe, bükotakpoo  
 ali-eze ndiphe l'ophu  
 bükota kẹ Chipfu;  
 teme ọ bụru iya achikota  
 ọhamoha.

<sup>29</sup> Iphe, bükpoo ndu nweru iphe  
 l'eliphe-a bẹ e-mechaa booru  
 iya obo-iphe; bakwaarụ  
 iya pho ejá;  
 teme iphe, bükotakpoo  
 ndu e-mechaa bụru ejá bẹ  
 e-mechakwapho gbua  
 ikpere l'atatiphu iya;  
 mbụ ndu ta adụdu ike edobe  
 onwopho ndzụ.

<sup>30</sup> Ogbo, nọ l'iphu e-jeru iya ozi.

Ọgbo, a-bya nụ bẹ aa-kọru  
kẹ Nnajịuphu.

**31** Aa-rarụ iya ndu e teke  
anwükpodanu anwụnwụ  
lẹ Nnajịuphu bụ onye  
pfüberekoto;  
mbụ l'oo yębedua meru iya.

## 23

### *Ebvu-ọma, Dévidi deru*

- 1** Chipfu eche mu g'onye eche  
aturu;  
ophu ọ dükpodaa iphe,  
uko iya bya adụru mu.
- 2** Oomeje ge mu zee tuta unme  
l'eka irwu ęswa du.  
Ọ nodu eduje mu eje l'aguga  
mini, doreru nyimunyimu.
- 3** Oomeje g'obu gu-zeta mu.  
Ọ bürü uzo, pfürü ọto bẹ  
oodujeru mu shia g'ee-shi  
g'ępha iya apfürü.
- 4** Obetakpoo ọ bürü uzo,  
du lẹ nsüda, gbahụru  
tsukiribaa bẹ mu eshi  
ọ to dudu ejo-iphe,  
mu atsụ ebvu iya;  
kele i nọ swiru mu eswiru.  
Mgboro mẹ oshi-mpalẹka  
ngu anoduje adụ mu obu.
- 5** Iigweshijeru mu nri ge  
mu ria l'iphu ndu achị  
mu lẹ njo.

I nodu eteje mu manu,  
 eshi mkpọ l'ishi g'eemeje  
 onye a kwaru ẹbyaa.  
 Okoro mu bẹ iimeje;  
 l'o ji pyimu pyimu  
 ebushihu ebushihu.  
<sup>6</sup> O buepho k'ọma waa  
 n-yemobu Chipfu a-nodu  
 etso mu jasukpoo gẹ mu  
 a-nọ-beru.  
 Mu ebuerupho l'ulo Chipfu  
 jasuwawuroya.

## 24

*Ebvu-ọma, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Mgboko; yẹe iphemiphe,  
 nọ iya nụ bukota kẹ Chipfu;  
 mbụ eliphe-a l'ophu;  
 mékpoo ndu bu iya nụ;  
<sup>2</sup> kele ọo l'eli eze-entyimu  
 bẹ ọ túru ọkpa iya;  
 bya emee ya;  
 ọ nguru anguru l'eli enyimu  
 ime-ali.  
<sup>3</sup> ?Bụ onye a-dụ ike nyihu  
 úbvú Chipfu?  
 ?Bụ onye a-dụ ike pfuru  
 l'eka o doberu nsọ?  
<sup>4</sup> Oo onye ọbochi-eka iya labọ  
 adụdu iphe-ẹji, dụ iya nụ;  
 teme obu iya gụa iphóró;  
 onye te ewoduru obu iya  
 ziberu iphe, bụ ụgho;

téme ọphu ookpapyabejedu  
iphe, o meru gúa énwa.

- <sup>5</sup> Onye ono bẹ Chipfu a-góru  
onu-oma nụ;  
téme Chileke ono, bù onye  
adzoje iya nụ ono ahaaru  
iya enge.
- <sup>6</sup> Noo g'ogbo, acho ngu nụ  
aduje bù onoya;  
mbụ ndu acho g'ephe húma  
iphu gúbe Chileke kẹ Jiékópu.
- <sup>7</sup> Unu gúhashia onu-abata  
ono g'o gheru onu!  
Unu gúhashia mgbo ndiche  
ono;  
k'ophu eze akpabiri a-bata.
- <sup>8</sup> ?Bù onye bükpoo eze  
akpabiri ọbu?  
Ọo Chipfu, bu onye nwe  
ike yee ọkpahu;  
mbụ Chipfu onye ejeye ọgu  
lwụ-kpée.
- <sup>9</sup> Unu gúhashia onu-abata  
ono g'o gheru onu!  
Unu gúhashia mgbo ndiche ono;  
k'ophu eze akpabiri a-bata.
- <sup>10</sup> ?Bù onye bükpoo eze akpabiri  
ono?  
Ọo Chipfu, bù Ọkalibe-Kakota-Ike  
bù eze akpabiri ọbu.

- <sup>1</sup> Oo gube Chipfu bẹ mu gude  
obu mu g'ọ ha epfu anụ.
- <sup>2</sup> O bürü gube Chileke mu bẹ  
mu dakoberu.  
Te kwekwa g'e kpua mu iphu  
lẹ ntụ;  
ophu i kwekwa gẹ ndu ọhogu  
mu tịru okoo kpua mu.
- <sup>3</sup> O tọ dükpodaa onye ẹnya dụ  
l'eka i nọ, e kpujeru  
iphu lẹ ntụ.  
Obenu lẹ ndu eme umere,  
agbaduru phẹ nụ;  
ẹbe adụ iphe, kparụ iya nụ  
bẹ ee-kpu iphu lẹ ntụ.
- <sup>4</sup> Jiko Chipfu; goshinu mu  
gbororo ngu;  
menaa g'uzo ngu doo mu  
ẹnya ree!
- <sup>5</sup> Goshi mu uzo, mu e-shije  
eme ọkpobe opfu ngu;  
l'i zia mu iphe l'onwongu;  
kélé ọ ngu bụ Chileke,  
l'adzọje mu nụ.  
O bürü l'eka i nọ bẹ ẹnya mu  
aduje mbóku-mbóku.
- <sup>6</sup> Gube Chipfu; jiko nyatakwa  
obu-imemini;  
yẹe n-yemobu ngu;  
kélé ẹphe shi l'ojejoje.
- <sup>7</sup> Ta nyatakwa iphe-ẹji,  
mu meshiru l'okorobya;  
ophu i nyatakwa lẹ mu

- shi kwefuru ngu ike.  
 Gude kélé i yeru mu obu  
 nyata mu rọ;  
 kélé i dù ree Chipfu.
- <sup>8</sup> Chipfu dù ree bya abúru  
 onye obu iya guru iphóró.  
 Ọ bùru iphe ono meru g'o  
 gude ọ nödu ezi je  
 ndu iphe-eji ụzo iya ono.
- <sup>9</sup> Ndu wozeru onwophé ali  
 l'iphu iya bẹ ọnonodu je  
 edu g'ephe mee iphe,  
 pfuru nhamunha.
- Ọ nödu anöodu je ezi phé ụzo  
 iya.
- <sup>10</sup> Ndu eme iphe, dù  
 l'ogbandzu Chipfu;  
 bya eme iphe, ọ súru g'e  
 meje  
 bẹ Chipfu egoshije lẹ ya  
 yeru obu; bya abúru  
 o-me-g'o-pfuru;  
 mbụ ndu edobeje iphe,  
 ọgbandzu ẹphe l'iya pfuru.
- <sup>11</sup> A makwaru-a l'ejo-iphe,  
 mu meshiru ngu paru ẹka.  
 Ọlobu Chipfu; jiko gụaru  
 mu rọ nvụ g'epha  
 ngu apfuru.
- <sup>12</sup> ?Bụ onye bükpo onye atsụ  
 Chipfu ebvu?  
 Onye ono bẹ ọo-kpo-ziru ụzo,  
 gbaru iya l'eshishi.

- 13 Onye ono bẹ iphe a-nodu  
aduru lẹ ree  
mkpūrumkpuru.  
Ọ bụru oshilokpa iya  
e-nweru ali ono.
- 14 Ndu Chipfu kporu obu yeru  
bụ ndu atsụ iya ebvu.  
Ọ bụru ndu ono bẹ oomeje  
g'ephe maru ọgbandzu  
ephe l'iya.
- 15 Enya mu buepho lẹ Chipfu  
bẹ ọoduje;  
kélé ọ buę ya pho kpoloko  
bụ onye a-dụ ike zofu  
mu l'onyà.
- 16 Ghanaaru mu iphu;  
phunaaru mu obu-imemini;  
kélé mu nọ nkinyi mu;  
aphụ tsökwaru mu pho.
- 17 Iphe, egburwashị mu ẹhu  
paakwaru igwerigwe.  
Byanụ ekufuta mu l'iphe-ehuka  
mu ono!
- 18 Lenaa enya l'aphụ ono, byaru  
mu nụ ono; yee ejo ọnodu,  
mu nọ.  
Gukotanuru mu nvụ l'iphe-eji,  
mu meru g'o ha!
- 19 Lewarọ gẹ ndu ọhogu mu  
habe igwe!  
Lewarọ enya húma gẹ mu  
dụ-be phẹ ashị kparu!
- 20 Chenu ndzụ mu nche;

jiko nafuta mu rọ;  
 g'e te kpu mu iphu lẹ ntụ;  
 kélé ọ o l'ime ngu bẹ mu nọ;  
 ezeru ndzụ.

- <sup>21</sup> G'iphe, a-nodu adzọ mu nụ  
 buru kele mu bụ onye ụta  
 adudu l'ehu;  
 bya aburu onye obu guru  
 iphóró;  
 eshinu ọ bụ l'eka i nọ  
 bẹ enya mu dụ.
- <sup>22</sup> Jiko Chileke; gbafutanu  
 ndu Ízurelu l'iphe-ehuka,  
 ẹphe ejekota g'ọ ha!

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### *Ebvu, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Haarụ mu enge gube Chipfu;  
 kélé ọ tọ dudu eka ụta dụ  
 lẹ ndzụ mu.  
 Ọo ngu bẹ mu dakoberu  
 Chipfu;  
 ọphu ọ dudu teke mu  
 ngajeru anganga.
- <sup>2</sup> Hunaa mu ama Chipfu!  
 Nyochana mu enyocha!  
 Lerwena ẹnya elerwe  
 l'ime obu mu waa  
 l'egomunggo mu.
- <sup>3</sup> Kélé ọ obu, i yeru mu  
 anoduje akpo-ziru mu  
 uzo tekenteke;  
 teme mu nodu emeje iphe,

- i pfuru.
- <sup>4</sup> Mu lẹ ndu ẹregede ta  
anogbajekwa;  
ophu mu lẹ ndu bụ  
tuko-l'ehu-atuko-l'obu  
aswidu ọswi.
- <sup>5</sup> Ndzukọ ndu anoduje eme  
ejo-ememe bẹ mu  
akpo-yiru ukuvu;  
ophu mu lẹ ndu ejo-iphe  
anogbajedu.
- <sup>6</sup> Mu akwoje eka gude goshi  
l'iswi dụ mu mma.  
Mu abya ejephe ọru-ngwēja  
gube Chipfu mgburugburu;
- <sup>7</sup> akwa ẹvu; etu ngu ẹpha;  
epfukashi k'iphe, dụ biribiri,  
jinoduje eme.
- <sup>8</sup> Ulo gube Chipfu bẹ mu yeru  
obu;  
mbụ eka o-gbu-nwịinwii  
ngu dụ.
- <sup>9</sup> Ba sakobekwa mu lẹ  
ndu iphe-eji ọ-sa-mpfụ;  
ophu i dobekwa mu lẹ ndu  
egbu ọchi l'oshi lanụ;
- <sup>10</sup> mbụ ndu buepho iphe-eji  
bẹ ẹphe maru ememe;  
bya abụru eri ụphalazu bụ  
iphe, doru phẹ ẹnya.
- <sup>11</sup> Obenu lẹ ndzụ nkemu bẹ  
uta ta adụdu m'ilile.  
Ọ ya bụ; phunaaru mu

obu-imemini; gbafuta  
mu rọ!

<sup>12</sup> Mu pfuru l'eka ọkpa rwuru  
mu ali.  
Mu je l'anodu l'edzudzu-ọha  
tua Chipfu ẹpha.

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### *Ebvu, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Oo Chipfu bụ ìphóró, dürü  
mu nụ bya abụru onye  
adzoje mu nụ.  
?Bụ onye bẹ mu atsükwanu  
ebvu ọzo?  
Oo Chipfu bụ  
ulo-ezeru-ndzụ mu.  
?Bụ onye bẹ ndzụ iya a-nodu  
agubaa mu ọzo?
- <sup>2</sup> Teke ndu eme ejo-ememe;  
mbụ ndu achi mu lẹ njo;  
waa ndu ọhogu mu türü  
kpereree byapfuta mu  
g'ephe vụa anụ mu avụvu;  
ephe evukota abalị dagbua  
Ọchii.
- <sup>3</sup> Obetakpọo ndu ojogu  
nọ-phee mu mgburugburu;  
bẹ obu te etedu mu etete.  
Mbụ; o betakpọo nụ ndu  
ọhogu mu wulihu tsso  
mu ọgu;  
mu adakobeèle-a Chipfu.
- <sup>4</sup> Oo iphe lanụ bẹ mu arwo

- Chipfu;  
 ọ bụru iphe ono bẹ mu achọ.  
 Iphe ọbu bụ gẹ mu nodu  
 l'ulo Chipfu jasụ lẹ gẹ mu  
 a-nōberu lẹ mgboko-a;  
 gẹ mu nōdukpoeopho  
 egbu igo l'ọ-dụ-úbvú Chipfu;  
 tēme mu anōdukwapho  
 l'eze-ulọ Chipfu kpatajẹ  
 iya ishi iphe.
- <sup>5</sup> Kẹle mbọku, ejo-iphe  
 byaru mu bẹ oo-dobe mu  
 l'eka ọ nọ;  
 l'o domia mu l'ime mìkpù-ekwa  
 iya; bya eworu mu pfube  
 ephekerephe l'eli mkpuma.
- <sup>6</sup> Oo ya bụ; mu esengoo ndu  
 ọhogu mu, nọ-pheru mu  
 mgburugburu.  
 Mu anodu l'ulo-ekwa  
 Chileke tịa oko gude  
 gwaa Chipfu; gúa ebvu;  
 kụa nkwa gude tua ya  
 ẹpha.
- <sup>7</sup> Jiko Chipfu; nümanu olu  
 mu mẹ mu raku ngu!  
 Phụnaaru mu obu-imemini;  
 zanụ mu enu!
- <sup>8</sup> Iphe, obu mu pfuru mu  
 bụ gẹ mu chọo iphu ngu.  
 Ọ bụru iphu gube Chipfu  
 ono bẹ mu achọ-a.
- <sup>9</sup> Ta aghakwaru mu azụ;

ophu i gudekwa ẹhu-eghu  
 ngu nwufu mube  
 onye-ozi ngu;  
 kеле ọ buekwa ngu pho  
 bu onye shi eshinu  
 yetaru mu ẹka.

Ta ajikakwa mu;  
 ophu i gwobekwa mu;  
 gube Chileke, bu onye  
 adzoje mu nụ!

<sup>10</sup> Nna mu yee ne mu  
 -gbadokpoo mu nụ;  
 be Chipfu e-letalẹ mu-a  
 enya.

<sup>11</sup> Zia mu uzo ngu; jiko Chipfu!  
 Dunaa mu shia uzo, pfuru  
 nhamunha m'obvu ndu  
 akpa mu ẹhu.

<sup>12</sup> Ta ahakwa mu gẹ ndu  
 achị mu lẹ njo mee mu g'o  
 dù phẹ; kèle ndu agba  
 mu ejo-ekebe wulihuru  
 ebo mu ibo; anmaru  
 mu ọnwu ẹhuka ẹhuka.

<sup>13</sup> Obenu l'iphe, mu chiru  
 ụpfu kwẹe bu lẹ mu  
 a-nodu ndzụ hụma iphe,  
 dù ree, shi Chipfu l'eka.

<sup>14</sup> Nodu kwabẹru Chipfu!  
 Shihukpoeopho ike;  
 gude ẹka l'obu;  
 kwabẹru Chipfu.

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*Ebvu, Dévidi deru*

- 1 Oo ngu bẹ mu araku Chipfu,  
bụ oke mkpuma nkemu.  
Ba gbakwa mu nkuchi;  
kele i -nokirishia bẹ mu lẹ  
ndu ejá taru a-bükwaru  
iphe lanu.
- 2 Númaro mkpu, mu echiku  
ngu g'i yeru mu eka;  
ge mu chiliru eka mabé  
l'uzo eka-kakóta-adú-nso  
ngu ono.
- 3 Ba tükokwa mu lẹ ndu  
ejo-iphe kputa kpufu;  
mbụ ndu anoduje eme iphe,  
adudu ree;  
ndu anoduje epfuru  
nemadzụ ibe phẹ opfu  
emereme l'eli ọnụ;  
obenu l'iphe, dù phẹ l'obu  
bụ mgbashị.
- 4 Pfua phẹ ugwo iphe, ẹphe  
meru;  
mẹ ugwo ejo-ememe,  
ẹphe megbabérù.
- Pfua phẹ ugwo iphe,  
ẹphe gude eka phẹ meta;  
l'i wota iphe, gbaru phẹ  
nụ wophutaru phẹ azụ.
- 5 Eshinu ọ dudu iphe,  
ẹphe guberu ozi, Chipfu  
jeru; mbụ iphe, Chipfu

gude eka iya mee l'onwiya;  
 bẹ oo-gude eka iya  
 dojashia phẹ adojashi;  
 ọphu ọ byadu  
 agbakwabaa phẹ agbakwa.

**6** Unu tua Chipfu ẹpha;  
 kẹle ọ nümaru mkpu,  
 mu chikuru iya sụ g'ọ  
 phụaru mu obu-imemini.

**7** Oo Chipfu bụ ike mu;  
 bya abụru onye egbobutaje  
 mu nụ.

Ọ bụru iya bẹ mu dakoberu;  
 ọ nodu eyeru mu eka.

Mu anoduje ete ẹswa  
 l'ime obu mu.

Mu a-gụ ebvü gude kele  
 iya ekele.

**8** Oo Chipfu bụ ike ndu nkiya;  
 bya abụru ụlo-ezeru-ndzụ  
 onye o teru manụ l'ishi.

**9** Dzotanu ndibe ngu;  
 gonuru ọnụ-ọma nụ ndu bụ  
 okiphe ngu!

Chejenu phẹ nche g'onye  
 eche atụru;  
 l'i heru phẹ eheru jasụ  
 l'ojejoje!

## 29

### *Ebvü-oma, Dévidi deru*

**1** Unubẹ ụnwụ imigwe;  
 unu kwabẹ Chipfu ùbvù!

Unu pfua g'okpehu iya  
habe shii!

<sup>2</sup> Unu kwabẹ Chipfu ùbvù,  
gbaru ẹpha iya!

Unu baarụ Chipfu eja;  
mbụ onye dù nsọ bya  
adụ akpabiri.

<sup>3</sup> Olu Chipfu tükoru  
eze-ényimu ngakota.

Ọ bụru Chileke ono,  
dụ akpabiri ono atụ  
egbigwe;  
mbụ lẹ Chipfu atụ egbigwe  
l'eli eze-ényimu.

<sup>4</sup> Olu Chipfu dükwa ọkpehu;  
mbụ l'olu Chipfu anọduje  
ada kpaa kpaa.

<sup>5</sup> Olu Chipfu agbawashije  
oshi sida; mbụ lẹ Chipfu  
agbajashije oshi sida,  
pfugbaaru l'úbvú úbvú  
Lébanonu.

<sup>6</sup> Oomeje g'úbvú úbvú  
Lébanonu nmahụ  
jiiijiji gẹ nweswi, apfụ  
kẹ shqoshoo.

Ọ nodu emeje úbvú Siriyonu;  
g'ọ nma pfula pfula  
gẹ nwa atsụ, apfụ ntụ.

<sup>7</sup> Olu Chipfu akụje  
g'ebemu-igwe.

<sup>8</sup> Olu Chipfu anmajẹ echięgu  
jiiijiji;

mbụ lẹ Chipfu anmaję  
echięgu Kadęshi jjijjii.

- <sup>9</sup> Olu Chipfu anmaję  
achi yigayiga.  
Ọojishije ekwo l'oswa;  
mee ya;  
l'o gheru karaphongu.  
Onyemonye, nō l'ime  
eze-ulø iya a-nodu epfu;  
su: "Chileke dükwa  
biribiri!"  
<sup>10</sup> Chipfu s̄ugaru l'aba-eze  
iya; utso nödu iya lę  
mkpula;  
teme o je a-büru eze  
jasu l'ojegoje.  
<sup>11</sup> Chipfu emeje g'ike  
dụ ndibe  
iya.  
Chipfu agojeru önü-oma  
nchị-adụ-doo nụ ndibe  
iya.

## 30

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru*

- A ḡuru iya gude woru  
eze-ulø Chileke ye Chileke  
l'eka*
- <sup>1</sup> Mu a-nodu ekutse gube  
Chipfu;  
kele i nalitaru mu l̄ofuta  
mu l'ime nsu;  
ophu i kwedu ḡe ndu oğogu

- mu teru ẹswa kpua mu.
- <sup>2</sup> Gube Chipfu, bụ Chileke mu;  
     mu rakuru ngu g'i  
     yeru mu eka.  
 I bya emee; ẹhu dù mu ike.  
<sup>3</sup> Su-a; gube Chipfu;  
     ọo ngu lọ-litaru mu  
     lọfuta mu l'ime alị-maa.  
 I mee gẹ mu ta abụ onye  
     eja tarụ.  
<sup>4</sup> Unu gụa ebvu gude tua  
     Chipfu ẹpha;  
     unubẹ ndu dürü iya  
     nsọ!  
 Unu kele iya ekele;  
     l'ẹpha iya dù nsọ!  
<sup>5</sup> Kele ẹhu te eghujedu iya  
     eghu nọ odu.  
 Obenu l'obu-ọmaa ya anọduje  
     jasụ teke onye onoya  
     l'a-nọ-beru.  
 Enya-mini bụ-a l'enyashi bẹ<sup>6</sup>  
     aakwashije iya;  
     o -be l'ụtsu; ebvu ẹhu-ụtso  
     adaha.  
<sup>6</sup> Teke ẹhu dù mu guu bẹ mu  
     suru l'o tọ dükpodaa iphe,  
     byaru enwubata mu nụ.  
<sup>7</sup> Gube Chipfu; teke i shi  
     emeru mu obu-ọma  
     bẹ i meru; mu nguru  
     anguru g'úbvú.  
 Obenu lẹ teke i gharu mu azụ

bę meji tօfuru mu.

<sup>8</sup> Qo gübə Chipfu bę mu rakuru.  
Q bṣru gübə Nnajjuphu bę  
mu rwɔru g'i phṣaru  
mu obu-imemini.

<sup>9</sup> Mu sürü: "?Bü urwu ḡunu  
bę anw̄hu mu a-baru  
ngu?"

Mb̄u-a? d̄enu urwu, ii-rita iya  
mę a t̄ua mu eja?  
?Bü urwuku, d̄u l'alı a-wata  
ngu ajaja?

?Bü iya a-ra iya arara l'ı bü  
onye apf̄ushije ike  
l'iphe, i pfuru?

<sup>10</sup> Jiko Chipfu; n̄umaro olu  
mu; ph̄unaaru mu  
obu-imemini!

Jiko Chipfu; yeru mu r̄o ęka!"

<sup>11</sup> Ękwa, mu raru bę i  
gbanweru mee;  
mu teahaa ebvu.

I bya eyefu mu uwe-aph̄u,  
mu yeru; woru ęhu-ütso  
yee mu g'uwe.

<sup>12</sup> Iphe ono bükpoerupho  
g'ee-shi g'obu mu aguaha  
ebvu gude etu ngu ępha;  
g'q̄ t̄o nohe ngguingguji.

Gube Chipfu, bü Chileke mu;  
q̄o ngu bę mu a-n̄oduje  
ekele jas̄u l'ojejoje.

# 31

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nụ onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Oo gube Chipfu bę mu nọ  
l'eka ezeru ndzụ.

B'ekwekwa g'e kpua mu iphu  
lę ntụ jasụ l'ojejoje.

Eshinu i bụ onye  
pfuberekoto; nafutanu  
mụ.

<sup>2</sup> Gbabenuru mu nchị.

Bya egwegwa bya agbafuta  
mu.

Bunuru mu agbara-mkpuma,  
mu a-gbabaje je ezeeru ndzụ;  
mbụ ulo-ezeru-ndzụ,  
a-dzota mu nụ.

<sup>3</sup> Eshinu i bürü mu  
agbara-mkpuma; bya  
abürü mu ulo-ezeru-ndzụ;  
dunaa mu l'onwongu;  
kpọ-ziaru mu ụzo g'epha  
ngu apfuru.

<sup>4</sup> Nafuta mu l'ónyà ono,  
a gbab eru mu onoya;  
kele oo l'ime ngu bę mu  
gbabarụ je akwachia  
ndzụ mu.

<sup>5</sup> Mu yeru ngu unme mu l'eka.  
Gbafutanu mu; jiko Chipfu,  
bụ Chileke, apfushije ike  
l'iphe, i pfuru.

<sup>6</sup> Ndu akpojeru obu yeru

ola-l'iswi ono, bụ agwa  
adujekwa mu ashị.

Onye mbødua dakoberu  
bükwa Chipfu.

<sup>7</sup> Mu ete eswa; ẹhu nödu atsọ  
mu ụtso l'i yeru mu obu;  
kèle i hụmaru iphe-ehleruka,  
mu jeru;  
bya amaru lẹ pfupfupfu shi  
egbu mu ebugbugbu;  
<sup>8</sup> ophu i woduru mu ye l'eka  
ndu ọhogu mu.

Ọ chịa l'i kufutaru mu je edobe  
l'eka mu nọ tüsaru ẹhu.

<sup>9</sup> Jiko Chipfu; phụnuaaru mu  
obu-imemini;  
kèle mu nökwa l'oke  
mkpaméhu.

Mu rawaru ekwa-aphụ jasụ mu  
nödu aphụ ragaraga;  
teme o mekwaapho;  
ike bvụshikotawa mu.

<sup>10</sup> Mu gụ-gbuakwaru onwomu  
l'aphụ.

Mu tsụwa ude; kahụ l'okpehu.  
Ike bvükotaakwaru mu;  
kèle mu menükawaru  
ejo-iphe.

Ọkpụ, nọ mu l'ehu nödu  
akaephо nyegenyege  
eje.

<sup>11</sup> Ikpoto ndu achi mu lẹ njọ  
mewaru; mu bürü onye

ndu obutobu mu akpọ  
ẹbo l'afụ.

Ndu mu l'ephe eshi Ḳonyà bẹ<sup>12</sup>  
atsuchawa mu ebvu.

Iphe, bụ ndu hụmaru mu  
lẹ gbororo anoduje  
agbaru mu ọso.

12 Ephe tuko zohaa mu  
g'aazohaje onye  
nwụhuru anwụhu-a;  
mbụ lẹ mu dụwaa g'ite,  
tükposhihuru  
atükposhihu.

13 Kélé mu nümawaru nvu  
azụ, ikpoto nemadzụ  
anoduje evu mu.

Nta-a ta adudu eka mu nọ gẹ<sup>13</sup>  
ndzụ ta anodu agụ mu.

Ephe anoduje achịru mu  
ejo idzu.

Iphe, ephe tüberu bụ g'ephe  
wofu ndzụ mu.

14 Obenu l'ọo ngu bẹ mu  
dakoberu gube Chipfu.

Mu epfu l'ọo ngu bụ Chileke  
mu!

15 Gẹ mu a-nó-beru l'eliphe-a  
 bụ ngu bẹ o dụ l'eka.

Nafutanu mu l'eka ndu ọhogu  
mu; mẹ l'eka ndu achị  
mu nụ.

16 Lenaa mube onye-ozi ngu  
enya-ọma!

Gudero n-yemobu ngu dzọo  
mu!

<sup>17</sup> Jiko Chipfu; b'ekwekwa g'e  
kpuia mu iphu lẹ ntụ;  
kélé mu chikuwaru ngu lẹ  
mkpu.

Ọo ndu ejo-iphe ono bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
ee-kpuchia iphu lẹ ntụ;  
g'ọnụ je a-bụru phẹ  
kpụrukudukuu  
l'alị-maa.

<sup>18</sup> G'ọnụ ono, ẹphe gude adzụ  
orotophomu ono bụru  
phẹ kpụrukudukuu;  
kélé ẹphe egudeje eku  
onwophẹ; waa akpọ  
nemadzụ ebo l'afụ;  
epfubyishi ndu  
pfụberekoto.

<sup>19</sup> Lewarọ g'adụ ree ngu habe  
shii;  
mbụ ree ono, i doberu  
ndu atsụ ngu ebvu ono.

Ọ bụru l'iphu ụnwụ-eliphe  
bẹ ji-pfuru;  
meeru ndu gbabarụ l'ime  
ngu; ezeru ndzụ ree ono.

<sup>20</sup> Iiwojeru phẹ domia lẹ  
mgboru ẹka i nọ; g'ego  
idzu, ụnwụ-eliphe chiru  
ta vu l'ehu phẹ.

Ọ bụru l'ibe ngu bẹ  
iidobeje phẹ; gẹ njo

opfu te erwu phẹ l'èhu.

21 G'e tua Chipfu ẹpha;  
kele o goshiru mu n-yemobu  
iya, dù biribiri  
teke mu nọ lẹ mkpükpu,  
ọhogu nọ-pheru  
mgburugburu.

22 Mu chia mkpu sụ: “Ephuhu  
mu l'iphu ngu-o!”  
I númere-a mkpu, mu  
chikuru ngu; bya agbaarụ  
mu mkpu.

23 Unu yee Chipfu obu;  
unubẹ ndu dụru iya nsọ  
g'unu haa;  
lẹ ndu Chipfu eleta enya  
bükwa ndu apfushije  
ike l'iphe, ẹphe pfuru.

Obenu lẹ ndu eku onwophẹ  
bẹ ọopfuje ụgwo iphe,  
ẹphe eme pfurwua phẹ  
iya l'ishi.

24 Unu shihukpoeopho  
ike gude ẹka l'obu;  
unubẹ ndu daru ngabẹru  
Chipfu!

## 32

### *Évù, Dévidi kwaru*

1 Èhu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ onye  
Chileke gürü nvụ l'emeswe,  
o mesweru iya;

mbụ onye Chipfu safuru  
iphe-eji iya.

<sup>2</sup> Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ onye  
Chipfu ta agukoeduru  
ejo-iphe, o meru;  
mbụ onye te nwedu erekede,  
dụ iya l'ehu.

<sup>3</sup> Teke mu shi nodu  
ngguingguji bẹ ọkpu,  
nọ mu l'ehu shiẹpho tsua  
gworigwori.

Ọ bụru iphe, kparụ iya nụ bụ  
ude, mu shi anoduje  
atsụ mboku-mboku.

<sup>4</sup> Kẹle eswe l'enyanashi bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
iinoduje ada mu ẹka  
l'ehu.

I shi ẹgube ono mịchatachaa  
nwike, dù mu nụ g'onye  
uguru guderu.

<sup>5</sup> Tọbudu iya bụ; mu bya emee  
g'i maru iphe-eji, mu meru;  
ophu ọ dùdu ejo-iphe,  
mu meru, dürü ophu mu  
domiru ngu edomi.

Mu sụ lẹ mu e-woerupho  
atüpya, mu tüpyaru  
Chileke koshiaru iya.

E mechaa; i bya aguaru mu  
nvụ l'ejo-iphe, mu meshiru.

<sup>6</sup> Oọ ya bụ; g'iphe, bükpoo ndu  
eme iphe, dù gube  
Chileke ree pfujeru nụ ngu

teke ẹphe nō lē mkpa;  
 g'oo-bụru teke Eze  
 Enyimu iphe-ehuka ono  
 byaerupho g'utso;  
 o too rwudu phẹ l'ehu.

<sup>7</sup> Oo ngu bụ eka mu agbajeru  
 je edomia onwomu.

O bụru ngu a-nodu eleta mu  
 enya g'iphe-ehuka ta  
 adapfuta mu;  
 gude ebvu, e gude atụ  
 okoo gbaa mu  
 mgburugburu.

<sup>8</sup> Oo mu a-nodu atụ-ziru ngu  
 eka; ezikwa ngu phẹ ụzo,  
 ii-nodu eshi.

Mu a-noduru ngu lē mgbazi;  
 eletakwa ngu phẹ enya.

<sup>9</sup> Ba adukwa g'inya;  
 ozoo g'inya-mulu;  
 kélé ẹphe ta amadụ  
 onwophẹ ekicha.

Iphe, eegudeje ago phẹ bụ  
 agadagba waa odogoro.

I -meduru iya nno;  
 i tịjị gọtadu phẹ.

<sup>10</sup> Ndu ejo-iphe anoduje  
 eje iphe-ehuka, dù igwerigwe!

Obenu l'onye dakoberu  
 Chipfu bẹ n-yemobu  
 iya anọ-pheje  
 mgburugburu.

<sup>11</sup> G'iphe, Chipfu anoduje eme

mee g'ehu tsọo unu  
 ụtso;  
 teme unu etekwaphọ  
 ẹswa;  
 unubẹ́ ndu pfüberekoto!  
 Unu gụa ebvu ẹhu-ụtso;  
 unubẹ́ ndu obu  
 guru iphóró!

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- <sup>1</sup> Unu gụa ebvu ẹhu-ụtso nụ  
 Chipfu; unubẹ́ ndu  
 pfüberekoto!
- 2 O gbaru gẹ́ ndu obu phẹ́ guru  
 iphóró jajẹ́ iya ajaja.
- 3 Unu kpoo une gude kele  
 Chipfu ekele!
- Unu gude ogumogu gụa ebvu  
 gude tua ya ẹpha!
- 5 Unu gụa ebvu ọphúú nụ iya!  
 Unu kụa ya k'erengete;  
 unu agbóoru iya ọgboo!
- 4 Kẹle Opfu Chipfu pfuru  
 nhamụnha.
- 6 O bụru o-me-g'o-pfuru  
 l'iphemiphe, oome ememe.
- 5 Iphe, aduje Chipfu ree  
 bụ ikpe, pfuru nhamụnha;  
 mẹ iphe, pfuru ọto.
- N-yemobu Chipfu jiru  
 mgboko bushihu.
- 6 Oo opfu-ọnụ bẹ́ Chipfu gude  
 mee igwe.

Ọ bürü unme, ọ türü atütü  
 bẹ o gude mee iphemiphe,  
 nökota iya nụ.

<sup>7</sup> Ọ bya azakọbe mini,  
 no l'enyimu l'eka lanụ;  
 ọ dörū nyimunyimu.

Eze-enyimu bẹ ọ kpachaaru  
 oke eka oo-jeberu.

<sup>8</sup> G'eliphe l'ophu tsuje Chipfu  
 ebvu.

G'iphe, bükpo ndu no le  
 mgboko mgburugburu  
 yejeru iya nsọ;  
<sup>9</sup> kele o pfuru opfu;  
 mgboko l'ophu dụ.

Ọ türü ekemu; iphemiphe  
 dukota.

<sup>10</sup> Chipfu emeje g'ìdzù,  
 ohamoha chiru  
 bürü iphe-mmanụ.

Iphe, ndiphe tüberu k'ememe  
 bẹ ookposhije.

<sup>11</sup> Obenu l'ìdzù ọphu Chipfu  
 chiru l'aduje g'ọ chiru iya;  
 jasụ l'ojojoje.

Iphe, ọ tüberu k'ememe bẹ  
 oomeje; l'o shi l'ogbo  
 sweru ogbo.

<sup>12</sup> Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ ọha ono,  
 bụ Chipfu bụ Chileke phẹ;  
 mbụ ndu ọ hotaru;  
 ẹphe bürü okiphe nkiya.

<sup>13</sup> Chipfu anoduje l'imigwe lee

ẹnya l'eliphe-a hümakota  
ụnwu-eliphe l'ophu.

- 14 Qonoduje l'eka o bu l'imigwe  
hümakota ndu bu le  
mgboko g'ephe ha.
- 15 Oo yébedua meru ɔriri nü phë;  
tëme iphemiphe,  
ephe emekota nödu edoje  
iya ẹnya.
- 16 Eze ta alwujedu ɔgu lwüta;  
opfu l'oo l'oo chí  
igwerigwe ndu ojogu.  
Ophu onye ike dù abudu  
okpehu iya bę  
oogudeje nahu.
- 17 Inya-ɔgu bụ iphe-mmanụ;  
o tọo dzotadu nemadzụ  
l'egu ɔgu.  
G'ike aduhabekwa iya;  
o tọo dzodu ndzụ.
- 18 Obenu lę-a; ẹnya Chipfu  
dükwa l'ehu ndu atsụ  
iya ebvu; mbụ ndu ono,  
daru ngabęru n-yemobu  
iya;
- 19 k'ophu oo-nafüta phë l'önü  
onwu;  
dobe phë ndzụ mę egü  
nödu eme.
- 20 Anyi adaję ngabęru Chipfu;  
kélé oo ya bụ onye eyejeru  
anyi eka; bya aburu onye  
egbolutaję anyi.

- 21 Oomeje g'obu tsọo anyi ụtso;  
kélé ọo ẹpha iya, dù nsọ bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
anyi dakoberu.
- 22 Gube Chipfu; jiko goshinu l'i  
yeru anyi obu;  
eshinu ọ bụ ngu bẹ anyi  
daru ngabèru.

## 34

- Ebvu, Dévidi deru teke  
o meaharu g'onye ọbvu  
eme l'iphu Abiméleku;  
Abiméleku chifu iya*
- <sup>1</sup> Mu anoduje etu Chipfu ẹpha  
tekenteke.  
Ọ tọ dùdu teke mu byaru  
ajabuhu iya ajaja.
- <sup>2</sup> Ọo Chipfu bẹ mu gude eku  
onwomu.  
Ndu aakpa ẹhu -nумae ya  
pho; ẹhu atsọo phẹ ụtso.
- <sup>3</sup> Bya gẹ mu lẹ ngu tuko tua  
ọnụ Chipfu l'o parụ ẹka.  
G'anyi tuko kutsee ẹpha iya.
- <sup>4</sup> Mu rakuru Chipfu; o za mu  
ẹnu; bya emee; ndzụ  
gụ-buhu mu.
- <sup>5</sup> Ndu ele ẹnya iya bẹ aa-nwuja  
ọnụ-ochi; ọphu ọ dùdu teke  
iphere bya eme phẹ.
- <sup>6</sup> Mube onye adudu g'o dù mu  
chiru mkpu;  
Chipfu zaa mu ẹnu;

bya adzotakota mu l'iphe-éhuka,  
mu eje g'ọ ha.

<sup>7</sup> Ojozi-imigwe kẹ Chipfu  
anọ-pheje ndu atṣụ Chipfu  
ebvu mgburugburu.

Ọonoduje adzọ phẹ tekenteke.

<sup>8</sup> Unu byanụ g'unu lẹ Chipfu  
megbabẹ iphe g'unu  
ahuma l'ọ dù ree.

Ęhu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ ndu  
gbabarụ iya l'eka je  
ezeeru ndzụ.

<sup>9</sup> Unu tsuje Chipfu ebvu;  
unubẹ ndu dürü iya nsọ;  
lẹ ndu atṣụ iya ebvu  
ta adukwa iphe, uko iya  
adujeru phẹ.

<sup>10</sup> Unwu oduma nwechaaru  
mkpa; teme egu nödu  
agujechaa phẹ;  
obenu lẹ ndu achọ Chipfu  
bẹ uko iphe-ọma ta  
abyadụ adüru.

<sup>11</sup> Unu byaedu unubẹ  
ünwegirima; bya angaberu  
mu nchị;  
ge mu zia unu g'aatsuje  
Chipfu ebvu.

<sup>12</sup> ?Bụ onye bẹ ọ dù g'asụ lẹ  
ndzụ iya e-tse ogologo;  
teme ọ dukwa iya pho  
g'asụ lẹ mbóku-mbóku  
a-bújeru iya k'ọma?

- 13 G'onye ono hakwa epfu  
njo-opfu;  
hakwapho agho ughs.  
14 Gbakutaru eme ejo-ememe  
azụ; watachia eme iphe,  
dụ ree.  
Kukebeje ęhu chọe iphe,  
e-me gę nchị dụ doo.  
I -chọta iya; ta tụ-wokwa  
iya ęka ememe.  
15 Chipfu anoduje eleta ndu  
pfuberekoto enya.  
Ọ nodu egbobeje nchị  
numa olu phę m'ephe  
raku iya.  
16 Obenu lę ndu eme  
ejo-ememe bę  
oogbanwubejeru iphu;  
bya emee; ephe anwụhu  
chịhu lę mgboko.  
17 Ndu pfuberekoto abujeru;  
ephe -raku Chipfu;  
l'o za phę enu;  
bya anafuta phę l'iphe-ehuka,  
ephe eje g'o ha.  
18 Chipfu ano-kubeje ndu mee  
ala l'opfur.  
Ndu eswe bụ enyashi bę  
oqdzofutaje.  
19 Onye pfuberekoto ejeje  
iphe-ehuka, dụ igwerigwe;  
obenu lę Chipfu  
anafutakotaje iya l'iphe-ehuka

- ono g'ọ hakota.
- <sup>20</sup> Okpu, nọ iya l'ehu  
bẹ ọo-nwụbejeru enya;  
g'ọ to dù mẹ nanụ, aa-kụ-ji  
akụ-ji.
- <sup>21</sup> Obenu l'onye ejo-iphe,  
bụ ejo-ememe iya ono  
e-gbu iya.  
Ndu kporu ndu pfuberekoto  
ashị bẹ aa-nmaa ikpe.
- <sup>22</sup> Chipfu agbafutaje ndu ejeru  
iya ozi;  
ophu ọ dùdu onye gbabarụ  
l'ime iya je anodu zee  
ndzụ,  
a bya anma  
ikpe m'onye lanụ.

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### *Ebvu, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; ndu etso mu  
opfu bükwa ngu  
e-tsolata phẹ!
- Ndu ophu etso mu ọgu  
bükwapho gubedua  
e-je etsolata phẹ!
- <sup>2</sup> Gbalihu; chịta ngwọgu;  
waa  
iphe-mgbobuta-ọgu  
ńgu;  
bya egude gbaaru mu  
mkpu!
- <sup>3</sup> Palia arwa ngu;

gude kwachia ndu achị mu  
lẹ nịọ ụzo!

Sịnu mu l'ịji-dzọ mu-a!

<sup>4</sup> Gẹ ndu acho ụzo, ẹphe e-shi  
gbua mu bụru ndu e  
meru iphe-iphere.

G'a chiphukwa ndu achịru  
mu ejo idzu azụ.

G'a tụ phẹ ẹberebete!

<sup>5</sup> G'ẹphe dù g'esonwa ereshi,  
pherephere zikashịru teke  
ojozi-imigwe Chipfu  
a-nodu achị phẹ ọso.

<sup>6</sup> G'uzo phẹ gbakotakwa  
ochii;  
chikwaphọ kẹ  
bụrukutuku  
teke Ojozi-imigwe Chipfu  
a-nodu achị phẹ  
ikpabaka.

<sup>7</sup> Eshinu o dudu iphe, mu meru  
phẹ; ẹphe je agbabəru  
mu ónyà;  
bya eworu nsụ bua gẹ mu  
nwulahu;  
<sup>8</sup> g'ola-l'iswi tükwaa phẹ  
l'upfu.

G'ónyà, ẹphe gbabəru  
l'onwophẹ nmatakwaa  
phẹ.

G'ẹphe nwudakpoe ya phẹ kẹ  
wurukutukumu.

<sup>9</sup> Oo ya bụ gẹ mu etee esonwa

- l'ime Chipfu.  
 Ehu atsøahaa mu l'ọ dzotaru  
 mu.  
<sup>10</sup> Mu e-gudekpoo obu mu g'ọ  
 ha sụ:  
 "?Bu onye aturu gube Chipfu?  
 Oo ngu adzotaje ndu ụkpa  
 l'eka ndu ka phẹ  
 okpehu.  
 Mbụ l'iinafutaje ndu ụkpa;  
 waa ndu adụdu g'ọ dụ  
 phẹ l'eka ndu ana phẹ  
 nfụ."  
<sup>11</sup> Ndu ejo-ekebe wulihuru ebo  
 mu ibo.  
 Ephe chikoo iphe, mu amadụ  
 kubé sụ l'oo mu bẹ o  
 shi l'eka.  
<sup>12</sup> Ephe gude ejo-ememe pfua  
 mu ụgwo iphe-oma.  
 Oo ya bu lẹ mu dụwaa g'onye  
 a togboru nwa maa.  
<sup>13</sup> Obenu lẹ teke iphe-ememe shi  
 zụu phẹ bẹ mu wotaru  
 uwe-apụ yee;  
 bya ewoze onwomu ali aswi  
 egwu epfu anụ Chipfu;  
 ọle Chipfu ta anụmaduru  
 olu mị.  
<sup>14</sup> Mu nodu aghaphe egbu  
 onwomu ebugbugbu  
 l'ekwa g'ọ bu ọnyà mu;  
 ọzoo nwune mu bẹ  
 iphe-ememe züpyaberu.

Mu nödukpoó dëe ẹka l'agba  
g'onye akwa ékwa ne iya,  
nwühuru nü.

15 Obenu l'opfu dýru mbedula;  
ẹphe gude ẹhu-ütso  
dzukóbe.

Ẹphe swiphee mu  
mgburugburu tsua  
mu iphe teke mu  
akwabéduru ẹnya;  
bya egude njó-opfu  
alabushi anü mu nanü  
nanü.

16 Ndu gudewaa echí ndu ọzo  
eswe merwushia  
onwophé l'iphu Chipfu;  
nödu atagbaru mu ikireze  
ké nyíkinyiki.

17 Gube Chipfu; ?bü teke ole bę  
ii-jipyaberu onwongu  
elekpoeopho anyi ẹnya?

Dzonaa mu; a -nonya ẹphe  
mee mu; mu büru  
qla-l'iswi!

Dzotaro mkpakó iphe ono,  
mu nweru ono, bü ndzü  
mu g'oduma ta  
adzúgbu iya!

18 O büru l'eka oha l'ophu  
dzukóberu bę mu  
a-nödu kele ngu ekele;  
mbü lę mu a-nödu l'iphu  
ikpoto nemadzü jaa

ngu ajaja.

19 B'ekwekwa gẹ ndu ọhogu mu  
teru ẹswa kpua mu;  
mbụ ndu kpọru mu ashị;  
ebe adụ iphe, mu  
meru phẹ.

Ọphu i kwekwa gẹ ndu ono,  
mu dù ashị ono bvua mu  
ẹnya ria.

20 Kele ẹphe te epfujedu opfu  
nchị-adụ-doo;  
obenu l'iphe, abujeru ozi,  
dụru phẹ nụ bụ achị idzu  
g'ephe e-shi ghotoru ndu dù  
àgù lẹ mkpükpu ụgho.

21 Ẹphe sarụ ọnụ galaba wata  
mu ebo ibo sụ:  
“Ee! Anyi gudekpoo ẹnya  
anyi hụma iphe,  
i meru!”

22 Ole gube Chipfu hụmanuru-a  
iphemiphe ono.

Jiko ba agbakwa mu nkuchi  
ọphu i nödukwa  
mu ụzenya!

23 Tehu etehu; kwolihuro bya  
ahaaru mu enge!

Gbaaru mu ọdzori;  
jiko Nnajịuphu mu,  
bụ Chileke mu!

24 Gude apfubekoto nkengu  
haarụ mu rọ enge; jiko  
Chipfu, bụ Chileke mu!

Te kwekwa g'ẹphe teru ẹswa  
kpuia mu!

<sup>25</sup> Te kwekwa g'ẹphe rịa l'obu  
phẹ sụ:

“Nta bẹ anyi chọ-vuwaru iphe,  
anyi achọ!”

Ozoo g'ẹphe sụ: “Nta-a bẹ  
anyi patawaru  
iya lwee!”

<sup>26</sup> G'iphe, bükpoo ndu ete ẹswa  
ekpu ẹjo-iphe, byaru  
mu nụ bükwaru ndu ee-meru  
iphere kpuia bya atụ  
phẹ ẹberebete.

G'e gudekwa iphere dejia phẹ  
ẹpho; mbụ ndu ono,  
etu onwophẹ  
ophushugbu eje abyapfuta  
mu ono!

<sup>27</sup> Gẹ ndu ele ẹnya g'a haarụ  
mu enge gụa ebvu ẹhu-ụtso  
tee ẹswa!

G'iphe, ẹphe a-kpujeru l'ọnụ  
bükwarupho: “G'a tụa  
ọnụ Chipfu l'o parụ ẹka;  
mbụ onye ọoduje ree mẹ  
onye-ozi iya nọdu buru  
l'ẹhu-guu.”

<sup>28</sup> Qo ya bụ; mu egude ọnụ  
mu pfua  
k'apfubekoto nkengu.

Ọ bükwarupho gẹ mu  
a-nọdu etu ngu ẹpha

mbọku-mbọku  
bụ onoya.

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*Ebvu, Dévidi, bụ onye  
ejeru Chipfu ozi deru  
nụ onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Oo umere ndu ejo-iphe eme  
emeje gẹ mu pfua l'ime  
obu mu sụ l'ephe  
ta atsukpodaa  
Chileke ebvu atsutsu  
ophu.

<sup>2</sup> Kẹle ọonoduje aja onwiya  
ajaja; mbụ jataberu  
onwiya  
k'ophu bụ l'ọ tọo hụmajedu  
ejo-iphe, oome;  
k'ophu ọo-kpọ iya ashị.

<sup>3</sup> Opfu, eshiye iya l'ọnụ  
bükotaephō ejo opfu;  
waa agho ụgho;  
ophu oomejeedu  
g'onye kwarụ ẹnya;  
ophu oomekwaphō iphe,  
dụ ree.

<sup>4</sup> O zewaa l'iphe-azee ya  
rikobe iphe-eji, oo-me.  
Ọo ephō l'uzo, apfuduru-oto  
bẹ ọopfujeru;  
ophu ọ dudu iphe, dù ejị,  
ojikaje ememe.

<sup>5</sup> Gube Chipfu; n-yemobu

- nkengu tükokwaru  
 igwe l'ophu vọo  
 pfurupfuru.  
 O-me-g'o pfuru, i bụ  
 rwucharu akpaminigwe.  
<sup>6</sup> Apfubekoto nkengu nodu  
 etse rígorigo g'úbvú,  
 parụ eka apaa.  
 Ikpe nkengu dù wukirima  
 g'eze ẹnyimu-ime-ali.  
 Gube Chipfu; ọo ngu tükoru  
 anụ, bu l'egbudu yele  
 nemadzụ dobe ndzụ.  
<sup>7</sup> Lewaro gẹ n-yemobu ngu  
 bụ-be iphe, vu oke-aswa!  
 Ọo iphe ono meru g'o gude  
 ụnwu-eliphe gbaba lẹ  
 mkpula oke ñkù ngu  
 je anodu ezeru ndzụ.  
<sup>8</sup> Ephe anoduje l'ulo ngu eri  
 gwögwoo lẹ nri,  
 kuru iya nụ;  
 teme i nodu emeje g'ephe  
 ngua mini l'enyimu  
 ẹhu-utso nkengu.  
<sup>9</sup> Kеле ọo l'eka i nọ bẹ ndzụ  
 futaru.  
 Ọ bụru l'eka ìphóró nkengu  
 nọ bẹ anyi a-nodu  
 hụma ìphóró.  
<sup>10</sup> Jiko yekpoekwapho ndu  
 maru ngu nụ obu g'i  
 yeru phẹ iya;

L'ị pfübekpoekwapho ẹka  
 ngu oto g'ị pfübérū  
 iya l'éhu ndu obu phē  
 gurus iphóró.

<sup>11</sup> B'ekwekwa gę ndu eku  
 onwophę zo-sweta mu ọkpa;  
 ọphu i kwekwa gę ndu  
 ejo-iphe gude ẹka phē  
 nwufu mu.

<sup>12</sup> Hümawaro g'a wüşiru  
 ndu anoduje eme iphe,  
 adudu ree;  
 ẹphe dabyigbaaru;  
 ọphu ẹphe abyadụ  
 agbeshibaa agbeshi.

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### *Ebvü, Dévidi deru*

<sup>1</sup> G'ọnodu ndu eme ejo-ememe  
 te eghujekwa ngu eghu;  
 ọphu i kojekwaru ndu  
 apfübéduru ẹka oto  
 okophoo.

<sup>2</sup> Kéle ọ tọ dükwa  
 g'aa-nq-beru; ẹphe  
 anwülwashihi g'éswa;  
 teme ọphu ọ dükwapho  
 g'aa-nq-beru;  
 ẹphe akpoşihihu nkụ  
 g'irwu oshi.

<sup>3</sup> Dakobe Chipfu; meje iphe,  
 du ree!  
 Buru l'alị ono bürü

o-me-g'o-pfuru!

<sup>4</sup> Nọdukwa Chipfu l'eka tee  
eṣwa;  
g'oo-nükwanu ngu iphe,  
bu iphe, agu ngu nụ.

<sup>5</sup> Woru iphemiphe, iime  
ememe ye Chipfu l'eka.  
Dakobe iya; l'oo-meru ngu  
iya.

<sup>6</sup> Oo-me g'apfubekoto nkengu  
nwua kẹ phoo g'iphóró;  
mbụ lẹ Chipfu a-harụ  
ngu enge;  
mee g'iswi-odu-mma  
nkengu gbua kẹ nwịinwii  
g'enyanwu.

<sup>7</sup> Zékpoephō kúpya l'eka  
Chipfu; taa nshi kwabéru  
iya.

G'ehu te eghukwa ngu  
eghu teke iphemiphe,  
ndu ejo-iphe eme  
ejehuru phẹ;  
mbụ teke ejo-idzu, ẹphe achị  
anoduje eje g'ephe chíru iya.

<sup>8</sup> G'ehu te eghujekwa ngu eghu;  
ophu i vojekwaru ọku  
wúa ehu.

G'ehu te eghujekwa ngu eghu;  
anonya i mee ejo-iphe.

<sup>9</sup> Kẹle ndu anoduje eme  
ejo-ememe bẹ ee-me  
g'ephe chíhu; obenu

l'oo ndu daru ngabéru  
 Chipfu bę e-nweru  
 mgboko.

10 O tọ dùdu g'oo-no-beru  
 l'e mee gę ndu ejo-iphe  
 ta aduhe.

Ii-le enya phę; ole i tị  
 humaedu phę.

11 Oo ndu dù àgù bę mgboko-a  
 a-bürü nkephę;  
 teme ęphe enweru ęhu-guu;  
 nweru iya k'etsutsu iya.

12 Ndu ejo-iphe achị ejo  
 idzu edoberu ndu  
 pfüberekoto;  
 ataru phę ikireze kę  
 nyıkinyiki.

13 Olobuele-a ọchi bę Chipfu  
 achị phę;  
 kélé o maru lę teke  
 ee-mebyishi phę l'abya-a.

14 Ndu ejo-iphe mịtaru ogu-echi  
 phę; g'ęphe gbushia  
 ndu ụzo phę pfuru  
 nhamunha;  
 bya eseta apfụ phę kę kikiki  
 g'ęphe gbatsushia ndu  
 ụkpa waa ndu adudu  
 g'oo dù phę.

15 Obenu l'ogu-echi phę  
 ono e-mechaa nmabaa  
 phę ępho;  
 l'a nata phę apfụ phę

ono nyakwoshia.

- 16 Nwiphe, abadu ishi,  
 ndu pfüberekoto nweru  
 bę kakwa ree eme l'ęku,  
 ndu ejo-iphe dę igwerigwe  
 kpaa kübę.
- 17 Kele ndu ejo-iphe bę aa-nafu  
 iphe, ęphe gude eme ike;  
 obenu lę ndu pfüberekoto  
 bę Chipfu bę agbarike phę.
- 18 Chipfu maru gę ndu ụta  
 adüyü l'ęhu a-no-beru.  
 Okiphe phę a-no jasụ lę  
 tuutuutuu lę mịimiimii.
- 19 Teke eeje iphe-ehuka;  
 bę a ta abyadü ekpu phę  
 iphu lę ntü;  
 teme ıkpa nri -byaephō;  
 nri aduele phę-a  
 shingushingu.
- 20 Obenu lę ndu ejo-iphe  
 a-bürü mkpurupyata.  
 Ndu oğogu Chipfu  
 e-phekashihu nanu nanu  
 g'okoko, no l'egu.  
 Ęphe e-phukashihu  
 g'enwuru-óku.
- 21 Ndu ejo-iphe abujeru;  
 ęphe -jita ụgwo ęphe  
 eria ya.  
 Obenu lę ndu pfüberekoto  
 bę anoduje emeru  
 ndiphe iphe-oma.

- 22 Qo ndu Chipfu goru  
 ɔnu-ɔma nü e-nweru mgboko-a;  
 obenu lę ndu ɔ tükwanuru  
 ɔnu bę a-chịhu nü.
- 23 Qo Chipfu anoduje akpo-ziru  
 nemadzụ ụzo g'oo-gudeje  
 aha ọkpa; mee onye ono  
 g'ọ nguru anguru;  
 mbụ onye eme iphe,  
 dù Chipfu ree.
- 24 Ụpfu -dükpoo ya nü;  
 o tọo darwudu ali;  
 kélé ọo Chipfu gude eka  
 iya agbata iya ike.
- 25 Mu shikwa teke mu bụ nwata  
 nọwaa jasụ mu bürü  
 ɔgerenya nta-a;  
 ọle mu teke ahuma-swee  
 eka Chipfu gbadoru  
 onye pfüberekoto;  
 ọzoo eka ụnwu iya  
 arwo nri.
- 26 Onye pfüberekoto anoduje eme  
 iphe-ɔma tekenteke; ọ nodu  
 ejieje nemadzụ ugwo.  
 Ee-shi l'ehu ụnwu iya kebe  
 ndu ọzo l'ɔma.
- 27 Gbakütaru eme ejo-ememe azụ;  
 watachia eme iphe, dù ree;  
 g'iiburu l'alị-a jasụ l'ojejoje.
- 28 Chipfu bę ọ dù ree  
 g'ウンwu-elphe kpeje ikpe,  
 pfuri nhamunha;

ophu ọ hajedu ndu yeru iya  
obu eka.

Ọokwa-chije phẹ akwachi  
jasụ l'ojejoje;  
obenu l'awa ndu ejo-iphe  
bẹ oo-me g'ephe chihu.

29 Ndu pfüberekoto e-mechaa  
nweru ali-a;  
buru iya jasụ lẹ tuutuutuu  
lẹ miiimii.

30 Opfu, eshije onye pfüberekoto  
l'ọnụ futa bụ mmamiphe.  
Ire iya buru iphe, aduje iya  
nụ bụ epfu iphe,  
pfürü ọto.

31 Iphe, aduje iya l'obu  
tekenteke bụ ekemu  
Chileke;  
ophu ọ haswejedu ọkpa  
l'ememe iya.

32 Ndu ejo-iphe ejeje ewoha  
onwophe kwaberi ndu  
pfüberekoto;  
g'ee-shi g'ọ buru ẹphe  
-ghatashia;  
ẹphe egbua phẹ.

33 Obenu lẹ Chipfu te ekwejedu  
g'ephe daba phẹ l'eka;  
ophu a byadu anma ndu  
pfüberekoto ikpe;  
mẹ a kpuru phẹ bya  
l'ulo-ikpe.

34 Nodukpoephō kwaberi

- Chipfu; tsoje ụzo iya!  
 Ọ ya e-kutse ngu mee  
     ngu l'i nworu alị-a.  
 Ii-gude ẹnya ngu hụma  
     teke ee-me gẹ ndu  
     ejo-iphe chịhu.
- 35 Mu hụmajewaru onye bụ  
     onye ejo-iphe.  
 Ọ dukpoepho g'oshi,  
     ehu dù guu, jaru dù  
     kẹ kpuchi.
- 36 Obenu l'ọ tọ dùdu g'a  
     nọ-beru ophu ọ dùedu.  
 Mu chọo ya nta chọo imo;  
     ophu mu  
     ahụmaeduru iya;
- 37 Lenaa ndu ụta adụdu  
     l'ehu ẹnya;  
     mbụ-a; gbunaa ndu obu  
     phẹ gụru ịphóró igo;  
     hụma lẹ ndu eme gẹ nchị  
     dù doo bẹ anoduje  
     eje l'iphu l'iphu.
- 38 Obenu lẹ ndu emeswe  
     Chipfu bẹ aa-tüköepho  
     mebyishia.
- Iphe, bükpoo oshilökpa  
     ndu ejo-iphe bẹ  
     ee-me g'ephe chịhu.
- 39 Ọ Chipfu adzọtaje ndu  
     pfụberekoto.  
 Ọ ya abujeru agbarike phẹ  
     m'ephe nọdu eje

iphe-ehuka.

<sup>40</sup> Mbụ lẹ Chipfu eyejeru phę  
eka nafuta phę.

Qonafutaje phę l'eka  
ndu ejo-iphe;  
shi nno dzoo phę;  
kélé ęphe gbabarụ l'ime  
iya je ezeru ndzu.

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi guru  
gude nyataru Chipfu iphe*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; te egudekwa  
ehu-eghu ngubaarụ  
mu mba!

Ophu i gudekwa oke ehu-eghu  
ngu hùa mu ahùhù!

<sup>2</sup> Kélé apfụ nkengu guékwaru  
mu phę eguru l'ehu;  
teme eka ngu nodu  
apyipyashi mu apyipyashi.

<sup>3</sup> Ehu-eghu ngu meru;  
ophu ehu mu l'ophu  
enwedu eka te emedu  
mu ehuka.

Iphe-eji, mu meru ngu  
woerupho ıkpu mu  
gbaghashja.

<sup>4</sup> Kélé ejo-iphe, mu meshiru  
ripyabewaru mu.

Q nodu anyitaberu erwa  
k'ophu mu aduedu ike  
evuvu iya.

- 5 Onwo, aba mu nụ  
eshiwaa tükuruba.  
Ọ bụru iphe, kparụ iya nụ  
bụ eswe, mu meru.
- 6 Mu nọwa kpoyoo dẹe eka  
l'agba gükota aphụ  
mkpurumkpuru.
- 7 Okpurukpu kwatakporo  
emeshi mu ẹhuka ike;  
mbụ l'o to düdu eka ẹhu te  
emedu mu ẹhuka mē nanụ.
- 8 Ẹhu mu l'ophu dahuwaru  
adzulakpa;  
teme obu mu tsukötawa  
gworigwori.  
Obu te ebvuduru mu  
ebvuru k'ophu bụ lẹ  
mu atsushi ude ike.
- 9 Gube Chipfu; iphe bükpo  
iphe, agụ mu nụ bẹ i  
makötaru.  
Ude, mu atsụ bẹ e te  
emeduru ngu lẹ mpya.
- 10 Obu etsu mu gbudugbudu;  
ophu ike adukpoedu  
mu illekporo.  
Mu nodu aphụwaa ragaraga.
- 11 Ndu yeru mu obu;  
yee ndu mu l'ephe eshi  
onyà bufuwaru  
mu iche.  
Ọ bụru iphe-ẹhuka, dapfutaru  
mu nụ kparụ iya.  
Ndu mu l'ephe bụ abụbu je

- apfuchaaru ügenya.
- 12 Ndu achọ ụzo, ẹphe e-shi  
gbua mu woru ónyà  
gbakarụ mu.  
Ndu tuberu g'ephe meka mu  
iphe nodu ammarụ  
mu ọnwu.
- Ọ o ẹpho idzu g'ephe  
e-shi ghoro mu ụgho  
bẹ ẹphe anoduje achị  
eswe l'enyaashi.
- 13 Mbędua dükwa g'onye ada  
nkuchi;  
k'ophu bụ l'o tọ dudu iphe,  
mu anumaje.
- Mu dükwapho g'onye  
ete epfudu opfu;  
woerupho ọnụ mu  
dobe doo.
- 14 Mu dụwaa g'onye eepfu opfu  
eyeru; ọphu o yedu ọnụ;  
kele o tọ dudu iphe, eepfu,  
mu nümarụ.
- 15 Obenu l'obu mu daru  
ngabęru gube Chipfu.  
Ọ buru gube Nnajiuphu,  
bụ Chileke mu bẹ a-za  
mu oku, mu eku ngu.
- 16 Mu suru-a: "B'ekwekwa  
g'ephe teru eswa  
kpua mu!  
Nta-a, ọkpa chiswafuru mu-a  
bẹ ẹphe tükowaru etu  
onwophe ọphushugbu."

- 17 Kélé mu anga anganga;  
tème aphụ nódú ejíjéẹ mu  
phọ obu tekenteke.
- 18 Mu e-pfushi ejo-iphe,  
mu meshiru ngu.  
Iphe-éji, mu meru erwukwa  
mu phọ l'ehu.
- 19 Obenu lè ndu ọhogu mu  
dụ igwerigwé ebu jajaja;  
tème ndu mu dù ashi  
l'ebé adù iphe,  
mu meru phẹ pakwaaphọ  
igwerigwe.
- 20 Ndu egudeje iphe, dù eji pfua  
ugwo iphe-oma, e meru phẹ  
bẹ etso mu opfu;  
kélé mu anóduje achọ iphe,  
dụ ree.
- 21 Ta agwóbekwa mu gube Chipfu!  
Gube Chileke nkemu;  
ba nödukwa mu ügenya!
- 22 Bya egwegwa bya eyeru  
mu ẹka; gube Chipfu,  
bụ onye ndzota mu!

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*Ebvü-oma, Dévidi deru nü  
onye-ishi ebvü, bụ Jiedutunu*

- <sup>1</sup> Mu suru lè mu a-kwabéru  
uzo mu ẹnya;  
gẹ mu te egude ọnmu mu  
pfuta ejo-iphe.  
Ọnu mu bẹ mu akuje ngga;

mẹ ndu ejo-iphe  
no-kube mu.

<sup>2</sup> Mu woru eka hua l'ọnụ  
no-kirishia;  
gẹ mu te epfukpọnụ g'o ka  
mma l'ọo iphe, dù ree.

Ọle mgburwashị-ehu mu  
akaele-a shii eje.

<sup>3</sup> A nonyaa; obu wahụahaa mu  
awahụ;  
mbụ mu nọdu rịnyae ya  
phọ;  
o gbanwuhu mu  
l'ehu g'okwu.

Mu sanaa ọnụ wata epfu opfu sụ:

<sup>4</sup> Gube Chipfu; menaa mu  
gẹ mu maru gẹ  
mu a-no-beru;  
gẹ mbọku e-beru mu  
anwụhu!

Menaa gẹ mu maru gẹ ndzụ  
mu dù-be mkpirikpu.

<sup>5</sup> I meru ndzụ mu; o dù tsọkere.  
Gẹ ndzụ mu a-no-beru ta  
adụdu iphe,  
o bụ l'iphu ngu.

Nemadzụ l'ophu tükokerupho  
bụru udzu ọnụ.

<sup>6</sup> Nemadzụ g'oogha-phe nno  
büepho pherephere  
mmanụ bẹ o bụ.

Kpanga kpanga kpanga,  
Ọnolulueme eme büepho

- g'ọ bṣru.  
 Ọokpaje ἡku kuberu onwiya;  
     ole ọ tọ makwanụ onye  
     e-mechaa ria ya nụ.
- <sup>7</sup> Nta-a Chipfu; ?bukpoo gụnu  
     bẹ mu ele ẹnyia iya?  
 Ọ kwa ngu bẹ mu daru  
     ngabẹru.
- <sup>8</sup> Nafuta mu l'emeswe ono,  
     mu mesweru ngu ono!  
 Be mekwa mu gẹ mu bṣru  
     onye ndu eswe  
     e-kweru une!
- <sup>9</sup> Mu shi woru ἡka hua  
     l'ọnụ no-kirishia;  
     noo kélé ọo gubedua bẹ  
     iphe ono, anwụkotaru  
     mu nụ ono shi l'eka.
- <sup>10</sup> Hanaa mu echchi ẹchachi-a,  
     iichi mu-a;  
     kélé ἡka iichi mu gbaa  
     gbaa bẹ ike abvụakwa  
     mu ree.
- <sup>11</sup> I -baarụ nemadzụ mba gude  
     goshi iya ejio-iphe,  
     oome  
     bẹ buepho gẹ nsụ,  
     asụkashije iphe-a bụ  
     g'ii-noduje asụkashi iphe,  
     dụ ree, onye ono  
     nweru.
- Nemadzụ g'ephe ha  
     bukota udzu ọnụ bẹ ẹphe bụ.
- <sup>12</sup> "Númanu epfupfu,

mu epfu anụ ngu  
 gube Chipfu!  
 Ngabenu nchị lę mkpu,  
 mu echiku ngu!  
 Ba gbakwa nkuchi g'i tị  
 numa ẹkwa, mu ara  
 ekpu ngu!  
 Kele mu bụ onye lwarụ  
 alwalwa, lwapfutaru  
 ngu nụ;  
 ẹgube ono, ndiche  
 anyi phē shikwaphọ  
 bürü ono.  
<sup>13</sup> Jiko hafụa mu rọ; k'ophu  
 ẹhu a-kabẹ tsọ mu  
 útso ọzo;  
 teme mu alashịwaro maa."

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nụ onye-ishi ebvu*

- <sup>1</sup> Mu takpoerupho nshi  
 kwabẹru Chipfu;  
 jasụ ọ ngabẹru mu nchị  
 bya anụma olu mu.
- <sup>2</sup> O bya ekufuta mu lę nsụ,  
 anyị ishi ẹdzu;  
 mbụ kufuta mu l'epuchi,  
 echi ẹturu, mu nọ ono;  
 bya eworu mu pfube  
 l'eli mkpuma, kporu gbengu;  
 mee mü; mu nguru anguru.
- <sup>3</sup> O bya eworu ebvu ọphúú

ye mu l'ọnū.  
 Mu gude ebvu ono wata aja  
     Chileke anyi ajaja.  
 Ikpotō nemadzụ a-hụma  
     iphe, nwuru nụ; ndzụ  
     erwuta phẹ.  
 Ẹphe alwaphuta azụ bya  
     adakobe Chipfu.  
 4 Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ onye bụ  
     Chipfu bẹ ọ dakoberu;  
     ophu ọ għadlu ndu eku  
     onwophẹ iphu; ophu  
     ọ buro kę ndu shisweru  
     uzo; chīru үpfu kwẹe  
     l'iphe, adụdu iphe, ọ bụ.  
 5 Għube Chipfu, bụ Chileke  
     mu; iphe, düyü biribiri,  
     i meshiru; waa iphe,  
     düyü ree, i doberu k'emēru  
     anyi pakwaru igwerigwe.  
 Ọ tọ düyü onye suru ngu  
     iya agħushigburu.  
 Mu -jeshia ya agħushi  
     nanu nanu bẹ ọ bụ agħuta  
     agħuta.  
 6 Iphe, agħu ngu nụ ta abükwa  
     g'a gwaję̄ ngu agwagwa;  
     ozoo g'e wotaru ngu ngweja;  
     obenu lę mbędua bẹ i  
     hawaru őkpu nchi.  
 Ngweja-akpo-oku; waa  
     ngweja-iphe-eji ta adụdu  
     ophu jiru ngu ẹpho.

<sup>7</sup> Noo ya bụ; mu sụ: "Waa mu  
Chileke!"

Mu byawaru gẹ mu mee  
g'e deru kẹ nkemu lẹ  
Ekwo Ekemu.

<sup>8</sup> Gube Chileke mu; iphe,  
aduje mu ree bụ gẹ<sup>1</sup>  
mu mee iphe, dù ngu  
l'uche.

Ekemu ngu adujee mu pho  
l'obu tekenteke."

<sup>9</sup> Mu gudewaa ọnụ mu raa  
k'apfubekoto ngu  
arara l'eka ọha l'ophu  
dzukoberu.

Gube Chipfu; i mawaru lẹ mu  
te edobedu ọnụ doo.

<sup>10</sup> Mu ta sumiduru apfubekoto  
ngu l'ime obu mu.

Mu epfukashije l'i bụ  
o-me-g'o-pfur;  
bya aburu onye ndzota;  
ophu mu ahaduru  
epfur ọha l'ophu g'i  
yeberu nemadzụ obu;  
teme waa l'i bụ onye  
ire-lanụ.

<sup>11</sup> Gube Chipfu; jiko ba  
ahakwa mu aphuru  
obu-imemini.

Gẹ n-yemobu waa ire-lanụ  
ngu ono chekwaa mu  
mkpúrumkpuru!

**12** Iphe-ehuka, bụ aguta l'ogu  
no-phewaru mu  
mgburugburu.

Ejo-ememe, mu meshiru  
ripyabewaru mu;  
k'ophu bụ le mu ta  
aphuedu ụzo.

Ọ ka egbushi, dù mu l'ishi  
igwerigwe.

Nta-a bẹ mu amaedu gẹ mu  
e-me iya.

**13** Gube Chipfu; jiko dzonaa mu!  
Byanụ egwegwa bya eyeru  
mu rọ ẹka; jiko Chipfu!

**14** G'iphe, bụ ndu achọ ụzo,  
ephe e-shi gbua mu  
bukwaru ndu ee-meru  
iphere kpua;  
g'a tükwa phe ęberekete.

Chiphunu ndu agbaru mu  
ejo egomungo azụ.

G'iphere ji phe iphu!

**15** G'e meru ujikputeru nụ  
ndu ekweru mu hẹe.

**16** G'iphe, bükpoo ndu achọ ngu  
nụ bürü ndu ẹhu a-tsọ.

Ephe anodu ngu l'eka tee ęswa.  
Gẹ ndu o dù g'a sụ l'i dzoru

ndzụ bükwaru iphe,  
ephe a-kpuru l'ọnụ  
epfu bụ:

“Unu tịa ọnụ Chipfu l'o  
parụ ẹka!”

17 Obenu lẹ mbędua bụ onye  
 ụkpa bya abụru onye  
 adụdu g'ọ dù mu;  
 ọle Nnajiuphu arile-a ọriri  
 ẹhu mu;  
 mbụ l'oo gube Chileke bụ  
 onye eyejeru mu ẹka;  
 bya abụru onye adzoje  
 mu nụ.  
 Jiko Chileke nkemu;  
 b'akpokwa ụpfu!

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
 nụ onye-ishi ebvu*

- 1 Ehu-ụtso bẹ a goru nụ onye  
 anoduje eyeru ndu  
 ụkpa eka;  
 kélé Chipfu a-dzota iya mẹ  
 ọ -nodu eje iphe-ehuka.
- 2 Chipfu l'a-kwachi iya;  
 bya edobe iya ndzụ.  
 L'ọ bürü onye a goru ẹhu-ụtso  
 nụ l'eliphe;  
 ọphu Chipfu enwuduru  
 iya eye l'iphe,  
 agụ ndu ọhogu iya.
- 3 Chipfu a-gbaru iya mkpu  
 mẹ ọ zee l'ehu.  
 Oo-me iya l'ọ ka mma  
 l'iphe-ememe,  
 byapfutaru iya nụ.
- 4 Mu sürü Chipfu: Phụnaaru

- mu obu-imemini.  
 Mu mewaru ngu iphe-eji  
     gube Chipfu;  
     jiko menaa gę mu  
     wekoroju.
- <sup>5</sup> Ndu ohogu mu anoduje  
     epfuru mu ejo opfu  
     sụ l'ọ dụ phę g'a sụ le  
     mu nwuhuru;  
     g'a zohaa mu l'eliphe-a.
- <sup>6</sup> Teke nemadzụ byaru mu ajiji;  
     oopfuru mu opfu,  
     te erwuduru iya ọhu-ephə.
- Obenu l'iphe, ọochiko edo  
     l'obu iya bụ ịkpoki  
     ntumatu.
- Ọ -lufuepho l'o jeshia ya  
     edokashi.
- <sup>7</sup> Iphe, bükpo ndu kpɔru mu  
     ashị anoduje  
     adzụ-phe taba taba gude  
     epfutɔshi mu.
- Ọ bɥerupho iphe, bụ iya  
     kachaa eji bę ọoduje phę  
     g'o mee mu.
- <sup>8</sup> Ephe asụ: "Tuswekwa! Ọ kwa  
     ejo iphe-ememe eme iya.  
 Ọ turweakwaru iya k'ophu ọ  
     tọo gbeshibaedu."
- <sup>9</sup> Mbụ je akpachaa l'onye  
     mu l'iya eshi ọkpobe eshishi;  
     bya aburu onye mu dakoberu;  
     mbụ l'onye mu l'iya erigbaje

nri gbechaakwa eme iphe,  
a-tsürü mu nụ.

<sup>10</sup> Ọlobu gube Chipfu;  
phunaaru mu obu-imemini!

Meero gẹ mu wekoroohu;  
k'ophu mu a-pfụ phẹ  
ụgwo iphe-a, ẹphe eme mu-a.

<sup>11</sup> Mu maru lẹ mu dù ngu l'obu;  
kele i ti kwedu gẹ ndu  
ohogu mu tṣuru okoo  
kpua mu.

<sup>12</sup> Eshinu ụta adudu mu l'ehu bẹ<sup>i</sup>  
i tṣuru mu gburumu  
kuru mu dobe l'atatiphu  
ngu gẹ mu nodu jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

<sup>13</sup> G'e tua Chipfu ẹpha;  
mbụ Chileke kẹ ndu Ízurelu;  
e -shi lẹ gbururu jeye  
lẹ gbururu.

Nokwa g'o dù;  
bya aburu g'o dù.

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*Évù, a kwaru nụ onye-ishi  
ebvü g'ụnwu Kora gúa*

<sup>1</sup> Oo gẹ ne ele anoduje atụ  
hẹehee  
achọ nggele, aso  
gborogboro g'o ngua mini;  
bukwapho g'obu mu atụ  
hẹehee achọ gube

Chileke.

<sup>2</sup> Ekpiri Chileke; mbụ Chileke,  
dzụ ndzụ akpọ mu  
jegiri-jegiri.

?Bụ teke ole bẹ mu a-bya  
apfuru l'iphu Chileke?

<sup>3</sup> Enya-mini mu bụwaa nri  
eswe l'enyaashi mu;  
kele ọ tọ dudu teke ephe  
ta ajidu mu sụ:

“?Denu eka Chileke ngu nọ?”

<sup>4</sup> Nta-a, mu tükoru iphe,  
nọ mu l'obu epfushi-a  
bẹ mu nyatarụ gẹ mu shi  
edujeru igwe ọha;  
anyi atukọ awụ eje ala  
l'ulo Chileke.

Teme anyi agụ ebvu ẹhu-ụtso;  
bya ekele Chileke  
ekele l'echilabọ igwe ọha,  
byaru ọbo-iphe ono.

<sup>5</sup> Gube obu mu;  
?denu g'o gude i nödu  
kpoyoo?

?Denu g'o gude i nödu  
etsu mu ophe?

G'enya ngu dù l'eka Chileke  
nọ;  
kele mu e-mechaa kele iya  
ekele;  
mbụ onye bụ iya bụ onye  
adzoje mu nụ;  
<sup>6</sup> bya abụru Chileke mu.

Obu mu nọ kpoyoo.  
 Noo g'o gude mu nodu lẹ  
 mgboru Jiódanu nyata  
 ngu;  
 mbụ l'alị Hamọnu l'eli  
 úbvuú Miza.

<sup>7</sup> Ogbumini akporu ogbumini  
 okwe.  
 Akparamini ngu mẹ  
 gborogboro,  
 ọoso sọ-kputewaru mu.

<sup>8</sup> Ole ọobujeru; o -be l'eswe  
 bẹ Chipfu egoshije mu  
 n-yemobu iya.  
 O -be l'enyanashi l'ọ buerupho  
 iphe, mu a-kpuru l'ọnū  
 bụ agụ ebvu nkiya.

Mu epfukwapho anụ Chileke  
 ono,  
 bụ iya gude ndzụ mu ono.

<sup>9</sup> Mu suru Chileke, bụ  
 agbara-mkpuma nkemu:  
 "?Denu g'o gude i zohaa mu?  
 ?Bụ gunu kparụ iphe,  
 ndu ọhogu mu akpa mu ẹhu;  
 mu nodu agụ aphụ ejephe?"

<sup>10</sup> Ndu achị mu lẹ nịo anoduje  
 ekweru mu une mbóku-mbóku;  
 sụ mu: "?Denu ẹka Chileke  
 ngu nọ?"

Iphe ono, ẹphe anoduje  
 epfurụ mu ono  
 tükowa ọkpu mu l'ophu  
 gwee arakabya.

11 Gube obu mu; ?denu g'o gude  
     i nodu kpoyoo?  
 ?Denu g'o gude i nodu etsu  
     mu ophe?  
 G'anya ngu du l'eka Chileke  
     no;  
     kеле mu e-mechaa kele  
     iya ekele;  
     mbu onye bu iya bu onye  
     adzoje mu nu;  
     bya aburu Chileke mu.

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- <sup>1</sup> Hanaaru mu enge; Chileke;  
     jiko gbanaaru mu  
     qdzori;  
     nafutanu mu l'eka ndu ono,  
     te eyeduru ngu obu ono!  
 Gbafuta mu l'eka ndu ugho;  
     waa ndu apfubeduru-eka-oto.
- <sup>2</sup> Eshinu o bu gubedua,  
     bu Chileke bu agbarike mu;  
     ?denu g'o nwuru i gbadoru  
     mu?  
 ?Bu gunu kparu iphe,  
     ndu ohogu mu akpa  
     mu ẹhu;  
     mu nodu eje ogbee-ogbee?
- <sup>3</sup> Mena g'o bürü iphoró  
     nkengu; yee ire-lanu ngu  
     l'a-nodu edu mu.  
 G'ephe dua mu durwua úbvú  
     nkengu ono, du nsø ono;  
     mbu g'ephe durwua mu

eka i bu gedegegede.

<sup>4</sup> Noo teke mu a-byarwuta  
ɔru-ngweja gube Chileke;  
mbụ byapfutakpọ Chileke  
ono, bụ ẹhu-ụtso mu;  
bya abụru onye mu ete  
eswa iya ono.

Mu a-kpọ une gude kele  
ngu ekele gube Chileke,  
bụ Chileke mu.

<sup>5</sup> Gube obu mu; ?denu g'o gude  
i nodu kpoyoo?  
?Denu g'o gude i nodu etsu  
mu ophe?

G'ẹnya ngu dù l'eka Chileke  
no;  
kele mu e-mechaa kele  
iya ekele;  
mbụ onye bụ iya bụ onye  
adzoje mu nụ;  
bya abụru Chileke mu.

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*Évù, a kwarụ nụ onye-ishi  
ebvu g'ụnwu Kora gúa*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chileke; anyi gudekwa  
nchị anyi nụma;  
teme nna anyi oche phẹ  
koko waaru iya pho anyi;  
mbụ iphemiphe ono,  
i mekötaru phẹ teke  
ndiche ono.

<sup>2</sup> L'oo gubedua l'onwongu

chịshiru ndu ọhozo l'alị phe;  
 bya eworu ẹphebedua  
 dzabẹ́ l'alị ono.

Lẹ́ ndu dù igwerigwe bẹ́ i  
 mebyishiru;  
 obenu lẹ́ nna anyi oche  
 phe bẹ́ i meru g'ẹphe  
 jaa àjàjà.

<sup>3</sup> O tọ́ bụdu ogu-echi phe bẹ́  
 ẹphe gude lwuta alị ono;  
 teme ọphu ọ bụdu  
 ọkpehu phe bẹ́ ẹphe gude  
 lwụ-kpee.

Obenu l'oo ẹkutara ngu;  
 yee ọkpehu nkengu;  
 waa ano-kube ono,  
 i nọ-kube phe ono bẹ́ meru;  
 ẹphe lwụ-kpee;  
 noo kele ẹphe tubaru ngu  
 l'enya.

<sup>4</sup> Oo gubedua bụ Chileke mu;  
 bya aburu onye  
 eze nkemu;  
 mbụ onye emeje g'oshilokpa  
 Jiékọpu lwụ-kpee l'ogu.

<sup>5</sup> Oo l'eka ngu bẹ́ anyi anoduje  
 nwuta ndu achị anyi lẹ́  
 njo nwuphu azụ.

Ọ bürü ẹpha ngu bẹ́ anyi  
 egudeje zọ ndu  
 wulihuru etso anyi  
 opfu pyakapyaka.

<sup>6</sup> Mu ta chiduru ụpfu kwẹ́

l'apfụ, mu chi;  
teme mu maru l'ogu-echi  
mu ta adzodu mu.

<sup>7</sup> Obenu l'ọọ ike nkengu bẹ<sup>7</sup>  
anyi gude lwụ-kpee  
ndu achị anyi lẹ njo.  
Ndu anyi dù ashị bẹ i  
meru iphere kpua.

<sup>8</sup> O kwa Chileke bẹ anyi  
egudeje eku onwanyi  
mbọku-mbọku.

O bụru gube Chileke bẹ anyi  
e-keleje ekele jasụ lẹ  
tuutuutuu lẹ mịimiimii.

<sup>9</sup> Ole i jikaru anyi;  
bya ekpua anyi iphu lẹ ntụ;  
ophu iitsojeeduru ndu  
ojogu anyi eje ọgu.

<sup>10</sup> I harụ ndu oħogu anyi;  
ephe chiphu anyi azu;  
ndu anyi dù ashị bya atuko  
eku anyi kwaa ọkwata.

<sup>11</sup> I gbadoru anyi g'atụru,  
e doberu k'egbushi.

I chịa anyi; anyi daa ighagha  
l'ohamoha ọzo.

<sup>12</sup> I wowaru ndibe ngu reshia  
o-dụ-l'urwu;  
k'ophu bụ l'o tọ dudu urwu,  
i ritaru l'ishi phẹ.

<sup>13</sup> I meru; ndu obutobu anyi  
noðu ekweru anyi une.  
Ndu no-pheru anyi

mgburugburu nōdu  
 anōduje epfubyishi anyi;  
 bya achī anyi ɔchi.

<sup>14</sup> I meru; anyi būru iphe,  
 ndu ɔhozo gude anmaku  
 l'eo ɛtu;  
 būru ndu bu: a -nyata  
 phē l'e phuphee ishi.

<sup>15</sup> Mboku-mboku bē aañoduje  
 eme mu iphe-iphere  
 mmekwase.

Iphere nōdu ejije mu iphu  
 pyimū;

<sup>16</sup> noo kēle ndu ɔhogu mu;  
 waa ndu eme g'ephe  
 gwata mu ɔgwo-iphe  
 anōduje ekweru mu une;  
 epfutɔshi mu.

<sup>17</sup> Iphemiphe-a mekotaru  
 l'ehu anyi; ole anyi ta  
 zohaduru ngu;  
 ɔphu anyi emebyiduru  
 ɔgbandzu anyi lē ngu.

<sup>18</sup> Ophu obu anyi alufuduru  
 l'eka i nō;  
 ɔphu anyi ahataduru ɔkpa  
 zo be k'eshiswe ɔzo ngu.

<sup>19</sup> Obenu l'i gweru anyi  
 arakabya l'egu nkuta-ɔswa;  
 bya eworu dadishi-nwamaa  
 phukpute anyi.

<sup>20</sup> Qme anyi zoharu Chileke anyi;  
 bya achī-liaru agwa ndu

oħozo ēka;

21 ?Chileke tege avodu iya  
vofuta tōo;  
eshinu o makotaru iphe,  
e domiru edomi,  
dū nemadzū l'obu.

22 Ole o bu; o l'iswi ēhu ngu  
bē o tō dudu teke ɔnwu  
ta anodujedu eme g'o  
gbua anyi;  
tēme l'eeme anyi g'aturu,  
a chitaru eje egbushi.

23 Għube Nnajjuphu; tehu etehu!  
?Denu g'o gude i je anodu  
eku mgbexxa?

Tehu etehu; ba ajikashi anyi  
ojejoje!

24 ?Denu g'o gude ophu i  
yeheduru anyi ɔnu?  
?Denu g'o gude i zohaa  
iphe-ēhuka, anyi eje;  
bya azohaa l'aakpa anyi ēhu?

25 E mewaru anyi; anyi daa;  
nmaa əpho l'alij;  
k'ophu bu l'ishi tsutawaru  
anyi ejja.

26 Għaliu yeru anyi ēka!  
Guderø n-yemobu ngu  
gbafuta anyi!

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*Évù, a kwarụ nụ onye-ishi  
ebvu g'ụnwu Kora gua;  
g'e gude olu ebvu, "Ojimbvu" gua ya;  
ebvu ekele-nwanyị*

<sup>1</sup> Obu mu bẹ opfu ọma jiru kẹ  
pyịmu pyịmu.

Onye mu epfu eyeru bụkwa  
eze anyi.

Ire mu dụwaa gẹ<sup>2</sup>  
mkpara-ekwo onye maru  
ede ekwo ęgwegwa.

<sup>2</sup> I kakọta nemadzụ,  
a nwukpooru anwụnwu  
ama mma.

Eze-iphe-ọma jiru ngu ọnụ ejiji;  
kеле Chileke goru ọnụ-ọma  
ojejoje nụ ngu.

<sup>3</sup> Gube O-gbua-o-turu-ugo;  
wota ogu-echi ngu kee  
l'upfu!

Gbaphua onwongu akpabiri  
yẹe o-gbu-nwịinwii!

<sup>4</sup> Dụnu akpabiri akpabiri  
nyikoru l'ugbo-inya ngu  
gbaru kwaakwaakwaa  
je alwụa lwụ-kpee!

See iswi ire-lanụ;  
yẹe ewoze onwonye ali;  
yẹe apfubekoto.

G'eka-ütara ngu mekwaa iphe,  
dụ ebvu.

<sup>5</sup> G'apfụ ngu, atsụ nkọ

- mejeephə tsurumu l'obu  
 ndu ọhogu gube eze.  
 G'ohamoha dajekwa  
 kpurumu l'iphu ngu.
- <sup>6</sup> Gube Chileke; oo g'i bụ eze  
 nta-a bụ g'ii-bụru iya jasụ  
 lẹ tuutuutuu lẹ mịimiimii.
- Ikpe, pfuru ọto bẹ i gude  
 bụru eze; l'eka i bụ eze.
- <sup>7</sup> Iphe, pfuru ọto dù ngu ree;  
 ejo-iphe dükwanu ngu  
 ashi.
- Noo g'o gude Chileke,  
 bụ Chileke ngu hota ngu  
 l'echilabọ ndu unu l'ephe  
 bụ ogbo; bya awụa ngu  
 manụ ẹhu-ụtso l'ishi.
- <sup>8</sup> Uwe ngu g'o ha bẹ mkpo  
 mēru; waa alowe;  
 yee kashia tuko vọ  
 pfurupfuru.
- Une, a -gbẹ l'iphe, bükpoo  
 unuphu ibe gube eze  
 akpogbaa nōdu emeje  
 g'ehu tsọo ngu ụtso;  
 mbụ unuphu ọphu e  
 gudegbaa eze-enyi  
 mematagbaa.
- <sup>9</sup> Unwada eze hachakwaaru  
 yiru l'uwanyi aakwabẹ  
 ùbvù l'ibe ngu.
- Ọo l'ekutara ngu bẹ  
 eze-nwanyị pfuru.

Iphe, o yeru l'ehu buru iphe,  
e meru lę mkpôla-ododo  
Ofi.

<sup>10</sup> Ngabę nchị gube ada-eze!  
Jiko rıkwaa iphe-a,  
mu abya epfupfu-a ariri!

Zohakota ndibe unu;  
waa ndu nna ngu phę!

<sup>11</sup> Lę mma, jiima meakwaru;  
i nođu agu eze egü.

Eshinu o bụ iya bụ nnajuphu  
ngu; phozejekwaru iya!

<sup>12</sup> Ndu Taya a-nukwa ngu iphe  
kę mmanu;  
teme ndu nweru iphe  
emeahaaru ngu ree;  
g'eeshi g'ephe tuba ngu  
l'enya.

<sup>13</sup> Ada eze bę no  
l'o-gbu-nwịinwii iya;  
e duba iya l'ulo.

Uwe iya bę e gude oghu  
mkpôla-ododo kwee.

<sup>14</sup> E yeru iya uwe, e meru  
erengete duru ejepfu eze.  
Unwumgboko ibe iya nođu  
etso iya l'azu.

Ephebedua bę eedukwapho  
edujeru eze.

<sup>15</sup> Ehu atsọ phę ụtso;  
ephe nođu ete eswa;  
e duru phę abahụ l'ibe eze.

<sup>16</sup> Gube eze; ọ o ụnwu ngu

bẹ a-nochi ẹnya  
 ochochoroche ngu phẹ  
 bṣru eze.  
 Ọ bṣru phẹ bẹ ii-me g'ephe  
 bṣru ishi lẹ mgboko  
 mgburugburu.  
<sup>17</sup> Mu e-me g'a nyatajẹ ngu;  
 e -shi l'ogbo sweru ọgbo.  
 Ọo ya bụ g'ohamoha  
 ekeleje ngu ekele jasụ lẹ  
 tuutuutuu lẹ mịimiimii.

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*Ebvu, e deru nụ onye-ishi  
 ebvu g'unwu Kora gude  
 olu ụnwumgboko gúa*

<sup>1</sup> Ọo Chileke bẹ bụ onye anyi nọ  
 l'eka ezeru ndzụ;  
 bya abṣru iya bụ ike anyi.  
 Ọokwagebeje akwagebe  
 eyeru anyi eka m'anyi  
 nodu eje iphe-ehuka.  
<sup>2</sup> Ọo ya bụ l'anyi ta abyakwa  
 l'atsụ ebvu;  
 m'obeta mgboko gha  
 igharaphu;  
 mbụ m'obeta a pata úbvú  
 l'ophu parụ je echiee  
 l'echi ogbu-enyimu;  
<sup>3</sup> mini, nọ iya nụ phụa oke  
 ephu; byaa gbulagbula  
 byaa mebyikpoo  
 gbukuu-gbukuu;

k'ophu úbvú angagbaa  
anganga.

- <sup>4</sup> O nweru ẹnyimu ọphu dù nụ.  
Mini, shi iya nụ emeje g'ehu  
tsoo mkpükpu kẹ Chileke ụtso;  
mbụ eka dù nsọ,  
Okalibe-kakota-shii bu.
- <sup>5</sup> Chileke nokwa lẹ mkpükpu  
iya;  
k'ophu bụ l'o tọ dudu iphe,  
byaru eme iya nụ.  
Nchi -bya abohu l'qobyawaa  
bya agbaarụ iya mkpu.
- <sup>6</sup> Ndu ọhozo gude ẹhu-eghu  
aba hanyihanyi.  
O mee; ali-eze phẹ nodu  
angakota anganga;  
ọle Chileke woliérupho  
olu gbooru phẹ uja;  
Eliphe l'ophu rwushihu.
- <sup>7</sup> Chipfu, bụ Okalibe-Kakota-Ike  
bẹ nokwa swiru anyi.  
Ọ kwa Chileke kẹ Jiékopu  
bụ onye anyi nọ l'eka  
ezeru ndzụ.
- <sup>8</sup> Byanụ ahụma iphe, Chipfu  
meru!  
Bya ahụma g'o meru;  
mgboko bụru mkpurupyata!
- <sup>9</sup> Oogboje ọgu l'eliphe l'ophu.  
Ọgba-jishije apfụ bya  
emebyishia arwa;  
bya eworu ụgbo-ịnya

ogu kpokota ọku.

<sup>10</sup> Ọ sụru: "Unu nodu doo;  
g'unu amaru l'oo yébedua  
bụ Chileke.

Ndu ọhozo a-tụ ọnụ lẹ yébe  
Chileke parụ eka;  
mbụ l'aa-tụ ọnụ iya l'eliphe  
mgburugburu lẹ ya parụ eka."

<sup>11</sup> Chipfu, bụ  
Okalibe-Kakota-Ike bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
nökwa swiru anyi.  
Ọ kwa Chileke kẹ Jiékopu  
bụ onye anyi nọ l'eka  
ezeru ndzụ.

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*Ebvu, e deru nü onye-ishi  
ebvu g'ụnwu Kora gụa*

<sup>1</sup> Unu kụa eka unubẹ<sup>2</sup>  
ụnwu-eliphe l'ophu!  
Unu gude ebvu ẹhu-ụtso  
gbooru Chileke ọgboo!

<sup>2</sup> Noo kele Chipfu,  
bụ Okalibe-kakota-shii  
gbaru g'a tsuje iya ebvu.  
Kele ọo yébedua bụ Okalibe  
eze, achikota ndiphe  
l'ophu.

<sup>3</sup> Oomeje g'anyi kapyabẹ<sup>3</sup>  
ndiphe; bya emee gẹ ndu  
ọhozo nodu anyi lẹ mkpula.

<sup>4</sup> Ọo yébedua hotaru anyi ali,  
anyi bu;

mbụ ali ono, Jiékọpu,  
onye Chileke yeru obu  
egudeje eku onwiya.

<sup>5</sup> Chileke kwolihuwaru jeshia  
l'aba-eze iya.

Ndiphe tushia ụzu agbo  
ogboo; egburu iya opu.

<sup>6</sup> Unu gụa ebvu gude tua Chileke  
ephä! Unu tua ya ephä!

Unu gụa ebvu gude tua eze  
anyi ephä! Unu tua ya ephä!

<sup>7</sup> Kele oo Chileke bụ eze ndu  
mgboko mgburugburu.

Unu kwaa ẹvù gude jaa ya  
ajaja!

<sup>8</sup> O kwa Chileke bụ eze ohamoha.  
Ọ nökwa l'aba-eze iya, dù nsọ.

<sup>9</sup> Ndu nweru ẹnya l'eliphe  
dzukọbeakwaru gẹ ndibe  
Chileke kẹ Ébirihamu;  
kélé ndu eze, egbobutaje  
ụnwu-eliphe,  
bükwa Chileke nwe phẹ.

Ọ kwa Chileke bẹ  
kangokotaru nụ.

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### *Ebvu-ọma, Unwu Kora guru*

<sup>1</sup> Chipfu parụ ẹka.

G'a jakwaa ya pho ajaja,  
rwuberu iya nụ  
lẹ mkpükpu kẹ Chileke anyi;

- mbụ l'úbvú ono, dù nsọ ono.
- <sup>2</sup> Úbvú Zayonu ono ama  
ntumatu bya adụ akpabiri;  
bya abụru ẹhu-ụtso  
ụnwu-eliphe l'ophu.
- O nọ l'uzo isheli mkpükpu  
Jierúsalemu, bụ mkpükpu  
onye eze, parụ eka.
- <sup>3</sup> Chileke nọakwa l'ulo ndu  
mkpükpu ono anoduje  
ezeru ndzụ.
- O mewaru g'a maru l'o  
yébedua bụ a  
-gbabe-ezeeru-ndzụ.
- <sup>4</sup> Ndu eze chikoberu ndu ojogu  
phẹ;  
bya awuru bya g'ephe tsoo  
mkpükpu ono oğu.
- <sup>5</sup> Ephe byarwutaephō bya ebu  
iya ishi.
- O tufu phẹ ẹhu; ndzụ gụhu phẹ;  
ephe gbalachaa.
- <sup>6</sup> Ndzụ-agugu, guderu phẹ  
l'eka ono  
tsuru phẹ l'ehu gę nwanyị,  
ime eme.
- <sup>7</sup> I mebyishiru phẹ gę pherephere,  
shi l'uzo enyanwu-awawa  
emebyishiye ugbo-mini  
Tashishi.
- <sup>8</sup> Oo iphe, anyi nümaru bę  
anyi hümakwarupho  
lę mkpükpu kę Chipfu,

bụ Okalibe-Kakota-Ike,  
 bụ iya bụ mkpükpu  
 Chileke anyi;  
 mbụ l'ọo Chileke emeje  
 g'ọ nguru anguru  
 jasụ l'ojejoje.

<sup>9</sup> Anyi anoduje l'ime eze-ulo  
 gube Chileke  
 arị k'obu ono, i y eru  
 anyi ono.

<sup>10</sup> Gube Chileke; ọo g'epha ngu  
 ngadzuru ekameka;  
 bùkwapho g'aanoduje aja  
 ngu ajaja lẹ mgboko  
 l'ophu.

Ọ bụru ikpe, pfuru ọto bẹ i  
 gude bụru eze.

<sup>11</sup> Ehu atso úbvú Zayonu ụtso;  
 mkpükpu Jiuda nodu ete  
 eswa.

Ọ bụru iphe, kparụ iya nụ bụ  
 g'iigudeje ekpe ikpe.

<sup>12</sup> Unu jegbabəada ọma Zayonu.  
 Unu jephee ya mgburugburu;  
 gua ulo-ephekerephee,  
 o nweru ọgu.

<sup>13</sup> Unu gbuchakwaa igo l'igbulọ,  
 e gude kpụ-pheee  
 ya mgburugburu!

Unu elerwekwaapho ẹnya  
 l'ulo-ezeru-ndzụ,  
 nogbaa ya nụ.

Ọo ya bụ g'unu akọoru iya

ogbo ophu nō l'iphu.  
<sup>14</sup> Noo kēle Chileke-a a-buru  
 Chileke anyi jasú lē tuutuutuu  
 lē mijimiimii.  
 O buru iya a-nodu edu anyi  
 jasú g'anyi a-nō-beru.

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*Ebvu-oma, e deru nū  
 onye-ishi ebvu g'ünwu  
 Kora gúa*

<sup>1</sup> Unubé ndiphe; unu nūmakwa  
 iphe-a!  
 Unu ngabékwa nchị;  
 unubé ndu bu lē mgboko  
 l'ophu!  
<sup>2</sup> Gẹ ndu ha shii ngabẹ nchị;  
 ndu ha nwanshịi angabẹ.  
 Gẹ ndu nweru iphe yẹe  
 ndu ụkpa tükokwa  
 ngabẹ nchị.  
<sup>3</sup> Opfu, shi mu l'ọnua a-buru  
 opfu onye maru iphe.  
 Iphe, mu rịtaru l'obu emeje  
 g'iphe doo ẹnya.  
<sup>4</sup> Gẹ mu bya eworu nchị  
 gboberu ẹtu.  
 Mu akpoo une gude mee g'ílú,  
 mu tūru doo ẹnya.  
<sup>5</sup> Ndzụ ta abyadụ agụ mu mẹ  
 mbóku oke iphe-ehuka  
 rwuepho.  
 O tọ dudu m'obeta ndu achị

mu lę nj{o} n{o}-phee  
 mu mgburugburu;  
 mu ta atsukpodaa ph{e} ebvu;  
<sup>6</sup> mbu ndu ono, achijeru  
 ụpfu kw{e} l'eku,  
 ẹphe kpataru;  
 gude akanya, ẹphe setar{u}  
 eku onwophe.

<sup>7</sup> Ole o to dükwa onye a-dụ ike  
 a-gbafuta nwibe iya;  
 ophu o dudu onye ophu a-dụ  
 ike apf{u} Chileke aswa ishi  
 nemadz{u} ibiya.

<sup>8</sup> K{e}le aswa pakwaru ẹka l'iphe,  
 e gude agbata ndz{u}.

O to dükwa iphe, nemadz{u}  
 a-pf{u} g'o suru iya;  
<sup>9</sup> mbu ugwo, oo-pf{u}  
 nodu ndz{u} ojejoje;  
 g'o t'o rehu erehu.

<sup>10</sup> Onyemonye eleanaa lę  
 ndu mmamiphe  
 anwushihujechaa.

Ndu eswe m{e} ndu eme  
 b{e}eb{e}bee nodu  
 abahujechaa l'ilu.

G'ẹphe ha atukoje woru ẹku  
 ph{e} haaru ndu ozo.

<sup>11</sup> Iphe, ẹphe anoduje ari  
 bu l'ephe a-n{o} jas{u} l'ojejoje;  
 l'unuphu ph{e} a-buru  
 oje-l{e}-nwanwa;  
 ẹphe ewochaaru ẹpha ph{e}

gushia ali-ihe phę.

<sup>12</sup> Obenu l'eku nemadzụ  
ta akpoșhidu iya anwụhu.

Ọ bụ-a g'anụ-egbudu  
anwụhuje-a bụ g'oo-mecha  
nwụhu.

<sup>13</sup> Hümawaro g'oonwujeru ndu  
amadụ iphe;  
waa g'oodapfutaje ndu  
awụ etso phę nụ;  
mbụ ndu iphe, ẹphe anođuje  
epfu aduje ree.

<sup>14</sup> Iphe, e-mechaa mee phę  
nụ bụ l'ephe a-nwụhu  
g'atụru.

Ọ bụru ọnwu a-bya erwuta  
phę;  
ndu pfüberekoto atụa okoo  
kpuā phę;  
mẹ o -bee l'utsu.

Ogwēhu phę ono erekashịhu  
mẹ e -shiępho l'ęguru  
ulo phę ono;  
parụ phę je adee l'ilu.

<sup>15</sup> Obenu lę mbedula bę Chileke  
a-gbafta gę mu ta abahụ  
l'ali-maa;  
kele oo-mecha kuta mu  
dokube onwiya.

<sup>16</sup> Ọ -bürü lę nemadzụ  
nonyaaru bya enweru  
iphe shii;  
k'ophu ndiphe watarụ iya

- akwabẹ ùbvù;  
gẹ ndzụ ta agukwa ngu.
- <sup>17</sup> Noo kèle ọ tọ dudu ọphu  
oo-gude ala m'ọ lashịa.  
Ọphu ùbvù iya obu etsokwa  
iya pho ala l'ilu.
- <sup>18</sup> O bụ eviya lẹ teke ọ nọ ndzụ  
bẹ o shi gükobe onwiya lẹ  
ndu a goru ọnụ-ọma nụ;  
teme ndiphe shikwapho  
anoduje aja iya ajaja l'ọ  
bụ onye eka-atụtu.
- <sup>19</sup> Ole oo-mechaele-a lapfu  
ndiche iya phe l'alị-maa;  
eka a ta abyadụ ahụma  
iphóró.
- <sup>20</sup> Onye nweru iphe;  
ophu ọ madụ iphe bụ-a  
g'anụ-egbudu anwụhuje-a  
bụ g'oo-mecha nwụhu.

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### *Ebvu-ọma, Asafu deru*

- <sup>1</sup> O kwa Okalibe, bụ Chileke;  
bya abụru Chipfu epfu  
opfu-a.  
Ooku mgboko l'ophu oku;  
eshikpoo l'uzo  
enyanwu-awawa jasụ  
l'uzo enyanwu-ariba.
- <sup>2</sup> Chileke nọ lẹ Zayonu egbu  
nwịinwii; mbụ Zayonu

ono ama ntumatu ono.

<sup>3</sup> Chileke anyi abyakwaa;  
ole ọ to nodu ngguingguji  
abya.

Ọku, ata ririri nō iya l'uzo  
iphu.

Oke pherephere nō-phee ya  
mgburugburu.

<sup>4</sup> Ooku igwe; eku ali;  
g'ephe bya aburu ekebe iya;  
g'ephe bya anodu huma  
ge ya gude ekpe ndu nkiya  
iya ikpe.

<sup>5</sup> “Unu chikoberu mu ndu bụ  
nkemu g'ephe ha;  
mbu ndu mu l'ephe gude  
ngweja gbaa ndzụ.”

<sup>6</sup> Imigwe l'ophu anoduje atu  
onu ge Chileke bu-be  
onye pfuberekoto;  
kele Chileke l'onwiya bu  
Onye-ikpe.

<sup>7</sup> “Ndu mu; unu ngabę nchị;  
ge mu pfua opfu yeru unu.

Ge mu gbaa unubę ndu  
Ízurelu ekebe.

Ọ kwa mube Chileke bu  
Chileke unu.

<sup>8</sup> Ọ to bükwa kę ngweja,  
unu egweje anụ mu;  
ozoo kę ngweja-akpọ-ọku,  
unu egwejeru mu bę mu  
abarụ unu mba iya;

kéle ndu k'ono bẹ́ unu  
anóduje emekota l'o  
rwuberu iya.

- <sup>9</sup> O tọ́ dükwa eswi, shi l'ọ́ka  
unu, mu a-nata;  
ophu ọ́ dükwa g'ọ́ ka mma  
l'oo mkpi, shi l'ikpoto ẹ́ku  
unu, mù a-nata;  
<sup>10</sup> kélé iphe, bükpoo anú,  
nokota l'oswa bükota nkemu;  
mékpoo eswi,  
doru l'ünubuku úbvú.

<sup>11</sup> Ènu, ephe l'eli bẹ́ mu  
makotaru g'ephe ha;  
anú-egbudu l'ophu  
bükotaru iphe mu.

<sup>12</sup> Ome l'oo egu agú mu;  
mẹ́ mu tege  
abyapfutakwa unu;  
kélé oo mbédúa nwekota  
mgboko-a l'ophu;  
yee iphe, nọ́ iya nụ́.

<sup>13</sup> ?Unu ríru lẹ́ mu atajé anú  
eswi?

?Tọ́o unu dobesu lẹ́ mu  
anguje mee eghu?

<sup>14</sup> Ngweja, unu e-gwejeru nụ́  
mube Chileke bu g'unu  
keleje mu ekele.

Unu emekotaje iphe,  
unu riburu angú l'unu  
e-meru mube  
Okalibe-kakota-shii.

<sup>15</sup> Unu -kua mu oku mẹ́

iphe-ehuka byaruunu;  
 mu adzotaunu;  
 oo ya bu g'unu akwabeye  
 mu ubvù."

16 Obenu l'onye ejo-iphe bę  
 Chileke suru:  
 "?Denu g'o gude i nödu  
 anoduje agü ekemu mu  
 g'onye agü ebvu?

?Denu g'o gude i nödu  
 egudeje önu ngu  
 pfukuta ogbandzu mu?

17 L'eka i jikaru su ge mu ta  
 aloshi ngu eka le nchi;  
 woru opfu mu l'ophu  
 nwuru ye l'azü.

18 I -humma onye-oshi; l'i je  
 eshitia iya önyà;  
 teme unu le ndu eri ogori  
 nödu aswi oswi.

19 Önu ngu buepho njö-opfu bę  
 iigudeje iya epfu;  
 jinodu egudeje ire ngu  
 agba eregede.

20 I -nödu; l'i pfutoshi nwune  
 ngu.

Ö bürü nwune ngu nwoke,  
 unu l'iya shi l'ephō  
 lanü bę jinoduje evu  
 nvu-azü.

21 Iphemiphe ono bę  
 i mekotaru; mu nöduele-a  
 ngguingguji.

I gbé dobesúwanu lè mu lè  
ngu bù iphe lanù.

Ole mu a-bakwanuru  
ngu mba iya;  
túa ngu ejo-iphe ono,  
l'iime ono jalaa l'iphu.”  
22 “Unu ngabé nchị l'iphe-a,  
mu abya epfupfu-a;  
unubé ndu zóharu  
mùbe Chileke!

Odumeka mu alajashịa unu  
iphiriba iphiriba;  
l'ebé abù l'o dýru onye  
súru unu anafuta.

23 Iphe, bùkpoo onye woru  
ekele mee ngwéja iya  
bè bù onye akwabé  
mu ùbvù.

O bùru iphe, bù onye eme  
iphe l'uzo, pfýru ọto  
bè mu e-goshi lè mùbe  
Chileke  
adzotaje nemadzù.”

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru nü  
onye-ishi ebvu*

*Teke o deru iya bù g'onye  
mpfuchiru Chileke, bù Nétanu  
byachaaru ibe iya bya epfuaru iya  
l'o meru ejì l'o jepfuru Batusheba*  
<sup>1</sup> Phùnaaru mu obu-imemini;

- jiko Chileke;  
 eshinu n-yemobu ngu te  
 nwedu echihu.  
 Huchafunu atüpya ono,  
 mu tüpyaru ngu ono;  
 eshinu iiphuje obu-imemini;  
 phua k'etsutsu iya.
- <sup>2</sup> Sanaa mu rengurengu;  
 safukota mu ejo-iphe,  
 mu megbaberu;  
 l'i huchafu mu iphe-eji,  
 mu meshiru ngu!
- <sup>3</sup> Kele mu maru gę mu  
 tüpyaberu ngu;  
 ophu mu azohajedu iphe-eji  
 mu azoha.
- <sup>4</sup> Oo gubedua gedegede bę<sup>5</sup>  
 mü mesweru;  
 mbụ l'oo gubedua bę  
 mu meru iphe-eji.
- Iswi du ngu mma l'ikpe,  
 i kperu mu;  
 ophu ụta adudu ngu iya l'ikpe,  
 i nmaru mu.
- <sup>5</sup> Mbụ-a; mu shikwa teke a  
 nwuru mu bụru onye  
 ejo-iphe.
- Mbụ lę mu shirę teke ne mu  
 tsütaru ime mu bụtaru  
 onye eme iphe-eji.
- <sup>6</sup> Iphe, iile ẹnya iya lę ndzụ  
 amadụ bụ ire-lanụ.  
 Zinaa mu mmamiphe nkengu.
- <sup>7</sup> Gude ịsopu saa mu asasa

- gẹ mu d Yuebe ree!  
 Saa mu gẹ mu chaa pemu  
 pemu g'aka-mini-sunoo!
- <sup>8</sup> Mee g'ehu ts oo mu ụtso;  
 gẹ mu tee ẹswa;  
 k'ophu ọkpu mu ono,  
 i nyajishiru ono  
 a-gbakerehu.
- <sup>9</sup> Gbakutaru iphe-eji,  
 mu meshiru azu!  
 L'i hufukota ejo-iphe,  
 mu mekotaru g'o ha!
- <sup>10</sup> Jiko Chileke; menaa g'obu  
 mu gụa mu ịphóró;  
 l'i nụ mu unme ọphuu,  
 a-nodu anụru ngu opfu.
- <sup>11</sup> Ta chifukwa mu l'atati phu  
 ngu!  
 Ọphu i na fukwa mu  
 Unme-dụ-Ns o nkengu!
- <sup>12</sup> Nụ-phunu mu ẹhu-ụtso  
 ono azu;  
 mbụ ẹhu-ụtso ono, shi l'adzota,  
 i dzotaru mu ono.
- Mee g'eme uche ngu heje mu  
 ihee; k'ophu ọo-gbata  
 mu ike.
- <sup>13</sup> Ọo ya bụ gẹ mu ezia ndu  
 anoduje atụpya ngu nụ  
 ụzo ngu.
- Ndu iphe-eji adakobe  
 lwapfuta ngu.
- <sup>14</sup> Dzona a mu l'ikpe ọchi,  
 mu gburu; jiko Chileke!

- L'ọo ngu bụ Chileke,  
adzoje mu nụ.
- Ọo ya bụ gẹ mu egude ire mu  
gụa ebvu ẹhu-ụtso sụ  
l'i pfuberekoto.
- <sup>15</sup> Gube Nnajịuphu; kụhaa  
mu onu;  
k'ophu mu a-ja ngu ajaja.
- <sup>16</sup> Ọme ọo ngweja bẹ iile  
ẹnya iya; mẹ mu  
egwekwaru iya  
nụ ngu.
- Obenu lẹ ngweja m'obeta ọ  
bụru ngweja-akpọ-oku  
te emekwa g'ehu tsọo  
ngu ụtso.
- <sup>17</sup> Kele ngweja ophu Chileke  
anatajẹ bụ aphi-eji-obu.
- Onye aphi jiru obu l'iphe  
o meru; izimanụ lwa iya  
azụ bẹ gube Chileke ta  
anmajekwa phulaphula.
- <sup>18</sup> Mena Zayonu g'ọ jaa àjàjà;  
eshinu ọ dụ ngu l'obu.
- Kpụnaa igbulọ Jierúsalemu!
- <sup>19</sup> Ọo ya bụ g'eegweaharu  
ngu ngweja, pfuru ọto;  
ngweja-akpọ-oku  
atsọahaa ngu ụtso;  
l'a watarụ ngu egburu  
oke-eswi l'ọru-ngweja  
ngu.

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*Évù, Dévidi kwarụ  
nu onye-ishì ebvu*

*Teke ọ kwarụ iya bụ teke  
Dowègu, onye Édòmu byaru  
bya agbaarụ Solu ama sụ iya  
lẹ Dévidi nọ l'ibe Ahiméleku*

<sup>1</sup> ?Dẹnu g'o gude i nọdu eku  
onwongu l'eme ejio-iphe;  
oke, dù ike?

?Tị madụ lẹ n-yemobu  
Chileke a-nọ jeye l'ojejoje?

<sup>2</sup> Iphe, iigudeje ire ngu epfu  
l'ii-me buepho ejio-iphe;  
mbụ l'ire ngu atsụ nkọ g'akwọ,  
a barụ ababa.

Iphemiphe, iimekpoo ememe  
bukotaru ụghoshi.

<sup>3</sup> I ka eye ejio-iphe obu  
eme l'iphe, dù ree.

Adzụ ụka ka ngu ree eme  
l'epfu iphe, pfuru nhamụnha.

<sup>4</sup> Iphe, i yeru obu bụ  
epfubyishi nemadzụ:  
gube onye ono, adzụ-gbu  
onwongu l'uka ono!

<sup>5</sup> Sụ-a; Chileke e-mebyishikwa  
ngu; mee ngu l'i bụru  
mkpurupyata jasụru asụru.

Oo-wofu ngu; mee ngu g'i ti  
buhẹ l'ibe ngu;  
l'o phefu ngu ephefu l'alị

ndu nọ ndzụ.

<sup>6</sup> Ndu pfüberekoto -huma iya;  
ẹphe atsuhu ebvu;  
ẹphe achịa ya ọchi sụ:

<sup>7</sup> “Unu lewaro; onye ọwa-a bụ  
onye jikaru lę ya te  
ewoduru Chileke eme  
agbaru-ike iya.

O kpotoru obu yeru ẹku,  
o nweru nwegharu iya ẹka;  
bya egude ejo-iphe,  
Ọonoduje emeshi eko  
dzudzudzu.”

<sup>8</sup> Obenu lę mbédúa dù g'oshi  
olivu, jaru àjàjà nödu  
kpukala l'ime eze-ulo  
Chileke.

Mu a-chịru ụpfu kwéé lę  
n-yemobu Chileke  
jeye l'ojejoje.

<sup>9</sup> Mu a-nödu ekele ngu ekele  
jeye l'ojejoje;  
kèle ọo gubedua l'onwongu  
meru iya.

Mu anödukpoepho nwadoo  
ele ngu ẹnya l'ẹka;  
kèle ẹpha ngu dù ree.

Teme mu anödukwaphe  
l'iphu ndu dürü ngu  
nsọ tua ngu ẹpha.

## 53

*Évù, Dévidi kwarụ nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu; g'e gude  
olu aphụ kwaa ya*

<sup>1</sup> Ndu eswe anoduje arị l'ime  
obu phẹ lẹ Chileke  
ta adudu.

Ephe mebyishiwaru onwophẹ;  
iphe, ephe eme bụru  
akpamara;  
ophu ọ dudu m'onye  
lanụ eme iphe, dù ree.

<sup>2</sup> Chileke gbẹ l'imigwe lee ẹnya  
lẹ mgboko-a; mbụ l'ehu  
ụnwu-eliphe;  
gẹ ya maru ?o nweru onye  
kwarụ ẹnya?

Mbụ g'ọ maru ?o nweru onye  
acho yẹbe Chileke?

<sup>3</sup> Ole g'ephe ha tükowaru haa  
uzo jephuhu.

Ephe tükowaru g'ephe ha  
mebyishihukota.

Ọ tọ dudu g'ọ ka mma l'oo  
onye lanụ eme iphe, dù ree.

<sup>4</sup> O dükwa gẹ ndu ono,  
eme ejo-ememe ono te  
nwedu egomunggo;  
mbụ ndu anoduje eri ndibe  
mu g'onye eri nri;  
ophu ephe epfujedu anụ  
Chipfu.

- 5** Ephe bụ ndu ndzụ-agugu  
rwutaru;  
l'eka adudu iphe ndzụ-agugu,  
dụ iya nụ;  
teke Chileke e-woru ọkpu  
ndu tsoru ndibe iya ọgu  
tükashia nanụ nanụ;  
meru iphe-iphere kpua phẹ;  
kèle ọ jíkawaru phẹ.
- 6** O dù mu g'e shi lẹ Zayonu bya  
adzota ndu Ízurelu.  
Jiékópu e-te ẹswa;  
ehu atsoo Ízurelu ụtso  
mẹ Chileke dophuẹpho  
ndibe iya azụ  
l'ọnodu phẹ.

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*Évù, Dévidi kwarụ  
nụ onye-ishi ebvu; g'a  
kpotoru une ye iya*

- Teke ọ kwarụ iya bụ gẹ  
ndu Zifu byaru bya asụ  
Solu lẹ Dévidi wohakwaru  
onwiya l'echilabọ phẹ*
- 1** Gudenụ ẹpha ngu dzọ mu;  
gube Chileke!  
Gudenụ ọkpehu ngu haarụ  
mu enge!
- 2** Numanu epfupfu, mu epfu  
anụ ngu; jiko Chileke.  
Ngabenu nchị; nụma iphe,

shi mu l'ọnū.

<sup>3</sup> Kẹle ndu shi eshishi wụru  
bya mu etso opfu;

Ndu ewebushi akurepho nōdu  
achọ mu ebugbu;  
mbụ ndu ata akpadu  
Chileke ishi m'ilile.

<sup>4</sup> Obenu l'ọo Chileke bụ onye  
eyejeru mu eka.

Ọo Nnajjuphu bụ onye gude  
ndzụ mu.

<sup>5</sup> Gẹ Chileke mekwaa  
g'ejo-iphe, ndu achị mu  
lẹ njọ meru mu  
laphuru phẹ azụ!

Gẹ Chileke mebyishikwaa  
phẹ gude nno goshi  
l'oopfushije ike l'iphe,  
o pfuru.

<sup>6</sup> Mu a-tụ obu mu onyo  
gwetarụ ngu ngwēja.

Mu abya ekele ngu ekele  
gube Chipfu;  
kẹle ẹpha ngu dù ree.

<sup>7</sup> Teme ọ búru ngu  
dzotakotaru mu l'iphe,  
bükpoo iphe-ehuka,  
byapfutaru mu nụ.

Mu byakwapho ahụma l'e  
mekperu ndu ọhogu  
mu phẹ.

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*Évù, Dévidi kwarụ  
nụ onye-ishi ebvu; g'a  
kporu une ye iya*

- <sup>1</sup> Númaro epfupfu, mu epfu  
anụ ngu gube Chileke!  
Ba agbakwa mu nkuchi;  
kẹ g'i ba anuma arwɔrwo,  
mu arwọ ngu.
- <sup>2</sup> Ngabèru mu nchị zaa mu  
enu l'oku, mu eku ngu!  
Ọriri mu anoduje egburwashị  
mu ehu;  
k'ophu o meru; mu nodu  
anoduje atsụ oke ude.
- <sup>3</sup> Iphe, kparụ iya nụ bụru olu  
ndu ọhogu mu, mu anụ;  
waa mkpawere,  
ndu ẹjo-iphe eme mu;  
kèle ẹphe anoduje achịru  
mu ẹjo idzu;  
bya egude ehu-eghu  
epfubyishi mu.
- <sup>4</sup> Aphụ jiru mu obu;  
anwụhu nodu eye mu  
ebvu eyeshikpọ mu  
iya ike.
- <sup>5</sup> Ndụ agụ mu agụshikpoo mu  
ike;  
ehu nodu aphụkota  
mu kpaakpaakpaa.  
Ishi nodu anyị mu ẹdzu.
- <sup>6</sup> Mu sụ l'ọ dụ mu g'a sụ lẹ mu

furu ñkù gẹ ndo;  
 mẹ mu ephefuẹpho je achọ  
 eka mu a-nodu tuta unme;  
<sup>7</sup> mẹ mu epheẹpho  
 phemihu je eburu l'echięgu;  
<sup>8</sup> mẹ mu emeẹpho ẹgwegwa  
 lashia l'ulo-mgbobuta mu;  
 mbụ eka oke pherephere  
 adudu.

<sup>9</sup> Mebyishinaa idzu ndu  
 ejo-iphe jiko Nnajịuphu!  
 L'ighashia phẹ olu-opfu!  
 Kele mu hụmaru lẹ ndu  
 mkpukpu ono eme  
 nwibe phẹ mkpawere;  
 teme ẹphe nodu  
 ese opfu.

<sup>10</sup> Ephe anoduje awụ-phe  
 l'igbulọ mkpukpu ono:  
 eswe l'enyaashi.

Iphe-eji yee iphe-ehuka nodu  
 azogba g'o dụ phẹ  
 l'ime mkpukpu ono.

<sup>11</sup> Ejo-iphe pfukwarupho  
 l'echilabọ iya;  
 teme ọphu mkpamẹhu  
 yee ụghoshi alufujedu alufu  
 l'edupfu phẹ.

<sup>12</sup> Ome ọ bụ l'oo ndu ọhogu mu  
 anma mu phulaphula;  
 mẹ mu -atamikwaa ya  
 lẹ nshi.

Ọzoo ọme l'oo onye mu dụ

ashị bẹ etu onwiya  
 ọphushugbu l'eka mu nọ;  
 mẹ mu -edomikwaaru  
 iya onwomu.

13 Obenu l'oo gubedua,  
 bụ onye ẹbo mu;  
 bya abụru onye mu l'iya  
 aswị ọswi;  
 bya eshikwapho ọnnyà  
 bẹ ọ gbẹ bụru.

14 Mbụ onye mu l'iya  
 kwatakpo eshi ụtso;  
 bya abụru onye mu  
 l'iya atukojie swiru eje  
 l'eze-ulø Chileke.

15 G'ọnwu byakwa egbukwota  
 ndu ọhogu mu egbukwota!  
 G'ephe bükwaru ndu ee-li  
 lẹ ndzu!  
 Kele ejo-iphe kwawaru  
 ịkwato l'ime obu phe.

16 Obenu lẹ mbędua bụ Chileke  
 bẹ mu araku;  
 kèle mu maru lẹ Chipfu  
 e-mechaa bya adzoo mu.

17 Mu egudeje olu aphụ echiku  
 iya lẹ mkpu l'uzenyashi;  
 mẹ l'utsu; waa l'eswe.  
 Mu maru-a l'oo-mecha  
 nüma olu mu.

18 Qo-nafuta mu l'eka ndu  
 etso mu ọgu.  
 Ẹphe -dụkpokwaa igwerigwe

- g'ephe aduhabe bę  
qo-nafutaele mu-a.  
 O tọ dudu iphe, ephe eme mu.  
 19 Chileke, bu onye shi l'ichee  
     nöduta l'aba-eze iya  
     bę a-numa olu mu;  
     bya anüa phę chijipfuu.  
 Kele ephe jikaru agbanwe;  
     teme ophu ephe atsudu  
     Chileke ebvu.  
 20 Onye mu l'iya shi aswị ọswi  
     tsoru ọnnyà iya ọgu;  
     shi nno mebyia ọgbandzu,  
     ephe l'iya gbaru.  
 21 Opfu, shi iya l'ọnun nödu echı  
     buruburu g'ükpa;  
     ole iphe, jiru iya obu  
     bu ndümashi.  
 Mbụ l'opfu iya atụ atụtu ge  
     manụ ụrwazi;  
     ole ootsu nkọ g'ogu-echi,  
     a bataru nkọ.  
 22 Woru iphe ono, e boru ngu g'i  
     vuru ono haarụ Chipfu.  
 Qo-dụ-a ike gudeshia ngu;  
     kélé ọ tọ byadu aha  
     ndu pfüberekoto  
     g'ephe daa.  
 23 Obenu l'oo gubedua,  
     bu Chileke l'e-duru ndu  
     ejo-iphe duba l'ime ilu;  
     eka ephe a-nödu rekashihu.  
 Ndu egbu ọchi waa ndu

ntuphu-ire bẹ i tii kwedu  
 g'ephe kpoo ụpfu  
 l'eliphe-a.  
 Obenu lẹ mbędua bụ ngu bẹ  
 mu dakoberu.

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
 nụ onye-ishi ebvu;  
 g'e gude olu ebvu, "Ndo beru  
 l'achi, nọ ụzenya" gụa ya*

*Teke o deru iya bụ  
 gẹ ndu Filisitayinu  
 guderu iya lẹ Gatu*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chileke; phunaaru mu  
 obu-imemini;  
 a -nonyaa; ndiphe woru  
 mu lwee elwelwe;  
 lẹ ndu ọhogu mu anoduje  
 akpa mu ẹhu  
 mkpurumkpuru.

<sup>2</sup> Mkpurumkpuru bẹ ndu achị  
 mu lẹ njo anoduje achị mu  
 kpabekpabe;  
 mbụ l'a dù igwerigwe gude  
 eku-onwonye etso  
 mu ọgu.

<sup>3</sup> Ndzu -nodu agụ mu; bue ngu  
 pho bẹ mu adakobeje.

<sup>4</sup> Oo Chileke ono, mu anoduje  
 aja opfu iya ajaja ono bẹ  
 mu dakoberu.

Ọphu ndzu agudu mu;

?bụ gunu bẹ nemadzụ  
mmanụ sụru mu ememe?

<sup>5</sup> Tekenteke bẹ ẹphe ewojeru  
opfu mu gha igharaphu.

Iphe, bükpoo iphe, ẹphe  
aríkpo aríri buepho  
g'ẹphe eshi mee mu ejo-iphe.

<sup>6</sup> Ẹphe dzukoberu bya  
edomishia onwophẹ.  
Mbụ l'ẹphe anoduje edo ọkpa  
mu achokpoeopho uzo,  
ẹphe e-shi gbua mu.

<sup>7</sup> ?Ephé e-gude eme ejo-ememe  
ono nahụ tọo?

Jiko Chileke; gudenụ oke  
eħu-eħu ngu chitsushia  
ndu ono l'ophu.

<sup>8</sup> I mawaru g'ọotsube mu l'ehu.  
I mawaru gę mu kwashiberu  
eňya-mini.

?Ti tukoduru iphemiphe ono  
dekota l'ekwo ngu?

<sup>9</sup> Mu -rakuę ngu pho bẹ ndu  
ohogu mu adakobe  
gbaphu azu.

Ọphu doru mu eňya bụ lẹ Chileke  
nọ l'eka iya nkemu.

<sup>10</sup> Oo Chileke ono, mu anoduje  
aja opfu iya ajaja ono;  
mbụ Chipfu ono,  
mu anoduje aja opfu iya  
ajaja ono;

<sup>11</sup> Oo Chileke ono bẹ mu dakoberu;

ophu ndzụ agụdu mu;  
 ?bụ gụnu bẹ nemadzụ sụru  
 mu ememe?

<sup>12</sup> Gube Chileke; iphe, mu rifuru  
 angụ lẹ mu e-meru ngu  
 bükwa mu bẹ o  
 tukoru l'ishi.

Mu a-bya egweru  
 ngweja-ekele nụ ngu;  
<sup>13</sup> noo kẹle i nafutaru ndzụ  
 mu l'eka ọnwu;  
 bya emekwapho gę mu  
 te vukota iphe daa iko.

Ọo ya bụ gę mu azoo ije  
 l'iphu Chileke l'eka  
 ịphóró dürü ndu  
 nọ ndzụ.

## 57

*Ebvu-ọma, Dévidi deru nụ  
 onye-ishi ebvu; ishi ebvu iya  
 bụ “Be mekwa gę mu laa l'iyi”*

*Teke o deru iya bụ  
 teke ọ nahụru Sọlu gbala;  
 je anodu l'ime ogba*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chileke; meeru mu  
 eze-iphe-ọma!

Jiko meeru mu rọ eze-iphe-ọma!  
 Kẹle ọo l'eka ngu bẹ mu nọ  
 ezeru ndzụ.

Mu a-nodu lẹ mkpula oke  
 ñkù ngu ezeru ndzụ;  
 jasụ teke ejo-iphe-ehuka,

byaru mu nụ-a  
a-bvüebe.

<sup>2</sup> Mu araku Chileke;  
mbụ Okalibe-kakọta-shii;  
mbụ Chileke, atukoje  
iphemiphemekötaru  
mu.

<sup>3</sup> Oo-gbẹ l'imigwe zia g'a bya  
adzọo mu;  
bya emeru iphere tụ  
ndu ono, achị mu  
kpabékpabe ono.

Chileke e-goshi mu l'o yeru  
mu obu; bya abụru  
onye apfụshije ike l'iphe,  
o pfuru.

<sup>4</sup> Mu nọ l'echilabọ oduma;  
mbụ-a; mu zékwa  
l'echilabọ anụ-egbudu,  
atajẹ anụ nemadzụ.

Ndu ézé phẹ dù g'arwa;  
dù g'apfụ;  
teme ire phẹ nodu atsụ  
nkọ g'ogu-echi.

<sup>5</sup> Goshinu ndiphe g'i paberu  
eka; mbụ l'i noghataru  
akpaminigwe anoghata;  
ge ndiphe l'ophu ahụma  
g'i dù-be biribiri.

<sup>6</sup> Ephe geru ụgbu kwabẹru mu  
l'uzo, mu eshi.

Oo ya bụ; ẹhu rwụshihue  
mu pho arwụshihu.

Ẹphe gbèshi je ebua nsụ dobe  
mu l'atatiphu.

Ole ẹphe mecharu daba lẹ  
nsụ ọbu l'onwophe.

<sup>7</sup> Obu shihukwaru mu ike  
Chileke;  
k'ophu bụ lẹ mu e-gude  
obu mu g'o ha agụ ebvu  
etu ngu ẹpha.

<sup>8</sup> Obu mu; tehu nwuru ẹnya.  
Unu tehu nwuru ẹnya;  
unubẹ ogelenda yẹe une;  
kẹle mbẹdua e-gudekwa  
ebvu kutee geregere  
nchi-abohu lẹ mgbenya.

<sup>9</sup> Mu a-nodu l'echilabọ ndiphe  
kele ngu ekele  
gube Nnajiuphu.

Mu anodukwapho l'echilabọ  
oha l'ophu gụa ebvu  
gude tua ngu ẹpha.

<sup>10</sup> Noo kẹle n-yemobu ngu  
parụ ẹka.

Ọ tükoru imigwe l'ophu vọo  
pfurupfuru.

Teme ire-lanụ nkengu dzuru  
akpaminigwe.

<sup>11</sup> Goshinu ndiphe g'i paberu ẹka;  
mbụ l'i noghataru  
akpaminigwe anoghata;  
ge ndiphe l'ophu ahụma g'i  
dụ-be biribiri.

## 58

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu; iyi ebvu iya  
bu “Be mekwa gę mu laa l'iyi”*

<sup>1</sup> Unubę ogbo-ikpe;

?o dukporu-a teke opfu,  
pfuru ọto eshije unu  
l'ọnụ futa?

?Unu pfubejekporu-a eka  
ọto kpee  
ụnwu-eliphe ikpe?

<sup>2</sup> Waawakwa! Iphe, unu arije  
l'ime obu unu buepho  
g'unu e-shi mee iphe,  
apfuduru-ọto.

Ọ bụru mkpawere bę unu  
anoduje eme ụnwu-eliphe.

<sup>3</sup> Ndu ẹjo-iphe eshije lę teke  
ephe nọ l'ephə ne phę  
shiswee ụzo.

Ephe akpaphuhuje lę teke a  
dukwaduro ime phę.

Adzụ uka eshi phę lę dędede.

<sup>4</sup> Eru, ephe ataję egbu ebugbugu  
g'erule ẹjo agwọ.

Ephe swo-chishiru nchị ada  
nkuchi g'oghu;

<sup>5</sup> mbụ oghu, ata anuedu opu,  
onye rwaru iya eka l'iphu egbu;  
gude epfurụ iya opfu;  
m'o betakpọ o gbua ya  
k'erengete igbu-agha.

**6** Kpaa phę eze, n{o} phę l'önü  
jiko Chileke!

Jiko Chipfu; swoşhinaa  
oduma ono ępyii ono,  
nogbaa phę l'önü ono!

**7** G'ephe tashihukwa g'eka  
mini soro soghata.

Ęphe -setaępho ụta phę kę  
kikiki g'ephe gbaa;  
mekwaa g'apfụ phę bürü  
inyiribachi!

**8** G'ephe du g'eji, rwubashihuru  
erwubashihu.

G'ephe te egudekwa ẹnya  
phę hümä ẹnyanwu ge nwata,  
ne iya kworu ekwokwo.

**9** K'ophu bu; ęswa, a tsüberu  
l'ite -bya eme g'oku  
ngaa ẹnishi ite ono;

Chileke egudewaa oke  
ęhu-eghu iya zikota ite  
ono g'oke pherephere;  
m'o beta iphe, e shiberu l'ite  
ono dükxadu oyi;  
ozoo l'qobyawaa eghehu.

**10** Ndu pfüberekoto bę ęhu  
a-ts{o} ụtso;  
m'ephe hümäephо lę  
Chileke apfụwa ndu  
ęjo-iphe ugwo iphe-ęji,  
ęphe meru;  
mbu m'ephe wataępho azo  
ndu ęjo-iphe pyaapyaa.

**11** Qo ya bụ; ndiphe epfuahaa sụ:  
 “Ndu pfuberekoto bẹ obunggo  
 dükwaru eviya;  
 mbụ l'o kwa ire-lanu l'o  
 nweru Chileke, ekpeje  
 eliphe-a ikpe!”

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru nụ  
 onye-ishi ebvu; ishi ebvu iya  
 bụ “Be mekwa gẹ mu laa l'iyi”*

*Teke o gürü iya bụ teke  
 Solu yeru ndu nc̄he, eje  
 anq̄du eche ulo, o nq̄  
 nc̄he g'e gbua ya*

**1** Nafuta mu l'eka ọhogu mu;  
 jiko Chileke mu!

Gbaaru mu ọdzori l'iphu ndu  
 wulihuru vüpyabe mu!

**2** Nafuta mu l'eka ndu eme  
 ejio-ememe!

Dzq̄o mu l'eka ndu  
 mgbugb̄umadzu!

**3** Kele-a; gube Chipfu;  
 lewaro l'ephe domishiru  
 onwophé kwabę g'ephe  
 gbua mu.

Ndu nweru ọkpehu wulihuru  
 etso mu opfu;  
 ẹbe abụ l'o dūru ekemu,  
 ẹphe tūru, mu mebyijeru;  
 teme ọphu ọ dudu g'ephe

- ha, mu tüpyajeru.
- <sup>4</sup> Ephe gbaru je edozia onwophe  
g'ephe tsoo mu ọgu;  
l'ebé adú iphe, mu meru phé.  
Jiko gbalihu; bya eyeru mu  
eka!
- Lenaa ejo ọnodu, mu no!
- <sup>5</sup> Jiko Chipfu; mbụ Chileke,  
bu Okalibe-Kakota-Ike;  
bya abụru Chileke kę  
ndu Ízurelu;  
tehu etehu; je anụa ọhamoha,  
bu lę mgboko aphụ!
- Ba adukwa ndu ejo-iphe ono,  
elekebeje ẹnya eme iphe,  
a-tsuru nwibe phé ono,  
ii-phụru obu-imemini!
- <sup>6</sup> Oobujeru; ẹphe -lwa  
l'uzenyashi;  
ẹphe aba hanyihanyi  
ge nkuta; tsoru mkpukpu  
ejephe.
- <sup>7</sup> Lewaro ẹnya; ẹphe -saa ọnụ  
phé túa nkọ ge nkuta;  
Ogu-echi eshi phé l'ire  
ngushihu.
- Ephe edobesuro l'o tọ dùdu  
onye nümaru iphe,  
ẹphe epfu.
- <sup>8</sup> Olobuele-a ọchi bę gube  
Chipfu achije phé.  
Oo ọchi bę ọhamoha ono  
anoduje ezi ngu.

<sup>9</sup> Oo gube Chileke bụ agbarike  
mù.

Mu chiru ẹnya mu dzee l'eka  
ị nọ.

O bụru l'ime ngu bẹ mu  
gbabarụ je ezeeru ndzụ.

<sup>10</sup> Chileke, bụ onye yeru mu  
obu bẹ a-gba mu ndzuta.

Chileke e-kwe gẹ mu gude  
ẹnya mu hụma l'e  
mekperu ndu ọhogu  
mu.

<sup>11</sup> Be gbukwa phẹ ebugbugu  
gube Chipfu,  
 bụ onye mgbobuta anyi!

Ọdumeka bẹ ndibe anyi  
a-zohakwa iya.

Gudechia ike nkengu  
chikashia phẹ!

Mee phẹ; mekpee phẹ!

<sup>12</sup> Iphe, bükotakpoo opfu,  
eshije phẹ l'ọnụ  
abujeerupho  
mkpokoro opfu.

Mbụ l'opfu, eshije phẹ  
l'ogbogboromọnụ futa  
abükotajeerupho iphe-eji.

Teme ẹphe nodu egudeje ọnụ  
phẹ adzụ ụka;  
bya egude iya atụ nwibe  
phẹ ọnụ.

Oo ya bụ; g'ekuku ono,  
ẹphe anoduje eku

onwophę ono nmakwaa phę  
g'ónyà.

<sup>13</sup> Gudenu oke ęhu-eghu ngu  
mebyishia phę!

Mbu g'iimebyishia phę  
gbiriri jasụ teke ęphe  
a-bvuebe!

Ọo ya bu g'unwu-eliphe  
l'ophu amaru l'oo Chileke bu  
Eze ndu Ízurelu;  
teme l'o bu eze  
unwu-eliphe mgburugburu.

<sup>14</sup> Qobujeru; ęphe -lwa  
l'uzenyashi;  
ęphe aba hanyihanyi ge  
nkuta; tsoru  
mkpukpu ejephe.

<sup>15</sup> Ęphe anoduje awuphe acho  
eka ęphe e-ri nri.

Ọ -buru l'ęphe te erijiduru  
ępho; ęphe agbọahaa  
ire ge nkuta.

<sup>16</sup> Obenu lę mbędua a-gụ ebvu  
gude tụa ọnụ g'okpehu  
ngu habe shii.

Utsu mbọku-mbọku bę mu aguje  
ebvu ęhu-ütso gude goshi  
g'eye obu ngu habe.

Noo kele ọo l'ime ngu bę mu  
agbabaję je edomia  
onwomu.

Teme ọ buru ngu bę mu  
agbabaję l'ime je ezeeru ndzụ;

mẹ mu nodu eje iphe-éhuka.  
<sup>17</sup> Gube ike, du mu nụ;  
 mu a-gụ ebvu tua ngu ẹpha.  
 Noo kélé ọ o l'ime gube  
 Chileke bụ onye yeru mu  
 obu bẹ mu gbabarụ je  
 edomia onwomu.

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*Ebvu-ọma, Dévidi deru nụ  
 onye-ishi ebvu;  
 g'e gude olu ebvu,  
 "Ojimbvu Ọgbandzu" gụa ya.*

*Teke o deru iya bụ teke ẹphe  
 le ndu Arámu-Naharayimu  
 waa ndu Arámu-Zoba  
 lwuru ọgu; mbụ teke ono,  
 Jiowabu lwarụ bya etsoo  
 ndu Edomu ọgu bya  
 lwụ-kpee phẹ;  
 gbua ụnu ojogu ụkporo l'iri  
 le Nsuda Unú.*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chileke; i jikawaru  
 anyi woru anyi tükaa  
 nanụ nanụ.  
 I shi avụru anyi ọvuma.  
 Ole nta-a bẹ anyi arwọ ngu  
 su  
 g'i ghanaaru anyi iphu ọzo jiko.  
<sup>2</sup> Oo ngu meru eliphe;  
 o nmaa jjijiji;  
 bya emee ya;  
 ọ gbawashịhu.

Nta-a bụ g'i menaa g'eka  
 i mekarụ iya iphe  
 kpochite;  
 kèle ọongakwa anganga.

<sup>3</sup> I hawaru ndibe ngu;  
 ẹphe jee iphe-ehuka;  
 bya echee anyi mée;  
 anyi ngụa akpọ kulakula.

<sup>4</sup> Obenu lẹ ndu atsụ ngu  
 ebvu bẹ i nṣuru  
 ékwa-ohubama;  
 g'ephe chilia gude lwụa  
 ọgu k'okpobe opfu ono.

<sup>5</sup> Gudenụ ọkperehu ngu dzota  
 anyi; zanụ anyi enu;  
 k'ophu ee-shi nno dzoo  
 ndu i yeru obu.

<sup>6</sup> Chileke nowaa l'ulo iya,  
 dù nsọ pfua opfu sụ:  
 "Mu e-gude agbọ ọgboo  
 kewashịa ali ndu Shékemu.

Teme mu eworu nsüda  
 Sukọtu bushia.

<sup>7</sup> Giladu bụ nkemu;  
 Manásẹ bùkwarupho  
 nkemu.

Ifuremu bụ okpu, mu  
 kpu l'ishi.

Jiuda bùkwanuru  
 mgboró-eze, mu apajé  
 l'eka.

<sup>8</sup> Mówabu bụ ochi, mu akwoje  
 ọkpa.

Ọ bükwanuru lẹ Edomu bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
 mu eyeshije akpokpa  
 mu dobe.

Ndu Filisitayinu bẹ mu  
 gbówaru ṥgboo kpua.”

<sup>9</sup> ?Bụ onye e-du mu chiriri  
 werere duba lẹ mkpukpu ono,  
 a kpuru kpüşchia ike ono?

Mbụ-a; ?bụ onye e-duru mu  
 duba lẹ Edomu?

<sup>10</sup> Ọ kwa gubedua Chileke bụ  
 onye ọbu.

Obenu l'i gbé jíka anyi;  
 ophu i tii tsojeéduru ndu  
 ojogu anyi eje ogu.

<sup>11</sup> Yeru anyi eka jiko g'anyi  
 mekpee ndu ọhogu  
 anyi;  
 kélé eye eka k'unwu-eliphe,  
 bụ iphe-mmanụ.

<sup>12</sup> Obenu l'anyi -noduwa  
 Chileke l'eka bẹ anyi  
 e-mekpe phẹ gẹ mkparawa.

Ọ bụru iya e-hu ndu ọhogu  
 anyi agbagba-nchị  
 l'alị.

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*Ebvu, Dévidi deru nụ  
 onye-ishi ebvu; g'a  
 kpotoru unu ye iya  
<sup>1</sup> Numanu mkpu, mu echị jiko  
 Chileke!*

Ngabẹ́ nchị́ l'epfupfu, mu  
epfu anụ́ ngu!

<sup>2</sup> Mu nō l'eka igwe beru  
ali beru echiku ngu lę  
mkpu.

Noo kélé meji atofu mu atofu.  
Dunuru mu je edobe l'oke  
mkpuma, ka mu l'eli!

<sup>3</sup> Kéle oo ngu bẹ́ mu gbabarú  
l'ime ngu je edomia  
onwomu;  
bya abükwaru ngu pho  
bụ́ ụlo-mgbobuta,  
mu bahụru shi nno  
nahụ́ ndu ọhogu mu.

<sup>4</sup> Oogukwa mu eğú gę́ mu buru  
l'ibe ngu jasụ́ l'ojejoje;  
mbụ́ gę́ mu nođujewaro lę  
mkpula eze ñkù́ ngu  
ezeru ndzụ́.

<sup>5</sup> Kéle gübé Chileke nümawaru  
iphe, mu rifuru angu  
lę mu e-meru ngu.

I mewaru gę́ mu tsoru ndu  
akwabę́ ępha ngu ùbvù;  
keta iphe-ọma, iimejeru  
phę́.

<sup>6</sup> Mena a g'eze nođu ndzụ́  
ogologo!

G'apha, oo-nọ́ l'eliphe-a shinu  
l'ogbo sweru ögbo!

<sup>7</sup> G'aba-eze iya nođunu l'atatiphu  
Chileke jasụ́ l'ojejoje!

Jiko g'iphe, ii-gude eche  
 iya nche bükwaru  
 n-yemobu ngu;  
 yee apfushi ike,  
 iipfushije l'iphe,  
 i pfuru.

<sup>8</sup> Oo ya bụ gẹ mu agụa ebvu  
 gude tua ngu ẹpha  
 jasụ l'ojejoje;  
 bya emebekota iphemiphe,  
 mu rifuru angu  
 ememe mboku-mboku.

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*Ebvu-ọma, Dévidi deru nụ  
 onye-ishi ebvu, bụ Jiedutunu*

<sup>1</sup> Oo ẹpho Chileke kpoloko bẹ  
 mu daru ngabẹru.

Kele oo ya bụ onye a-dzota  
 mu nụ.

<sup>2</sup> Oo yébedua nwékiya bẹ bụ  
 agbara-mkpuma nkemu;  
 bya abụru iya bụ Chileke,  
 adzoje mu nụ;  
 bya abụru onye mu  
 agbabajé l'ime iya  
 l'oodomia mu.

Oo ya bụ l'o tọ dudu onye  
 byaru l'enwubata mu  
 enwubata.

<sup>3</sup> ?Bụ teke ole bẹ unu  
 e-tsuberu nwoke  
 ọwa-a otsukputu?

G'unu hakota bẹ e-mechaa  
 tuko bürü mkpurupyata;  
 g'eka igbulọ;  
 ọzoo mgbabu zeru  
 tu-gbushia ndu nọ  
 phẹ l'ime.

<sup>4</sup> Iphe, unu shiberu ite iya bụ  
 g'unu nwufu iya l'aba-eze  
 iya ono.

Adzụ ụka nodu atsọ unu  
 ntumatu.

Unu nodu egudeje  
 ogbogboromọnun  
 agorù nwibe unu  
 ọnun-ọma.

Obenu l'ime obu unu bẹ unu  
 anoduje atụ phẹ ejio ọnun.

<sup>5</sup> Gube obu mu; nodukwa  
 kwaberu Chileke  
 nwękiya.

Kele ọ ya bụ onye mu ele  
 enya l'eka kpoloko.

<sup>6</sup> Oo yębedua nwękiya bẹ  
 bụ agbara-mkpuma  
 nkemu;  
 bya aburu iya bụ Chileke,  
 adzoje mu nụ;  
 bya aburu onye mu agbabajẹ  
 l'ime iya l'o domia mu.

Oo ya bụ l'o tọ dudu onye  
 byaru l'enwubata mu  
 enwubata.

<sup>7</sup> L'aa-dzota mu bụ l'eka  
 Chileke bẹ ọ nọ.

L'aa-kwabẹ mu ùbvù  
 bükwaru iya pho bẹ ọ  
 nọ l'eka.  
 Ọ Chileke bụ eze  
 agbara-mkpuma mu;  
 teme ọ bükwaru iya pho  
 bẹ mu nọ l'eka ezeru ndzụ.  
 8 Unu dakobe iya tekenteke  
 kpoo unubẹ ụnwu-eliphe!  
 Unu woru obu unu gheberu  
 iya ọnụ.  
 L'ọ kwa Chileke bụ onye anyi  
 nọ l'ime iya ezeru ndzụ.  
 9 Amadụ bụ udzu-ọnụ.  
 Ohu bürü iphe, adụdu iphe,  
 ọ bụ.  
 Ọ -büru g'atụa ेrwa phẹ  
 l'iphe, e gudeje tọ  
 ेrwa nemadzụ bẹ ẹphe  
 tuko bürü iphe-iphoro.  
 10 Unu ta akpokwaru obu ye  
 l'eme ndu ozo ewere!  
 Ophu unu egudekwa ana nfụ  
 eku onwunu!  
 O betakpọnụ ęku nọdu  
 abyaru unu  
 nyimunyimu;  
 unu ta akpokwaru obu  
 ye iya!  
 11 Chileke pfluakwaru iphe-a  
 mgbo lanụ.  
 Mbędua nümawa iya  
 ugbo labọ;

mbụ l'ikemike bụ Chileke  
nwekọta iya.

<sup>12</sup> Teme l'oo gube Nnajiuphu bẹ<sup>n</sup>-yemobu kuru ishi l'eka.  
Noo kélé ijipfije onyemonye  
ugwo g'iphe,  
o meru gbaru.

## 63

*Ebvu-ọma, Dévidi deru  
teke o no l'echiegu Jiuda*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chileke; oo ngu bu  
Chileke mu!  
Oo ngu bu onye mu anoduje  
ele enya iya eswe  
l'enyaashi.

Ekpiri gube Chileke  
anoduje akpo  
obu mu jegirijegiri.  
Oghoroko ngu aduje  
mu l'echiegu;  
mbụ l'alị ọkpónku,  
mini adudu.

<sup>2</sup> Mu hümawaru g'ike dù-be  
ngu; yee g'i dù-be  
akpabiri;  
ge mu shi ahümaje iya l'ulo  
ngu, dù nsø.

<sup>3</sup> Mu e-gude ọnù mu jaa ngu  
ajaja;  
noo kélé n-yemobu ngu ka  
ndzụ ree.

<sup>4</sup> Mu a-noduje ekele ngu ekele

- jasụ gẹ mu a-nọ-beru.  
 Teme ọ bụru ẹpha ngu bẹ mu  
     e-gudeje chilia ẹka  
     imeli pfuru nụ ngu.
- <sup>5</sup> Obu mu bẹ ẹpho e-ji g'onye  
     riru nri, e gude ẹba-anụ;  
     waa ụmi okpu iya shia.  
 Ọnu mu e-gudekwanụ  
     ebvu ẹhu-ụtso,  
     dụ mu l'ogbogboromọnu  
     tua ngu ẹpha.
- <sup>6</sup> Oobujeru; mu -zee l'iphe-azẹe  
     mụ; mu anyata ngū.  
 Enyashi l'ophu bẹ mu  
     arikotaje kẹ nkengu.
- <sup>7</sup> Mu nọ lẹ mkpula oke ńkù  
     ngu agụ ebvu ẹhu-ụtso.  
 Noo kèle ọo ngu bụ onye  
     eyejeru mu ẹka.
- <sup>8</sup> Mu anoduje ngu ntse  
     tekenteke.  
 Ọ bụru erekutara ngu bẹ  
     gudeshi mu nụ.
- <sup>9</sup> Ndu achọ ụzo, ẹphe e-shi  
     gbua mu mebyishia  
     ndzụ mu  
     bẹ aa-chịru ye l'alị-maa.
- <sup>10</sup> Ee-gude ogu-echi gbua phẹ  
     pyaapyaa.  
 Ephe abụru nri, a kpatarụ  
     doberu nkuta-ọswa.
- <sup>11</sup> Obenu lẹ Chileke e-me g'ẹhu  
     tsọo eze ụtso.

Iphe, bükpoo ndu egudeje  
 ẹpha Chileke eri angụ  
 bẹ e-tu iya ẹpha.  
 Ọnu ndu ntuphu-ire aburu  
 phẹ kpurukudukuu.

## 64

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
 nụ onye-ishi ebvu*

- <sup>1</sup> Jiko Chileke; nümanu mkpu,  
 mu echị ẹka mu epfu anụ ngu!  
 Gbochite mu gẹ mu ta  
 noduhe atsụ ndu ọhogu  
 mu ebvu.
- <sup>2</sup> Domia mu g'ego-idzu,  
 ndu ego-iphe achịru mu te erwu  
 mu l'ehu; mbụ hanyihanyi,  
 ẹphe aba ekpu mu;  
 mbụ ndu eme ego-ememe.
- <sup>3</sup> Ndu abajẹ ire phẹ g'onye aba  
 mma.  
 Mbụ ndu anoduje agba njo  
 opfu phẹ g'onye agba apfụ.
- <sup>4</sup> Ẹphe edomije onwophe  
 kwaberi onye dubebe ree.  
 Onye ono -bya amaru;  
 apfụ abuwari iya nụ  
 l'ehu kẹ pfụ.
- <sup>5</sup> O to nwedu iphe, ndzụ iya  
 agụ phẹ mẹ nanụ.  
 Ephe anoduje eyeru nwibe  
 phẹ ọkpu-ikike g'ephe  
 kebe ẹhu l'eme iphe-eji.

Ẹphe epfije sụ l'ẹphe e-je  
agbakacha ónyà phẹ  
lẹ mpya.

Ẹphe pfuchaa nno; ẹphe asụ:  
“?Bukwanu onye abya  
phẹ ahumá?”

<sup>6</sup> Oo ya bụ; ẹphe -chichaa  
ejo-idzu; ẹphe asụ:  
“Idzu, anyi chiru nta-a  
dükpoo ree dù-ghee  
ya adụ-ghe!”

Uche amadụ yee obu iya bẹ<sup>7</sup>  
eregede pakwarụ eka.

Obenu lẹ Chileke e-seta apfụ;  
ẹphe -bya amaru bẹ ọ-gbakata  
phẹ tūa l'alị.

<sup>8</sup> Chileke e-me g'ẹphe vukota  
abali dagbua ọchii.

Ọ bürü iphe, opfu ọnụ  
phẹ kpatarụ.

Iphe, bükpoo ndu hụmaru  
iya nụ bẹ e-kwe l'ishi  
gude kweru phẹ une.

<sup>9</sup> Ndzụ e-rwuta amadụ l'ophu.  
Ẹphe e-pfukashịa iphe ono,  
Chileke meru ono;  
bya ebvuru shii rịa ya ọriri.

<sup>10</sup> G'ehu tsoo ndu pfuberekoto  
ütso l'ime Chipfu!

G'ẹphe gbabakwa l'ime iya je  
domia onwophe!

G'iphe, bükpoo ndu obu phẹ  
guru iphóró tukwaa

ya ẹpha!

## 65

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nu onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chileke; o du ree g'anyi  
nodu lę Zayonu tua  
ngu ẹpha!

Anyi e-medzukotaru ngu iphe,  
anyi riburu angu  
l'anyi e-meru ngu.

<sup>2</sup> Oo gube onye ono, azajé oku  
m'e pfuru nü ngu bę<sup>1</sup>  
onyemonye a-wu-pfuta.

<sup>3</sup> Teke iphe-eji shi kapyabę anyi  
bę i shiéle-a anoduje  
aguru anyi nvü l'ejo-iphe  
anyi.

<sup>4</sup> Ehu-ütso bę a goru nü onye  
ono, i hotaru dokube  
onwongu

Gę gu l'iya nodu l'ibe ngu.  
Iphe, du ree, nö l'ibe ngu  
ejije anyi ẹpho;  
mbü iphe, du ree,  
nö l'eze-ulo ngu, du nsö.

<sup>5</sup> Gube Chileke, bu onye  
ndzota anyi;  
iphe, iigudeje zaa anyi ẹnu  
bu iphe, du ebvu,  
egoshi apfubekoto nkengu.

Ndu bu l'eka igwe beru ali

beru;  
 waa ndu bu lę mgboru ęnyimu,  
 kachakpoo anodu ęnya bu  
 ngu bę ęphe tuko chiru  
 ụpfu kwęe;  
<sup>6</sup> mbụ gube onye bu ọkpehu  
 ngu bę i gude mee úbvú;  
 ęphe nguchaaru anguru  
 l'eka ęphe nogbaa.

I keru onwongu ọkpehu  
 g'onye keru akpọ l'upfu.

<sup>7</sup> Ęnyimu, aso gborogboro  
 bę iimeje l'oderu yekete;  
 mbụ l'ọotu-buhu akpara.

Ọhamoha -nodu aba hanyihanyi  
 bę iimeje;  
 ęphe adaa ke  
 nyọnivoronyo.

<sup>8</sup> Ndu bu ụzenya bę anoduje  
 anma pyaapyaapyaa

M'ęphe nüma k'iphe,  
 du biribiri, iimegbabę.

Ndu shi l'uzo ęnyanwu-awawa;  
 waa ndu ụzo ęnyanwu-ariba  
 bę iimeje g'ęphe tịa ụzu-ęhu-ụtso.

<sup>9</sup> I gbaru mini l'eliphe teke i  
 byaru iya agbaphe;  
 shi nno mee ya;  
 o búru ali oma.

Ęnyimu nkengu bę i meru gę  
 mini ji ejiji.

Ndiphe l'ophu bę i meru g'iphe,  
 ęphe kóberu l'alị nodu emehuru;

kélé ọo ẹgube ono bẹ i  
meru iya g'ọ dù.

**10** Mini bẹ i dzeru;  
ọ dörü adörü l'enyoru.

I bya alwaa yégeyege  
mini gude mee igbo;  
ọ dù nwuhanwuha;  
shi nno goru ọnụ-oma nụ iya  
mee iphe, a kóberu iya  
wata efushi.

**11** I bya eworu eka-atụtu  
nkengu kpube apha  
g'okpu-eze.

Teme iphe, bükpoo ụzo,  
i shiru bẹ i dzeru iphe,  
dù ree gẹ mini.

**12** Eswa bya erwushia  
nödugbaa kẹ nyimunyimu  
l'echiegu.

Teme ẹhu-ụtso doerupho kẹ  
nyimunyimu l'úbvú.

**13** Eka eecheje iphe-edobe  
bẹ atụru kürü ata nri.

Nsüda bụ iphe, jiru iya nụ  
bụ iphe-akụku,  
a kürü iya.

Iphemiphe ono tükoru akwa  
ẹvu; agụ ebvu ẹhu-ụtso.

## 66

*Ebvu-oma, e deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Unu túa ụzu ẹhu-ụtso gude jaa

Chileke;  
unubẹ ụnwu-eliphe l'ophu!

<sup>2</sup> Unu gụa ebvu gude kutsee  
ephä iya!

Unu etua ya ephä; jaa ya  
ajaja!

<sup>3</sup> Unu sụ Chileke: “Ha!  
Iphemiphe, ijinoduje  
eme dükwa ebvu!

Ike ngu parụ eka k'ophu bụ le  
ndu ọhogu ngu adajé  
kpurumu l'iphu ngu;  
eka ndzụ agụ phë.

<sup>4</sup> Ndiphe mgburugburu adajé  
kpurumu l'iphu ngu baarụ  
ngu ejá; gụa ebvu nụ ngu;  
mbụ l'ephe aguje ebvu  
gude kutsee ephä ngu.”

<sup>5</sup> Unu byanụ ahụma ozi,  
Chileke jeru!

Chileke dükwa ebvu l'iphe,  
oomeru ụnwu-eliphe.

<sup>6</sup> Onye meru enyimu;  
o bụru ali, kpohuru nkụ.  
Ephe gude ọkpa ghaa enyimu  
ono.

Ehu-ütso ozi, o jeru tsorù  
anyi teke anyi nọ l'eka ono.

<sup>7</sup> O gude ike ọkpu nkiya bụru  
eze ojejoje.

Enya iya nödu ahümakotaje  
ọhamoha!

Ọ ya bụ g'o tọ dükwa ndu

ẹjo ọkpoma ono l'e-je  
iya atüpya!

<sup>8</sup> Unu tua Chileke anyi ẹpha;  
unubẹ ụnwu-eliphe!

G'a nümanu ajaja, unu a-ja iya!

<sup>9</sup> L'ọo ya doberu anyi ndzụ;  
bya emee g'okpa nguru  
anyi anguru g'o to chifu.

<sup>10</sup> Noo kélé gube Chileke  
hụwaru anyi ama;  
bya emee anyi; anyi dù ree  
gẹ mkpola-ọchaa, a hụru l'ọku.

<sup>11</sup> I dutaru anyi duru ye  
l'ónyà;  
bya eworu oke ivu tukobe  
anyi l'okpurukpu.

<sup>12</sup> I meru g'ụnwu-eliphe wee  
anyi ishi kperekpere.

Anyi jeru iphe, anwụ chiru anyi;  
mini nmaa anyi.

Ole i mechaarụ duta anyi bya  
edobe l'eka anyi tüşaru ẹhu.

<sup>13</sup> Mu e-gude  
ngweja-akpọ-ọku je  
l'ulo ngu.

Mu edemzukotaru ngu iphe,  
mu rifuru angụ lẹ mu  
e-meru ngu.

<sup>14</sup> Mbụ iphe, mu gude  
ogbogboromọn mu  
kweta;  
bya egude ọnmu pfua  
lẹ mu e-meru ngu;

teke mu eje iphe-ehleruka.

15 Mu a-kputa ebili, tsuru ẹba  
je egude gweeru ngu  
ngweja-akpo-oku.

Mu egbuaru ngu oke-eswi;  
gbushiaru ngu eghu.

16 Unu byakpôdapho bya  
angabé nchị; iphe,  
bükpoo unubé ndu atsụ  
Chileke ebvu;  
ge mu kotoru unu iphe, o  
meru lè ndzụ mu.

17 Mu gude ọnmu mu ọwa-a  
raku iya.

Mu gude ire mu tua ya ẹpha.

18 Ọme mu meru iphe-eji kwachia  
l'obu mu;  
mẹ Nnajiuphu tege  
angabékwa nchị anumá  
olu mu.

19 Obenu lè Chileke ngabéru  
nchị;  
numá olu mu ọkpobe anumá  
teke mu epfu anụ iya.

20 G'e tukwaa Chileke ẹpha;  
mbụ onye ajikaduru  
angabe nchị numá epfupfu,  
mu epfu anụ iya;  
teme ọphu ọ hadürü egoshi  
lè ya yeru mu obu.

# 67

*Ebvu-oma, e deru onye-ishi  
ebvu; g'a kporu une ye iya*

<sup>1</sup> Gẹ Chileke meeru anyi  
eze-iphe-oma;  
gоро ọnụ-oma nụ anyi;  
mekwapho g'iphu tüşahu  
iya l'ehu anyi.

<sup>2</sup> K'ophu ụnwu-eliphe a-maru  
uzo ngu;  
teme ọhamoha  
amakwarupho  
l'iidzotaje nemadzu.

<sup>3</sup> G'ụnwu-eliphe kelenụ gube  
Chileke ekele!  
G'iphe, bükpoo nemadzu  
mgburugburu kele  
ngu ekele!

<sup>4</sup> G'ehu tsọnaa ọhamoha ụtso;  
g'ephe tọnaa ụzu  
ehu-ụtso!  
Kele ndiphe l'ophu bẹ iikpeje  
ikpe, pfuru oto;  
teme ọ bụru ngu anoduje  
akpọ-ziru ọhamoha,  
nọ l'eliphe uzo.

<sup>5</sup> G'ụnwu-eliphe kelekwa gube  
Chileke ekele!  
G'iphe, bükpoo nemadzu  
mgburugburu kele  
ngu ekele!

<sup>6</sup> Ọ ya bụ; g'iphe, a kóberu l'alị  
emehukwanụ emehu.

Teme Nnajjuphu, bụ Chileke  
anyi ono agoru ọnụ-oma  
nụ anyi.

<sup>7</sup> Chileke a-goru ọnụ-oma nkiya  
ono nụ anyi.

Ọo ya bụ gę ndiphe l'ophu  
jasụ l'eka igwe beru  
alị beru awatakwani  
iya atsụ ebvu!

## 68

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nụ onye-ishi ebvu*

<sup>1</sup> Gę Chileke zilihi;  
gę ndu ọhogu iya agbaa  
nanụ nanụ!

Gę ndu ọ du ashi shikwa iya  
pho l'iphu gbalachaa!

<sup>2</sup> Zikashinnaa phę nanu nanu;  
gę pherephere ezikashije  
enwuru-oku-a.

Ọo g'ùnwù adazehuje lę  
mgboru ọku-a  
bụ gę ndu ejo-iphe a-la l'iyi  
l'iphu Chileke.

<sup>3</sup> Obenu lę ndu pfuberekoto bę  
ęhu a-tsọ ụtso.

Ęphe a-nodu ete ęswa l'iphu  
Chileke.

Ęphe egude ęhu-ụtso tee ęswa  
teshia ya ike.

<sup>4</sup> Unu gúa ebvu nụ Chileke;  
gúa ebvu gude tua ya

ẹpha!

Unu kutsee onye ono,  
anoduje l'ugbo-inya  
iya agba l'urwukpu  
onya.  
Ẹpha iya bụ Chipfu;  
unu nödukwa iya l'iphu  
tee ẹswa.

<sup>5</sup> Chileke nọ l'ibe iya,  
dụ nsọ bụru Nna ndu  
enwedu nna;  
bya abụru onye agbajeru  
unwanyi,  
ji phẹ anoedu ọdzori.

<sup>6</sup> Chileke ewojeru ndu bụ  
nkinyi doo l'ipfu l'ipfu;  
teme ọ nödu edufutajẹ  
ndu a tịru mkpọro  
l'ulo-mkpọro.

Obenu lẹ ndu kwefuru iya  
ike bụ l'alị,  
ejo anwụ echi bẹ ẹphe  
bu.

<sup>7</sup> Gube Chileke;  
teke i gbeshiru duta ndu  
nkengu;  
duru phẹ ghaa alị,  
dabyiru mgbegere;  
<sup>8</sup> bẹ alị nmarụ jiijiji.

Igwe bya edzee mini l'iphu  
gube Chileke, bụ onye  
kẹ Sayinayi;  
mbụ gube Chileke kẹ

Ízureelu.

<sup>9</sup> Gube Chileke;  
oo ngu dzeru ogbodogo  
mini;  
gude gbaa ali-ihe ngu  
unme teke ike bvuru  
iya.

<sup>10</sup> Ndibe ngu bya alaa l'ime iya  
je eburu;  
teme i shi l'ikpoto iphe,  
i nweru nụ ndu ụkpa iphe,  
mkpa iya dürü phẹ.

<sup>11</sup> O bụ-a epfupfu,  
Chipfu pfuru opfu ọbu;  
a dù igwerigwe mee g'a  
madzuru iphe,  
o pfuru.

<sup>12</sup> O sru: “Ndu eze mẹ ndu ojogu  
unu mee ęgwegwà  
gude ọso gbafụ!”

Unwanyi, kuru l'unuphu;  
wufuta bya ekee iphe,  
a kwatarụ l'okwata.

<sup>13</sup> Ndu ono shi zeshia l'odu  
aturu dù gę ndo,  
a wukotaru nkù iya  
mkpola-ochaa;  
bya egude mkpola-ododo  
mekota ęba iya;  
o nođu egbu nwijinwii.

<sup>14</sup> Teke  
Okalibe-kangokotaru-nụ  
chikashiru ndu eze

l'alị ono  
 bẹ ọ duəpho  
 g'aka-mini-sunoo,  
 dashịru l'eli úbvú  
 Zalụmonu.

15 Úbvú úbvú, nogbaa lẹ  
 Beshanu bụgbaa oke úbvú,  
 parụ eka;  
 mbụ l'úbvú Beshanu bụ  
 úbvú, nwegbaarụ mpfukashi.

16 Unubẹ eze úbvú,  
 nwegbaarụ mpfukashi;  
 ?Denu g'ọ nwuru unu  
 ejiru úbvú Chileke  
 ijiénya?

Mbụ úbvú ono, Chipfu,  
 bụ Chileke hotaru  
 je eburu bürü eze ndibe  
 iya jasụ l'ojejoje ono.

17 Ugbo-inya kẹ Chileke bükwa  
 ụnu-kürü-ụnu.

Nnajịuphu shi lẹ Sayınayi  
 bya ibe iya;  
 eka o doberu nsọ,  
 bụ úbvú Zayonu.

18 Teke ono, i gbəshiru lashịa  
 l'ephekerephe ono bẹ i  
 dutaru igwerigwe ndu  
 i kpuru lẹ ndzụ lashịa.

Ndiphe gwerụ iphe nụ ngu kẹ  
 mmanụ;  
 mbụ je akpachaa lẹ ndu  
 shi anoduje ekwefuru

ngu ike;  
 k'ophu gube Chipfu,  
 bụ Chileke a-nodū  
 l'echilabọ phẹ.

- <sup>19</sup> G'ajaja bürü kę Nnajiuphu;  
 mbụ Chileke ọphu bụ onye  
 ndzota anyi;  
 bya abürü onye evutaje  
 ivu ehu anyi vuru  
 mbóku-mbóku.
- <sup>20</sup> Chileke anyi bụ Chileke,  
 adzoje ndzụ.  
 Ọ bürü l'eka Chipfu,  
 bụ Nnajiuphu ono bẹ<sup>21</sup>  
 eeshije nahụ anwụhu.
- <sup>21</sup> Chileke e-chikposhi ndu  
 ọhogu iya ishi;  
 mbụ okpokoro ishi ndu  
 emekwadu ejo-ememe.
- <sup>22</sup> Nnajiuphu sụru: “Mu e-shi  
 le Beshanu duta unu  
 dumphuta azụ.  
 Mu e-je l'ohu eze-enyimu je  
 aguta unu gude lwa;  
<sup>23</sup> k'ophu unu a-bya azoo  
 ndu ọhogu unu  
 pyakapyaka.
- Nkuta unu eketakwaphọ oke  
 ọphu rwuberu phẹ nụ.”
- <sup>24</sup> Gube Chileke;  
 onyemonye gbewaa nta-a  
 hụma gẹ ndibe ngu dzeberu  
 awụ alwa;

mbụ lẹ ndibe Chileke,  
 bụ eze mu dzebewaru  
 awụ ala l'ulo iya,  
 dù nsọ.

<sup>25</sup> Ndu nọ l'iphu bụ ndu aguru  
 phẹ ebvu.

Ndu etso ndu k'ono bụru ndu  
 akpọ une eye iya.

Akatikpo ụnwumgboko,  
 nọdu akụkwapho nkwa  
 etso phẹ.

<sup>26</sup> Janaa Chileke ajaja  
 l'edzudzu-oha!

Jaa Chipfu ajaja l'echi  
 eka ndu Ízurelu  
 dzukóberu!

<sup>27</sup> Sụ-a; ndu edu phẹ nụ bụ  
 ọkpa-ipfu Benjaminu,  
 bụ ọkpa-ipfu kẹ nwata.

Ndu-ishi ọkpa-ipfu Jiuda;  
 waa kẹ Zebulonu;  
 waa kẹ Nafutali nọdu  
 eze gbiigbiigbi  
 etso phẹ.

<sup>28</sup> Gube Chileke;  
 rükotanu ike ngu!

Goshinu anyi ọkpehu  
 ngu Chileke;  
 mbụ ike ono, i shi  
 gudehawaa ree ire l'opfu  
 ẹhu anyi ono.

<sup>29</sup> Ndu eze e-gude k'eze-ulo ngu,  
 nọ lẹ Jierúsalemu bya

emeeru ngu iphe-ọma.

30 Baaru ẹjo-oke-agiyi ono,  
no l'ejì ono mba;  
mbụ ọha ono,  
achi ndiphe kpabékpbabe  
g'oke-eswi,  
eme ẹna achị nweswi  
oso ono;  
jasu teke onyemonye  
ewoze onwiya ali;  
gude mkpolà-ochaa  
bya l'iphu ngu.

Chịkashia ndu ono,  
alwụ ọgu anoduje  
agu g'egu-nri ono!

31 Ndu-ishi Ijiputu;  
waa ndu Kushi bẹ a-bya  
achi-liaru Chileke eka.

32 Unu gụa ebvu nụ Chileke;  
unubẹ ali-eze  
ụnwụ-eliphe l'ophu!

Unu gụa ebvu gude tua  
Nnajịuphu ẹpha!

33 Unu gụa ya nụ onye ono,  
anoduje l'ugbo-inya  
iya agba l'ephekerephe  
urwukpu ichee ono;  
mbụ onye egudeje  
oke olu tụa egbigwe.

34 Unu tụa ọnụ g'ike Chileke  
habe shii;  
mbụ onye akpabiri iya  
tükorus Izurelu sweta;

onye bụ akpaminigwe  
egoshi g'ike iya habe shii.

<sup>35</sup> Gube Chileke;  
i dù ebvu l'ulo ngu,  
dù nsọ.

Oo gube Chileke ndu Ízurèlu  
emeje g'ike dù ndibe ngu;  
okpehu adụ phe.  
G'ajaja bürü kẹ Chileke!

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*Ebvu, Dévidi deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu; g'e gude olu  
ebvu, "Ojimbvu" gúa ya*

<sup>1</sup> Dzoo mu jiko Chileke;  
kele mini wówaru mu  
l'ekpiri.

<sup>2</sup> Mu emiwa emimi emiba  
l'epuchi;  
eka adudu iphe, kobe nvọ,  
dù iya nụ.

Mu darwuwaru oihu-mini;  
utso woru mu ria.

<sup>3</sup> Mu chiwaru mkpu chita ike  
mu.

Ekpiri gowaa mu agogo.  
Teme mu nodu aphuwaa  
ragaraga;  
eka mu nō ele enya  
Chileke mu.

<sup>4</sup> Ndu mu dù ashị l'ebé adụ  
iphe,  
mu meru phe kakwa  
egbushi,

nọ mu l'ishi igwerigwe.  
 Mbụ lẹ ndu ọhogu mu  
 pakpooru igwerigwe;  
 mbụ ndu anoduje achọ ụzo,  
 ẹphe e-shi mebyishia mu;  
 l'ebé ọ dukpoo iphe,  
 mu meru phe.  
 Ẹphe ekebutajé mu;  
 mu apfua ugwo iphe,  
 mu ezitaduru.

<sup>5</sup> Gube Chileke;  
 i mawaru gę mu shi  
 emeberu eswe;  
 ọphu ọ dudu iphe-eji mu  
 ọphu eemeru ngu lę mpya.

<sup>6</sup> Gube Nnajịuphu, bụ Chipfu;  
 bya abụru Okalibe-Kakota-Ike;  
 te ekwekwa g'e gude iswi  
 ẹhu mu mee ndu ele ẹnya  
 ngu iphe-iphere!

Ọphu i kwekwa g'e gude  
 iswi ẹhu mu meru iphere  
 kpua ndu achọ ngu nụ;  
 jiko Chileke kę Ízurelu!

<sup>7</sup> Kele oo l'iswi ẹhu ngu bę e  
 gude ekweru mu une;  
 bya eme iphe-iphere  
 ekpu mu.

<sup>8</sup> Ndibe anyi bę mu dụwaa gę mu  
 bụ onye byaru abyabya;  
 mbụ unwune mu gedegede  
 gube mu onye ọhozo.

<sup>9</sup> Kele obu, mu yeru ụlo ngu

- rimiwaru mu ishi.  
 Iphe, bükpoone,  
     e kweru ngu bürü mbedula  
     vutaru ɔnzu iya.
- <sup>10</sup> Mu rarụ erekwa swia egu  
     l'iphu Chileke.  
 Iphe ono tukochaa bürü iphe,  
     ephe gude kweru  
     mu une.
- <sup>11</sup> Mu yee uwe-aphụ;  
     ephe gude iya gụaharu  
     mu ebvu.
- <sup>12</sup> Ndu dörü l'ɔnu-abata  
     nodu epfuru mu.  
 Mu bürü onye ndu angụ  
     mẹe gude agụ ebvu-mẹe.
- <sup>13</sup> Ole ọo gube Chipfu bę  
     mu anoduje epfu anụ.  
 Gube Chileke;  
     gude n-yemobu ngu  
     ono zakpoe mu pho ẹnu  
     teke dù ngu ree;  
     bya adzoo mu  
     ɔkpobe adzodzo.
- <sup>14</sup> Lofuta mu l'epuchi;  
     b'ekwekwa g'o ria mu!  
 Nafutanu mu l'eka ndu mu  
     dù ashị!  
 Bya agufuta mu l'echi  
     ogbumini ono!
- <sup>15</sup> B'ekwekwa g'utso ria mu!  
 B'ekwekwa gę mu darwua  
     ɔhu-mini!  
 Ophu iikwekwa g'e lia mu

lẹ ndzụ!

<sup>16</sup> Zanụ mu ẹnu gube Chipfu;  
kélé n-yemobu ngu  
dụ ree.

Ghanaaru mu iphu Chileke;  
kélé i phunukaru  
obu-imemini.

<sup>17</sup> Be domikwaru mube onye  
ejeru ngu ozi iphu!

Zanụ mu ẹnu egwegwa;  
kélé mu eje iphe-ehuka.

<sup>18</sup> Kpíritanuru ntse bya  
adzọ mu!

Gbafta mu rọ m'obvu ndu  
mu l'ephe dù l'opfu!

<sup>19</sup> I mawaru g'ephe kweberu  
mu une;  
bya amakwarupho g'ephe  
meberu mu iphe-iphere  
kparu.

Ndu bụ ọhogu mu bẹ  
i makotanuru-a.

<sup>20</sup> E kwekwaru mu une jasụ  
okpoma wahahaa  
mu awahụ.

Nta-a bẹ o mewaru mu;  
ophu ike adụedu mu.

Mu leru ẹnya onye a-phụru  
mu obu-imemini;  
ophu ọ dudu.

Mu bya elee ẹnya onye a-dụ  
mu obu;  
ophu ọ dudu onye  
mu hụmaru.

- 21 Ẹphe wotaru mu iphe,  
     egbu egbugbu gẹ mu ria  
     g'ọ bụru mu nri;  
     bya edoberu mu mее-venịga  
     gẹ mu nguru ye iya.
- 22 Mekwaa gẹ nri,  
     ẹphe doberu l'iphu phe  
     bụru igbudu tùpyabe phe.  
 G'anụ, ẹphe gburu gude  
     gwaa Chileke bükwaru  
     ónyà nmata phe.
- 23 G'ẹnya gbahukwa phe ọchii  
     g'ẹphe phụ-buhu uzo.  
 G'okwebe nyajikwaa phe ẹbo;  
     g'ẹphe nyaa mgbaku  
     jasụ l'ojejoje.
- 24 Tukoshinụ phe ẹhu-eghu ngu!  
 Gudenụ oke ẹhu-eghu ngu  
     kpegbushia phe!
- 25 G'ibe phe bükwaru ochobu.  
 G'ọ tọ dükwa onye e-buru  
     l'eka ẹphe  
     kwarụ unuphu.
- 26 Kẹle ndu ẹphe anoduje akpa  
     ẹhu bụ ndu i chiru echachi.  
 Teme ọ bụru ndu i mekarụ  
     iphe be ẹphe  
     anodujekwapho  
     epfubyishi.
- 27 Haa phe g'ẹphe mebaa  
     ejo-iphe yekobe l'ophu  
     ẹphe mewaru;  
     ophu i kwekwa g'ẹphe keta

- oke l'apfübekoto nkengu.
- 28 G'e hufukwa ẹpha phẹ l'ékwo,  
e deru ẹpha ndu nọ ndzụ.  
Ophu e dekwa ẹpha phẹ  
l'eka e deru ẹpha  
ndu pfüberekoto.
- 29 Mu daru ükpa;  
teme aphụ tsübe mu ọnụ.  
Gube Chileke;  
gẹ ndzọta nkengu  
dobenu mu l'eka ta adụdu  
iphe,  
e-me mu nụ.
- 30 Qo ya bụ gẹ mu agụa ebvü  
gude tua Chileke ẹpha.  
Teme mu egude ebvü-ekele  
kutsee ya  
okpobe ekutse.
- 31 Ono bẹ a-ka Chileke atso  
ụtso eme l'a tịru iya eswi;  
ożoo l'a tịru iya oke-eswi,  
mpu iya hagbaa kẹ  
phengara phengara;  
teme ụpyi ọkpa  
pheshihuchaa  
ya epheshihu.
- 32 Ndu wozeru onwophẹ ali  
humae ya pho;  
ehu atsoso phẹ ụtso.  
G'obu unubẹ ndu achọ  
Chileke nödukwa ndzụ!
- 33 Chipfu anümaje olu ndu  
adụdu g'o dù phẹ.

Teme ndibe iya,  
 a tñru mkporo bñ o  
 töö gbakutajedu azu.

<sup>34</sup> Gë ndu bu l'imigwe  
 yee ünwü-elixhe tua  
 ya ẹpha!

G'enyimu yee iphe bu l'ime  
 iya tükokwapho tua  
 ya ẹpha!

<sup>35</sup> Kele Chileke a-dzø Zayonu;  
 bya akpukwaa m kpükpu,  
 nñ lë Jiuda.

Ndiphe alaa ya je eburu mee  
 ya l'oo-bñru iphe phe.

<sup>36</sup> Ünwü ndu ejeru iya ozi emee  
 ya l'oo-bñru okiphe phe.

Iphe, bükpo ndu yeru ẹpha  
 iya obu bñ e-buru  
 l'alí ono.

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*Ebvu, Dévidi deru nü  
 onye-ishi ebvu gude  
 nyatarü Chipfu iphe*

<sup>1</sup> Gùbe Chileke;  
 jiko menaa egwegwa  
 bya adzøo mu!

Byanü egwegwa bya eyeru  
 mu ẹka; jiko Chipfu!

<sup>2</sup> G'iphe, bükota ndu acho ụzo,  
 ẹphe e-shi gbua mu  
 bükwaru ndu ee-meru

iphere kpua;  
 g'a tükwa phẹ ẹberebete.  
 Chiphusu ndu agbaru mu ejo  
 egomunggo azụ.  
 G'iphere ji phẹ iphu!  
<sup>3</sup> G'e meeru ujikputeru nụ ndu  
 ekweru mu hẹe.  
<sup>4</sup> G'iphe, bükpo ndu achọ ngu  
 nụ bürü ndu ehu a-tsọ.  
 Ẹphe anodu ngu l'eka  
 tee ẹswa.  
 Gẹ ndu ọ dù g'a sụ l'i dzotaru  
 phẹ bürü iphe,  
 ẹphe akpuru l'ọnụ epfu bụ:  
 "Unu tụa ọnụ Chileke l'o  
 paru eka!"  
<sup>5</sup> Obenu lẹ mbédúa bụ onye  
 ụkpa bya abürü onye  
 adudu g'ọ dù iya;  
 mbụ l'ọo gube Chileke bụ  
 onye eyejeru mu eka;  
 bya abürü onye adzoje  
 mü nụ.  
 Jiko Chipfu; b'akpokwa ụpfu!

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<sup>1</sup> Oo gube Chipfu bẹ mu nọ  
 l'eka ezeru ndzụ.  
 B'ekwekwa g'e kpua mu iphu  
 lẹ ntụ jasụ l'ojejoje.  
<sup>2</sup> Eshinu i bụ onye  
 pfuberekoto;  
 nafutanu mu!  
 Yeru mü eka gẹ mu nahụ!

Gbabenüru mu nchi;  
dzoo mu!

<sup>3</sup> Bunuru mu agbara-mkpuma,  
mu a-gbabaje je  
ezeeru ndzu!

Tunaa ekemu su g'a dzoo mu!  
Kele oo ngu bu oke mkpuma  
nkemu;  
bya aburu  
ulo-mgbobuta mu.

<sup>4</sup> Jiko Chileke mu;  
gbafuta mu l'eka ndu  
ejo-iphe;  
mbu l'eka ndu apfubeduru  
eka pho oto;  
waa ndu iwashi.

<sup>5</sup> Kele oo ngu bu onye mu  
ele enya iya;  
gube Nnajiuphu,  
bu Chileke.

Teme o bürü ngu be mu  
dakoberu e -shi  
teke mu bu nwata.

<sup>6</sup> Eshinu a nwuru mu bu e ngu  
pho bu agbarike mu.

Mu a-noduepho etu ngu  
ephä jasü l'ojejoje;  
noo kele oo ngu kufutaru  
mu l'ephä ne mu.

<sup>7</sup> Ndzü mu buwaru ndu du  
igwerigwe iphe-etu;  
obenu l'oo l'ime ngu be mu  
anoduje ezeru ndzu.

- 8 Eswe l'enyashi bẹ mu  
     anoduje etu ngu ẹpha;  
     bya atụ ọnụ g'akpabiri ngu  
     habe shii.
- 9 Jiko ba jikakwa mu nta-a,  
     mu bùwaa ogeranya-a!  
 Ba gbakutakwa mu azụ nta-a,  
     ike bvụwaru mu-a!
- 10 Kélé ndu ọhogu mu  
     epfukwaru mu ejo opfu.  
 Teme ndu domishiru  
     onwophé kwabé g'ephe  
     gbua mu nödu  
     anökobeje achị idzu mu.
- 11 Ephe asuje: "Chileke  
     jikaakwaru iya.  
 Unu chịa ya gude;  
     kélé ọ tọ dükwa onye abya  
     iya agbaru mkpu."
- 12 Ba nödukwa mu ụzenya  
     jiko Chileke!  
 Bya ẹgwegwa gube Chileke  
     nkemu;  
     bya eyeru mu eka!
- 13 G'iphe, bükpoo ndu ebo  
     mu ibo bükwaru ndu  
     iphere e-me g'ephe chịhu.  
 Gẹ ndu ono, eme g'ephe  
     meka mu iphe ono bükwaru  
     ndu ee-kweru une bya  
     ajaa ewenu.
- 14 Obenu lẹ mbedua buepho  
     l'eka i nọ bẹ ẹnya

- mu a-dụ.  
 Mu a-noduepho aka ngu etu  
 epha eje.
- 15 Mu e-gude ọnu mu pfua  
 ya mkpúrumkpuru  
 pfushia ya ike sụ  
 l'i pfuberekoto;  
 teme i nodu adzoje nemadzụ.  
 Apfubekoto ngu ono waa  
 ndzota nkengu ono  
 habe shii  
 k'ophu bụ lẹ mu ta agutadu  
 iya l'ogu.
- 16 Mu e-gude ike gube Nnajiuphu,  
 bụ Chileke  
 je epfua l'oo ngu kpoloko  
 bụ onye pfuberekoto.
- 17 Gube Chileke;  
 i shiwaa teke mu bụ nwata  
 zita mu iphe!  
 Iphe, dụ biribiri,  
 iimeje bẹ mu shiẹpho teke  
 ono tuta ọnu iya  
 jasụ nta-a.
- 18 Nta-a, mu buwaa ogeranya,  
 ewó jiru ishi-a;  
 jiko Chileke;  
 ba gbakutakwa mu azụ;  
 gbiriri jasụ mu  
 akoeberu ogbo ọphu  
 abya nụ g'ike ngu  
 habe shii;  
 mbụ kotoru iphe,

bükpoo ndu ee-mechaa  
nwụa l'okpehu ngu  
parụ eka.

19 Apfubekoto ngu rwuru  
akpaminigwe; gube Chileke;  
mbụ gube onye ono,  
meru iphe, parụ eka;  
?Bu onye atụru ngu;  
gube Chileke?

20 A makwarụ-a l'i mewaru  
mu;  
mu jee ikpoto iphe-ehuka,  
parụ eka bya adụ ejo ejị;  
ole mu maru-a l'ii-mechaa  
mezia ndzụ mu;  
mbụ l'ii-kufuta mu  
l'ime ilu.

21 Ii-me; aa-ka mu akwabẹ<sup>1</sup>  
ùbvù;  
teme l'i dukwa mu pho  
obu ozo.

22 Gube Chileke mu;  
mu a-kpọ une gude tua ngu  
ephä l'i bu onye apfushije  
ike l'iphe, i pfuru.

Mu e-gude ogelenda gụa  
ebvu tua ngu ephä;  
gube Onye du Nso  
ké Izurelu.

23 Ogbogboromọnu mu  
ephenebo a-tụ ụzu ehu-utso  
nụ ngu;  
mẹ mu nọdu agụ ebvu  
gude etu ngu ephä;

mbụ mube onye i gbafutaru.

<sup>24</sup> Eswe l'enyaishi bę ire mu  
a-noduepho epfu iphe,  
i meshiru gude goshi  
l'i pfuberekoto;  
kélé ndu shi achị mu lę njo  
bę a jaru ewenu;  
teme e mee; iphere ji  
phę iphu.

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### *Ebvu, Sólomonu deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Jiko Chileke;  
menaa g'eze kpeje ikpe  
g'iikpeje!  
Menaa gę nwatibe eze  
pfube-eka-oto g'i pfuberu!
- <sup>2</sup> Oo ya bụ g'o kpeje ndibe  
ngu ikpe, pfuru oto;  
mbụ hajeru ndu aakpa ęhu  
enge nhamunha.
- <sup>3</sup> Iphe, e-shigba l'oke úbvú  
abyaru ụnwu-eliphe  
a-buru ęhu-guu.  
O bükwarupho ęhu-guu ono  
e-shigba l'ụnwu úbvú.  
O buru iphe, a-kpa iya nụ bụ  
apfubekoto onoya.
- <sup>4</sup> Ndu eeme ewere,  
bu l'echilabọ ọha  
bę oo-harụ enge;  
l'ọ dzota ụnwegirima ibe ndu

- adụdu g'ọ dù phẹ;  
zopyashia ndu eme phẹ  
ewere ishi.
- 5 Ephe a-nodu atsụ ngu ebvu  
jasụ g'enyanwu;  
waa ọnwa a-noberu;  
mbụ e -shi l'ogbo sweru  
ogbo.
- 6 Oo-dụ g'eka mini edze l'eli  
ọsu, a suru asusu;  
mbụ g'eka igwe ayoru  
mgboko ẹyo mini.
- 7 Teke oo-buru eze ono be ndu  
pfuberekoto a-jà àjajà.  
Ehu-guu a-tuko ékameka  
sweta;  
mbụ nọo gbiriri jasụ teke  
ọnwa a-fubuhu l'eliphe.
- 8 Oo-buru eze ndu shi  
l'eze-enyimu ọwa-a bua  
jasụ l'eze-enyimu ọphuu;  
mbụ ndu shi l'enyimu  
Yufurétisu bua jasụ l'eka  
igwe beru ali beru.
- 9 Ndu bu l'echiegụ a-bya  
ephozeru iya;  
teme ndu ọhogu iya etsua  
onu l'ejia.
- 10 Ndu eze ndu Tashishi mẹ ndu  
bukube eze-enyimu anodu  
atụ akiriko anụ iya.  
Ndu eze ndu Sheba yẹe  
kẹ ndu Seba  
a-nodukwapho egudeje

- iphe-ọma aby a ibe iya.
- 11 Ndu bükotakpoo eze  
     mgburugburu l'e-phozeru iya.  
     Ọhamoha l'ophu e-jekötaru  
     iya ozi.
- 12 Kẹle ndu adụdu g'o du phẹ;  
     -raku iya bẹ ọo-dzota phẹ;  
     mbụ ndu iphe-ehuka byaru;  
     ophu ẹphe enwedu onye  
     gbaru phẹ mkpu.
- 13 Ndu ike adụdu;  
     mẹ ndu adụdu g'o du phẹ  
     bẹ ọo-phuru obu-imemini;  
     bya adzota phẹ mee  
     g'ọnwu te egbu phẹ.
- 14 Oo-gbafuta phẹ l'eka ndu  
     emekpa phẹ ẹhu;  
     waa l'eka ndu eme  
     phẹ mkpawere;  
     noo kẹle mee phẹ bẹ o  
     guberu iphe.
- 15 Gẹ ndzụ ogologo  
     bükwaru nkiya!  
     G'e gwekwarụ mkpol-a-ododo  
     ndu Sheba nụ iya g'o  
     bukotaru nkiya!
- Gẹ ndiphe pfujekwaru opfu  
     ẹhu iya nụ Chileke!  
     Teme ẹphe agojekwarupho  
     ọnụ-ọma nụ iya  
     mboku-mboku!
- 16 G'iphe, a kuru l'opfu sọkwaa  
     kpukakpuka l'alị-a!

Ge pherephere zikwa mee ékwo  
iphe,  
a kóberu akóbe l'eli úbvú  
g'o túa uzu; g'ékwo oshi,  
pfugbaru l'úbvú  
úbvú Lébanonu!

Ge nemadzú zúshikwa búru  
ęswa l'igu lę  
mkpükpu ono!

<sup>17</sup> G'ephá iya nödukwa jasú  
l'ojegoje.

G'údù iya jedzukwaru  
ékameka g'enyanwu.

Qhamoha bę aa-gbę iya l'eka  
góru önü-oma nü;  
tème oha l'ophu ekua ya  
onye a góru ęhu-ütso nü.

<sup>18</sup> G'ajaja búru kę Chipfu,  
bü Chileke;  
mbü Chileke kę ndu Ízuręlu;  
onye büę ya pho  
kpoloko emeje iphe,  
dü biribiri.

<sup>19</sup> G'ajaja búkwarupho k'ephá iya  
ono, dü biribiri ono  
jasú lę tuutuutuu  
lę miiimiimii!

G'ogbunwiinwii ya tükokwa  
mgboko l'ophu sweta!

Nokwa g'o dü; bya aburu g'o dü!

<sup>20</sup> Nokwa mkpochi-ishi epfupfu,  
Dévidi nwa Jiesi pfuru  
önü Chileke.

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*Ebvu-ọma, Asafu deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Gẹ mu gbua ya tororo;  
 Chileke dükwaru ndu  
 Ízureļu ree;  
 mbụ ndu ono,  
 obu phẹ guru iphóró.
- <sup>2</sup> Obenu lẹ mbédúa bẹ o  
 phoduru nwanshịi  
 mè ọkpa echifu mu;  
 mbụ l'ọ phoduru nwanshịi  
 mè mu ta aduhe ike  
 pfuru l'iphe, mu pfuru;
- <sup>3</sup> eka mu watarụ ejiru ndu  
 etu onwophẹ ẹpha ijienya;  
 kele mu húmaru lẹ ndu  
 ejo-iphe bẹ ẹhu dù guu.
- <sup>4</sup> O tọ dudu iphe,  
 atsụ phẹ l'ẹhu.  
 Ẹhu dù phẹ ree;  
 témé ẹphe shihu ike.
- <sup>5</sup> Ophu o dudu iphe,  
 atsụ ndu ọzo l'ẹhu atsujé  
 phẹ l'ẹhu; ophu ẹhu,  
 emeje ndiphe emedu phẹ.
- <sup>6</sup> O bụru iphe ono meru g'o  
 gude eku-onwonye bụru  
 ọleka, ẹphe woru tükpo  
 onwophẹ l'olu.  
 Eme nemadzụ mkpawere  
 bụru uwe, ẹphe eye l'ẹhu.
- <sup>7</sup> Ẹphe daa okporokpo jasụ

- ẹnya ribachaa phẹ ariba.  
Teme ejo-idzu ji phẹ ọkpoma  
ebushihu ebushihu.
- <sup>8</sup> Ephe egudeje ejo opfu aja  
nemadzụ ewenu.
- Ephe anoduje etu onwophe  
ophushugbu;  
teme uja, ephe anoduje  
abọ bülerupho g'ephe  
e-me mee ndu  
Ọzo ewere.
- <sup>9</sup> Ephe anoduje epfuru Chileke,  
bu l'imigwe ejo opfu.
- Ire phẹ nodu eje  
phururugbadaa  
l'eliphe.
- <sup>10</sup> Noo iphe, meru g'o gude  
ndibe mu ghakọbe  
tsoru phẹ;  
bya atuko iphemiphe,  
shi phẹ l'eka nguru  
ye l'ephoh wutukumu.
- <sup>11</sup> Ephe nodu asuje: "?Denu  
gẹ Chileke e-shi maru?  
Okalibe-kakota-shii;  
?o dudu ophu o maru?"
- <sup>12</sup> Waa gẹ ndu ejo-iphe dù baa:  
O to dudu iphe, erwuje  
phẹ l'ehu;  
teme ẹku nodu  
anoduje abyaru  
phẹ gbükugbuku.
- <sup>13</sup> Sụ-a; mbødua, sụru lẹ mu

e-me obu mu g'ọ gua  
iphóró bükwa  
onye-eswe bẹ mu bụ.

Mbụ l'eka mu kworu  
l'iswi-ódumma  
tukochaa bürü iphe-mmanu.

<sup>14</sup> Kéle ọ tọ dudu mbóku-mbóku  
a taa nüdu mu aphụ;  
teme ọphu ọ dudu mbóku,  
mu noghajeru  
g'iphe-éhuka ta  
adapfuta mu.

<sup>15</sup> O mè mu -jeru epfugbua g'ọ  
dụ mu;  
mè ọ -bükwaru mgbam  
bẹ mu agba ogbo ọwa-a,  
bụ ụnwu Chileke-a.

<sup>16</sup> Qobujeru; mu -jee eme g'iphe  
ono kabékpo doo mu  
ẹnya ilile;  
ọ gbé kabaa mu nụ  
egburwashi éhu;  
<sup>17</sup> gbiriri jasụ mu bya abahụ  
l'ulo Chileke, dù nsọ.

Ọ bürü eka ono bẹ mu nọ;  
o doo mu ẹnya;  
mbụ iphe, e-mechaa  
nwụaru phẹ nụ.

<sup>18</sup> Sụ-a; iiwojeru phẹ dobe  
l'eka echí ẹturú;  
gbahaa phẹ eka;  
ephe abyá adaa  
l'alí mebyishihu.

**19** O tọ dudu g'oo-no-bejeru;  
ephe aburu okorobo  
iphe.

L'e yee phę ebvu jasụ l'a zata  
phę wüşia.

**20** Ephe aduje gę nrwọ, a rworu;  
o -be l'utsu a zoḥaa ya.  
Nokwapho g'ephe achihuje  
l'iphu gube Chipfu  
m'i gbalihu.

**21** Teke ono, mu shi agụ aphụ ono;  
mbụ teke ono, aphụ shi  
tsorụ ime obu mu ono;  
**22** bę mu shi bụru onye-eswe,  
amadụ onwiya ekicha.

Teme mu shi dù  
g'anụ-egbudu l'atatiphu ngu.

**23** Obenu l'iinodujee mu pho  
ntse tekenteke.

I setaeru mu pho l'ekutara  
gudeshia.

**24** Oo epho g'i chiru idzu  
l'ii-nođu edu mu bụ  
g'iinoduje edu mu;  
k'ophu bụ e -mechaa;  
g'i duru mu laa  
l'o-gbu-nwịinwii nkengu.

**25** ?Bụ onye bę mu nwebaru  
l'imigwe,  
abụdu gübuedua?

Eshinu mu lę ngu no ta  
aduekwa iphe, no l'eliphe;  
agukwadu mu egwu.

- 26 Ike abvuje mu l'ogwेहу  
 bvụ mu l'obu;  
 obenu l'ọ Chileke bụ onye  
 agbatajẹ mu ike l'ime obu.  
 Ọ bụru iya bụ okiphe mu jasụ  
 l'ojejoje.
- 27 Ndu nọ ngu ẹnya a-bụru  
 mkpurupyata;  
 l'i mebyishia ndu i gudedu  
 ire phẹ ẹka.
- 28 Obenu lे mbędua bę ẹhu  
 anoduje atso uteso lę mu  
 nọ-kube Chileke;  
 mbụ lę mbędua wowaru  
 Nnajịuphu, bụ Chipfu;  
 mee ẹka mu a-noduje  
 ezeru ndzụ.  
 Ọ ya bụ lę mu e-gude ọnụ  
 mu kókota iphe,  
 dù ree, iime l'ẹhu mu.

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### *Évù, Asafu kwaru*

- 1 Gube Chileke; ?denu g'o gude  
 i jíka anyi jasụ l'ojejoje?  
 ?Denu g'o gude oke  
 ẹhu-eghu ngu nödu akpụ  
 tuutuutuu l'iphu igwe aturu,  
 iiche echeche?
- 2 Nyatakwa igwe ọha ono,  
 i züruro teke dù ẹnya  
 ẹnya ono;  
 mbụ ọkpa-ipfu ono,

- ị gbatarụ l'itumo mee phẹ;  
ẹphe bụru okiphe ngu ono.  
Nyatakwaphọ úbvú Zayọnụ  
ono, i bu ebubu ono.
- <sup>3</sup> Shikpôdapho ụzo ono hụma  
g'e mebyishibeberu iya;  
mbụ ejo-iphe, ndu ọhogu  
ngu m'eru ọ nwụarụ  
ulo ngu ono, dù nsọ ono.
- <sup>4</sup> Ndu achị ngu lẹ njo  
wubatakwaru  
l'ulo-ndzukọ ngu;  
bya agboru ogboo kpuā ya.  
Ęphe woru èchíi kpobe  
iya gude goshi l'ọ  
kalere phe.
- <sup>5</sup> Ephe nodu eme g'onye pa  
ogbunkụ tsoru egbudu  
egbudu; egbutushi iphe,  
bükpoo oshi, ọ hụmaru.
- <sup>6</sup> Iphe, bükpoo iphemiphe,  
a pyịru apyịpyi  
b'ephe gude ogbunkụ gude  
ongu kükposhichaa  
akükposhi.
- <sup>7</sup> Ulo ngu, dù nsọ b'ephe  
nwụru ọku yee o tsua  
tsurwua ali.  
Ęphe woru eka ono, i hotaru  
g'ọ bụru eka ii-buru  
eburu ono pharwụshia.
- <sup>8</sup> Ephe nodu epfufe l'ime  
okpoma phẹ sụ:

"Anyi e-mebyishichaa  
ya g'ø hakotakpoo!"

Ęphe tuko ękameka,  
e shi anoduje abarù  
Chileke ejá tükota  
ɔku o tsua ya tsufu.

<sup>9</sup> Ophu ɔ dudu iphe-ohubama,  
dù biribiri,  
eemejekwaduru anyi;  
tëme ɔphu ɔ duedu  
ndu mpfuchiru phoduru nü;  
ɔphu ɔ dudu g'ø ka  
mma l'øo onye lanù  
l'echilabø anyi,  
maru g'egube iphe  
ɔwa-a l'a-nø-beru.

<sup>10</sup> ?Ndu ɔhogu ngu a-nmakpøo  
ngu phulaphula jasù  
teke ole gùbe Chileke?

?Ndu i dù ashi egudewaro  
epfubyishi əpha ngu  
jasù l'ojejoje tö?

<sup>11</sup> ?Bù gunu kparù iphe,  
iisela ęka ngu azù;  
mbù ękutara ngu?

Chifuta ęka l'iphu ụtapfu  
gude mebyishia phe.

<sup>12</sup> Obenu l'øo gube Chileke  
bù eze nkemu,  
e -shi l'edenwede.

Ọo ngu byaru adzøo  
ụnwu-eliphe.

<sup>13</sup> Ọo gubedua gude ike

- ngu chiwaha  
 eze-entyimu ẹbo.  
 Ejio-anụ, bu lè mini b'i  
 chickpôshicharu  
 ishi echickpôshi.  
 14 Qo gubedua zopyashiru  
 ejio-oke-agiyi ishi;  
 woru iya nụ anụ,  
 bu l'echięgu g'o bürü  
 nri iya.  
 15 Qo gubedua gbafushiru  
 ọgba yee nggele;  
 mini shi iya soshihu.  
 I bya amichata mini lè  
 entyimu,  
 aso gborogboro.  
 16 Eswe bụ nkengu;  
 entyashi bürü nkengu.  
 O bürü ngu meru entyanwu  
 yee onwa dobe;  
 ẹphe keru jimujimu.  
 17 Qo gubedua tubuhawaru  
 ẹka oke alị a-kpagbaa  
 lè mgboko-a mgburugburu;  
 bya edobe ọnawu  
 dobe udzumini.  
 18 Nyatakwa gẹ ndu ọhogu  
 ngu chiberu ngu  
 ọchi Chipfu;  
 mbụ gẹ ndu-eswe  
 pfubyishiberu  
 ẹpha ngu.  
 19 B'e wokwaru ndzụ

nwa-ndo-nwenu  
 ngu woru ye l'eka  
 ejo anu-egbudu!

Ba zohakwa ndibe ngu,  
 bụ ndu eje iphe-ehuka.

Ba hakwa phẹ g'ephe nodu  
 iya nno ojejoje!

20 Nyatakwa ọgbandzu anyi  
 lẹ ngu;  
 noo kẹle mkpawere  
 dukwa l'iphe,  
 bükpoo eka agba ochii l'alí-a.

21 B'ekwekwa gẹ ndu eemekpa  
 ẹhu gude iphere  
 tsuphu azụ.

Gẹ ndu ụkpa mẹ ndu adudu  
 g'o dù phẹ janaa ẹpha  
 ngu ajaja!

22 Gbalihunu gube Chileke  
 pfua l'ọnụ onwongu!

Nyatakwa gẹ ndu eswe  
 eshije l'ütsu chia ngu  
 ọchi jasụ nchi ejihu.

23 Ba zohakwa hanyihanyi,  
 ndu achị ngu lẹ njọ aba;  
 mbụ woooooooo,  
 ndu wulihuru etso ngu  
 opfu atụ mkpúrumkpuru  
 sekpu ngu.

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*Ebvu-ọma, Asafu deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu; ishi ebvu iya  
 bụ “B'ekwekwa gẹ mu laa l'iyi”*

<sup>1</sup> Anyi ekele ngu ekele gube  
Chileke;

anyi ekele ngu ekele.

Ndu eku ẹpha ngu atụ ọnụ  
iphe, dụ biribiri,  
iimeje.

<sup>2</sup> Oo gubedua, bụ Chileke sürü:  
“Mu dobewaru teke mu e-kpe ikpe;  
kpee ya nhamụnha.

<sup>3</sup> Teke eliphe l'ophu; mẹ iphe,  
bụ ndu nụ iya nụ  
anma jiijijii;  
bụ yębedua bę egudeje itso  
iya gudeshia ya ike.

<sup>4</sup> Ndu eku onwophę bę ya  
asuje: Unu hanaa  
eku onwunu!

Ya asụ ndu ejio-iphe: Unu ta  
malihe mpu unu imeli!

<sup>5</sup> Unu ta amalishiru  
igwe mpu!

Unu te ewoshinuru olu  
pfube kanganaa  
asa kpaakpaa!”

<sup>6</sup> Ekutse amadụ te eshidu  
l'uzo ẹnyanwu-awawa;  
ophu o shidu l'uzo  
ẹnyanwu-adada;  
ophu o shikwapho

- l'uzo echięgu.  
<sup>7</sup> Oo Chileke bụ onye  
 ekpeje ikpe.  
 Oo ya ekudaję onye ọwa-a;  
 l'o kutsee onye ọzo.  
<sup>8</sup> Chipfu pa okoro l'eka.  
 Iphe, jiru iya nụ bürü mée,  
 ata kpítikpiti, adudu iphe,  
 e yeduru iya gude mee  
 ya o shihu ike.  
 O nodu abujeru;  
 a -nonyaa l'ọ wushia ya.  
 Iphe, bụ ndu ejo-iphe,  
 kuru l'eliphe angua ya  
 jasụ l'ọ bvụ.  
<sup>9</sup> Obenu lẹ mbédúa a-nodu  
 ete ęswa jasụ  
 l'ojejoje.  
 Mu a-noduepho agụ  
 ebvu etu Chileke kę  
 Jiékopu ępha.  
<sup>10</sup> Mu a-swoshicha ndu  
 ejo-iphe mpu,  
 ęphe gude eme ike;  
 wolia mpu kę ndu  
 pfuberekoto g'o  
 pfuru kanganaa.

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*Ebvu-oma, Asafu deru  
 nụ onye-ishi ebvu; g'a  
 kporu une ye iya*

- 1** Chileke bẹ a maru amaru  
lẹ Jiuda.  
Epha iya tükowaru ali  
Ízurélu ngakota.
- 2** Eka ụlo iya nọ bụ lẹ Salemu.  
Eka o bu ebubu bürü l'úbvú  
Zayonu.
- 3** Oo l'eka ono bẹ o nọ  
gbakwoshia apfụ,  
enwu ọku, ndu ọhogu iya  
shi agba.
- O bya anyakwoshikwapho  
ogu-echi phẹ; waa iphe,  
ephe shi egbobeje  
gude zeeru onwophe;  
mékpoo iphemiphe,  
ephe shi egudeje alwụ ọgu.
- 4** Onye akpabiri bẹ i bụ.  
I dụ biribiri dughata  
úbvú úbvú, bụ iphe,  
jiru iya nụ bụ anụ-egbudu.
- 5** Ndu gbaru mkparawa bẹ a  
kwawaru iphe phẹ ọkwata.  
Ephe kua mgbenya ikpazụ phẹ;  
ophu o dudu ndu ọkperehu  
dụ m'onye lanụ,  
dürü ike mee eka uko.
- 6** Gube Chileke kẹ Jiékọpu;  
o bụ-a mba bẹ i barụ phẹ;  
inye phẹ;  
waa ụgbo-inye phẹ  
l'ophu keshiru l'eka lanụ.
- 7** Oo ngu nwékinyi ngu bẹ o

gbaru g'a tsuje ebvu.  
 ?Bụ onye a-dụ ike pfuru pfushia  
 ike l'iphu ngu m'ehu wata  
 ngu eghu eghu?

8-9 Gube Chileke;  
 teke i gbalihuru g'i  
 kpee ikpe;  
 shi nno dzota ndu aakpa  
 ẹhu l'eliphe;  
 bẹ i nọ l'imigwe  
 bua ikpe.

Ali tsuhu ngu ebvu  
 daa nyonyoronyo.

10 Oo ya bụ l'obujeru;  
 i -tukoshi ndiphe  
 oke ẹhu-eghu ngu bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
 aagbejenu tuahaa  
 ngu ẹpha.

Nwa ndu ọphu ẹhu-eghu  
 ngu ọbu haphodoru  
 abụru ndu akpo  
 egomunggo ọkpolohu.

11 O -bụru l'unu rifuru Chipfu,  
 bụ Chileke unu angu  
 sụ l'owa-a iphe,  
 unu e-meru iya;  
 unu wotakwa iphe ọbu  
 bya emeekota iphe,  
 unu kweru ukwe iya.

G'iphe, bükpoo ndu  
 bupheru phẹ  
 mgburugburu wota iphe-ọma;  
 bya emeeru onye lanu ono,

gbaru g'a tsuje iya  
ebvu ono.

- <sup>12</sup> Oogwerishije ọkpoma  
ndu-ishi egwerishi.  
Ndu eze ụnwu-eliphe  
nodu atsụ iya ebvu.

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*Ebvu-ọma, Asafu deru nụ  
onye-ishi ebvu, bụ Jiedutunu*

- <sup>1</sup> Mu chikuru Chileke lẹ mkpu  
g'o yeru mu eka.  
Mu chikuru Chileke  
sụ g'o nụma olu mu;  
o nụma olu mu.  
<sup>2</sup> Teke mu eje iphe-ehuka  
bẹ mu chorū  
Nnajuphu.  
Enyashi ophu bẹ mu  
chilikotaru eka imeli  
epfu anụ Chileke;  
ophu ike abvuduru mu.  
Teme ophu obu mu ekwedu  
g'a dütä iya adütä.  
<sup>3</sup> Mu nyatarụ gube Chileke bya  
atsua ude.  
Obu mu bya ebvuru shii  
rịkota ọriri jasụ ike  
bvụ mu.  
<sup>4</sup> I meru ophu mgbenya  
atüduru mu.  
Iphe ono tsutabe mu l'ehu  
k'ophu ọ kporu mu opfu.

- <sup>5</sup> Mu bya egude egomunggo  
bya elee ẹnya lẹ teke  
ndiche; mbụ apha,  
dükpowaa ẹnya ẹnya.
- <sup>6</sup> Mu bya anyata ẹgube ebvu,  
mu shi anoduje agu  
l'enyashi.  
Mu bya ebvuru shii rịkota  
ɔriri mkpụrumkpuru.
- A nonyaa; mu jịa obu mu sụ:  
<sup>7</sup> “?Nnajịuphu a-jikawaro anyi  
jasụ l'ojejoje tọ?
- ?Tọ dukpoedu teke ọo-nonya  
l'o goshi l'anyi dù iya-a l'obu?
- <sup>8</sup> ?Ọ pfuru lẹ n-yemobu iya  
ono te erwubaedu  
anyi eka jasụ l'ojejoje tọ?
- ?Ọ dù g'o tọ byaedu  
emebaru anyi iphe,  
o kweru ukwe lẹ ya  
e-meru anyi tọ?
- <sup>9</sup> ?Chileke zohawaru  
obu-imemini nkiya tọ?  
?Ọ dù g'o vụwari ọvuma  
sụ lẹ ya taa phueduru  
anyi obu-imemini?”
- <sup>10</sup> Tọbudu iya bụ; mu sụ:  
“Waa iphe,  
kachakpoo mu atsụ  
l'ehu baa.
- Ole mu anyata teke  
Okalibe-kakota-shii  
ono shi egudeje

ékutara iya eme ike."

<sup>11</sup> Mu a-nyata iphe-kpaakpaa,  
Chipfū shi emeje;  
mbụ lę mu a-nyatakota  
iphe, dù biribiri, i shi emeje.

<sup>12</sup> Mu e-bvuru shii rịa ɔriri l'iphe,  
i mekötaru teke ono.

Mbụ Okalibe ọka-ngo,  
i shi emeje teke ndiche  
bẹ mu a-rivucha l'ɔriri.

<sup>13</sup> Gube Chileke; uzo ngu dù nsọ!  
?Denu agwa, habe shii gẹ<sup>1</sup>  
Chileke anyi?

<sup>14</sup> Oo ngu bụ Chileke,  
emeje ɔhumalenya.

Iimeje gẹ ndiphe húma g'ike  
dù-be ngu.

<sup>15</sup> I gude ɔkperehu ngu gbafuta  
ndibe ngu;  
mbụ gbafuta oshilokpa  
Jiéköpu yẹe Jiósefu.

<sup>16</sup> Sụ-a; mini húmaru gube  
Chileke;  
mbụ l'enyimu,  
aso asoso húmaru ngu;  
ndzụ rwuta iya;  
teme ogbumini nmahúchaa  
pyaapyaapyaa.

<sup>17</sup> Igwe dzeru mini;  
akpaminigwe  
raa gbagbagba;  
teme ebemu-igwe nödu alo  
phaaphaa l'ékameka.

- 18 A númeru ọda egbigwe,  
      ịjitu l'echi oke pherephere.  
 Ebemu, iilo phaaphaa bürü  
      iphóró, e gude ahúma  
      uzo l'eliphe;  
 Ali l'ophu tsuhu ebvu;  
      nmahụ jjijiji.
- 19 I tògboror gbororo l'echi  
      eze-enyimu.  
 I shijaru eze-ogbu-enyimu,  
      parụ eka ghata;  
      ophu ọ bụdu l'a húmaru  
      eka i zoju okpa.
- 20 I gbe l'eka Mósisu yee Erónu  
      dua ndibe ngu g'onye  
      edu aturu.

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### *Évù, Asafu kwaru*

- 1 Unubẹ ndu mu; unu númera  
      iphe, mu ezi!  
 Unu ngabẹ nchị númera opfu,  
      shi mu l'ọnua!
- 2 Gẹ mu bya asaa ọnua númeru  
      etu nụ unu;  
      gẹ mu bya avoshichaa opfu,  
      e domiru edomi e -shi  
      teke ndiche.
- 3 Iphe ono bụ iphe,  
      anyi númerajehawaru;  
      bya abürü iphe, anyi maru.  
 O bụ iphe, nna anyi oche phe  
      shi akojehawaru anyi.

- 4** G'ike Chipfu habe shii;  
 teme waa iphe,  
 gbaru k'etu ẹpha; yẹe iphe,  
 dù biribiri,  
 o mekötaru bẹ anyi te  
 edomiduru ụnwu phẹ edomi;  
 Anyi e-pfucharu iya ọgbo  
 ọphu dükwadu l'iphu.
- 5** O doberu ụnwu Jiékọpu  
 omelalị, ẹphe e-tsoje;  
 bya atụa ekemu dobe;  
 o nguru anguru l'alị Ízurelu;  
 bya akaru ndiche anyi phẹ  
 g'ẹphe zikwaa ya  
 ụnwegirima phẹ.
- 6** K'ọphu ọgbo ọphu aby a nụ  
 a-maru iya;  
 mbụ ndu ọphu e teke  
 anwükpodaa nụ anwụnwu.  
 Ẹphebedua egudekwa iya phọ  
 zia ụnwu nkephẹ.
- 7** Oo ya bụ g'ẹphe akporu obu  
 ye lẹ Chileke.  
 Ẹphe ta azohaedu iphe,  
 o meshiru.  
 Ẹphe edobedzua ekemu iya  
 g'ọ ha.
- 8** Ẹphe ta adụedu gẹ nna phẹ  
 oche phẹ shi bụru ọgbo ejo  
 ọkpoma; bụru ọgbo,  
 kwefuru Chileke ike;  
 mbụ ọgbo, adụdu teke obu  
 phẹ ngujeru anguru l'eka

Chileke nọ;  
teme ophu o dudu teke ẹphe  
pfushijeru ike l'iphu iya.

<sup>9</sup> A makwarụ-a l'unwoke  
Ifuremu gude apfụ kwaa  
onwophę ngwogu;  
obenu l'ogu tsuru;  
ẹphe ye ọkpa l'oso  
gbalachaa.

<sup>10</sup> Ogbandzu ẹphe lẹ Chileke  
bẹ ẹphe mebyiru;  
ophu ẹphe emeduru  
kụnyabe iphe,  
o tịru l'ekemu.

<sup>11</sup> Ẹphe zohaa iphe,  
Chileke meshiru;  
mbụ iphe, dù biribiri,  
o meshiru goshi phẹ.

<sup>12</sup> O meshiru iphe,  
dù biribiri l'iphu nna  
phẹ oche l'alị Ijiputu  
lẹ mgbegu Zowanu.

<sup>13</sup> Eze Ẹnyimu bẹ o keru  
ẹbolechiko dua phẹ dughata.  
O mee mini; o kpua  
oronmono g'igbuļo.

<sup>14</sup> Iphe, o gude dua phẹ l'eswe  
bụ urwukpu;  
bya egude iphóró ọku  
dua phẹ l'enyashi  
mboku-mboku.

<sup>15</sup> Agbara-mkpuma bẹ o  
gbajaharu ẹbo l'echiegu;

shi l'eka ono nụ phẹ mini,  
doru nyimunyimu  
g'oke-enyimu.

16 O bụru ẹka mkpuma gbaru  
ɔru bẹ o meru;  
mini soshihu sqaha  
gborogboro gẹ nggele.

17 Obenu l'ephe emeèle iya-a  
iphe-eji.

Ephe noele-a l'echięgu ono  
ekwefuru  
Okalibe-kakota-shii ike.

18 Ephe lekebekpoo ᘧnya wata  
ahụ Chileke ama;  
mbụ kebekpoeopho g'ọ  
nụ-dzujeru phẹ ụdu nri,  
agụ phẹ nụ.

19 Ephe pfuaru Chileke ejo opfu  
sụ:  
"?Bụ gẹ Chileke adụ ike zụa  
anyi l'echięgu-a?

20 Teke o chiru iphe  
l'agbara-mkpuma  
bẹ mini shi iya soshihu;  
nggele bụru gborogboro.  
Ole ọ bụ; ?bụ g'oo-dufua ike  
nụ anyi nri?  
Tọo ?oo-dufukwapho ike nụ  
anyi anụ?"

21 Chipfu -numae ya pho;  
eħu ghua ya oke eghu.

O woru onwu taphutaphu  
oku kpóberu Jiékọpu;

mbụ woru oke  
ęhu-eghu iya doberu  
ndu Ízurelu.

<sup>22</sup> Kele ęphe te ekwetadụru  
lę Chileke duru iphe,  
o bụ;  
teme ọphu ęphe  
ekwetakwarụpho  
l'ọqo-dụ ike dzọo phẹ.

<sup>23</sup> Obenu l'ọ suru akpaminigwe  
l'ọwa-a iphe, oo-me;  
o mee ya;  
teme ọ gúhashia ụzo  
imigwe;

<sup>24</sup> bya edzeeru ndu Ízurelu nri  
ono, bụ mana gẹ mini.

Ọ bürü akpuru-iphe,  
shi l'igwe bẹ ọ nṣuru phẹ  
ęgube ono.

<sup>25</sup> Amadụ ria nri ụnwu imigwe.  
Chileke nụ-dzukotaru phẹ nri,  
suru phẹ eriri.

<sup>26</sup> Pherephere, eshije l'ụzo  
ęnyanwu-awawa bụ  
yębedua tħarū iya ụzo  
imigwe; ọ wata ezizi.

Nokwapho g'o gude ike iya  
nwuhaa ọphu eshije  
l'ụzo ndohali; ọ wata ezizi.

<sup>27</sup> Anụ, aata atata b'o dzeru  
phẹ;  
ọ nodu etsu  
gbiigbiigbi g'udzu,

nọ l'ali.

Ęnu, ephe l'eli bẹ o nwuru nụ  
phẹ;  
o ghakashịhuru phẹ g'eja,  
kuru l'aguga ẹnyimu.

28 O mee; ephe phebatachaa  
l'eka ephe dotoru.

Ụlo-ekwa phẹ bẹ o shi  
anodujechacha ephephe  
mgburugburu.

29 Ephe ria nri jasụ ẹpho  
jigharu phẹ ẹka;  
kele o nṣru phẹ iphe,  
agụ phẹ nụ.

30 Ole ephe byaru erighe nri  
ono, shi agụ phẹ nụ ono;  
mbụ l'ephe kpukwadu  
iya l'ọnụ;

31 Chileke watawaa phẹ  
atukoshi oke ẹhu-eghu  
iya.

O tukoepho ndu kachaa  
okporokpo l'echilabọ  
phẹ gbushia;  
mbụ l'ọ tukoru  
ụnwokorobya Izurelu  
ono mebyishia.

32 O mechakpokwa phẹ egube  
ono;  
ephe nodu  
emekwapho iphe-eji.

O mechakpotoru phẹ  
iphe-ohumalenya ono;

ophu ẹphe ekwekwapho  
l'ọ duru iphe,  
o bụ.

<sup>33</sup> Noo g'o gude o mee ndzụ phẹ  
chịhu g'udzu ọnụ;  
bya egude keteketekpaa  
mebyia ndzụ phẹ.

<sup>34</sup> Teke ọ haṇru phẹ pho  
gbushia;  
ẹphe agbẹ teke ono  
chọahaa ya;  
mbụ ẹphe alwụkorohu  
dakobe;  
ghaaru iya iphu ọzo  
lwapfuta iya.

<sup>35</sup> Ephe anyata lẹ Chileke shi  
bụru agbara-mkpuma phẹ;  
l'ọ Chileke ono,  
 bụ Okalibe-kakota-shii  
ono bụ onye  
gbafutaru phẹ nụ.

<sup>36</sup> Ole ẹphe gude ọnụ phẹ aja  
iya ewenu;  
mbụ l'ẹphe gude ire phẹ  
adzuru iya uka.

<sup>37</sup> Obu phẹ ta anodu l'eka ọ nọ;  
ophu ọ dudu teke ẹphe  
pfujeru pfushia ike  
l'ogbandzu ẹphe l'iya.

<sup>38</sup> Ole Chileke aphujele-a  
obu-imemini გურა  
phẹ nvụ l'ejo-iphe ono,  
ẹphe anoduje emegbabẹ ono;

ophu o mebyishiduru phẹ.  
 Ugbo olemole bẹ ọ  
 lo-phuchawaru  
 ẹhu-eghu iya azụ;  
 ophu ọ tükoduru oke  
 ẹhu-eghu iya ono g'ọ  
 ha wụa phẹ l'ishi.

<sup>39</sup> O nodu anyatajẹ l'ephe bụ  
 anụ-ẹhu;  
 l'ephe bụ pherephere,  
 ezi ezizi,  
 ete eziphujehedu azụ  
 m'o zighatawa.

<sup>40</sup> Ugbo olemole bẹ ephe  
 kwefuwaru iya ike  
 teke ephe eje l'echięgu;  
 mbụ kpatsu iya iwe l'alị,  
 dabyiru mgbegere.

<sup>41</sup> Tekenteke kpoo bẹ ephe shi  
 anoduje ahụ Chileke ama.  
 Ephe shi anoduje eme Onye  
 dù Nso kẹ ndu Ízurelu  
 iphe ẹhu-eghu.

<sup>42</sup> Ophu ephe anyataęduru  
 ọkpēhu iya ono;  
 mbụ ọkpēhu ono,  
 o gude gbafuta phẹ l'eka  
 ndu shi eme phẹ mkpawere ono;  
<sup>43</sup> bụ iya bụ mboku, o meru;  
 a hụma-dzuru iphe,  
 dù biriñiri,  
 o meru lẹ Ijiputu; mẹ iphe,  
 dù ebvu, o meshiru lẹ

mgbẹgu Zowanu.

44 O meru nggele nggele phẹ;  
o ghoshia mee.

O mee ọphu mini,  
doru l'enyimu adudu  
k'angunyu.

45 O chiru ijiji ye;  
o turu wowowo bya  
anya phẹ chiiptuu;  
bya achiru mbara ye;  
o mebyishia ali phẹ.

46 Iphe, ẹphe kuru l'alị be o  
chiru inyarinya yee;  
o tapyashia;  
bya achiru igube yeru ndu  
ophu miru amimi;  
o tafu iya.

47 Oshi sikamo phẹ be o gude  
akamini tupyashia;  
bya egude iji uguru  
mebyishia akpuru  
vayinu phẹ.

48 Eswi phẹ be o gude ejo  
akamini ono tugbushichaa;  
bya egude ire egbigwe  
tugbushikota  
iphe-edobè phẹ g'o ha.

49 O tuko oke ẹhu-eghu  
iya g'o ha vuru byabẹ  
phẹ l'ishi.

O chita ụnwu-ojozi-imigwe  
ye g'ephe je  
emeghe nkephẹ.

50 O tɔru ehu-eghu iya ono  
owere;  
ophu o machiduru eka  
iya nafuta phɛ g'ephe  
ta anwuhu.

O woru phɛ haaru ejɔ  
iphe-ememe g'o  
meghee nkephɛ.

51 Iphe, bukpoo ndu bụ ọkpara  
l'alị Ijiputu bẹ o  
gbukotaru ebugbu;  
mbụ mebyishichaa nwa,  
vuru uzo kpoo  
onyemonye iphu  
l'alị Hamu.

52 Obenu lẹ ndibe iya bẹ o tɔru  
nwèhu rwua g'onye erwu  
aturu rwufuta;  
bya echee phɛ g'eecheje  
aturu-a gude  
dughaa echięgu.

53 O dukpoeru phɛ pho chiriri  
werere; gẹ ndzụ ba gu phɛ;  
obenu lẹ ndu ọhogu iya  
bẹ o haru;  
eze-enyimu rigbushikota.

54 Tɔbudu iya bụ;  
o dua phɛ durwua eka  
bụ oke alị iya, dù nsɔ;  
mbụ durwua phɛ l'ubvú  
ono,  
o gude ękutara iya  
lwuta ono.

55 O chia ndu ohozo  
ikpabaka chifuchaa  
l'iphu phę;  
bya eworu alı phę keeru  
ndu Ízuręlu g'ọ bụru  
okiphe phę.

O chiru ọkpá-ipfu Ízuręlu ye;  
ẹphe buchishia alı  
phę ono.

56 Ole ẹphe mechaeleru-a  
hụa Chileke ama;  
bya ekwefuru  
Okalibe-kakota-shii ike;  
mekota iphe, bükpoo iphe,  
o suru g'ẹphe te emejeshi.

57 Ephe ts oo ọkpá nna phę oche;  
gbakütaru Chileke azu;  
teme ẹphe bụru ndu  
adudu onye gude ire  
phę eka.

Onye daphuberu phę nụ  
dụ g'onye  
daphuberu okpete.

58 Ephe gude eka ẹphe agwaje  
iphe,  
ẹphe dobegbaaru l'ekameka;  
gude kpatsua Chileke iwe;  
mbụ kpatsu iya;  
o koaharụ ntékpe,  
ẹphe pyiširu okophoo.

59 Gẹ Chileke hümari iya bę ẹhu  
ghushiru iya eghu ike.

Ọ jíkaephō ndu Ízurēlu  
jíkanyia ᴈya.

- 60 O nō-buhu l'ulo-ékwa nkiya  
ono, dū lē Shilo;  
mbu ulo-ékwa ono,  
bu yébedua gude ẹka  
iya kpóbe l'echilabó  
ụnwu-eliphe.
- 61 O woru okpoko ọgbandzu  
iya haa; ndu ọhogu iya  
lwúta l'ogu;  
mbu okpoko ọgbandzu,  
bu iya egoshije g'ike iya  
habe shii;  
bya abúru iphe,  
egoshije g'o dū-be biribiri  
bè o paru haa l'ẹka  
ndu ọhogu iya.
- 62 O haru ndibe iya; e gbushia  
phè;  
noo kélé ndu ono,  
bu okiphe iya ono bè  
kpatsuru iya iwe.
- 63 Nwada phè ta adudu onye  
byaru phè alýta;  
noo kélé ụnwokorobya  
phè bè ọku tsugbushibèberu.
- 64 Ndu uke Chileke phè bè  
e gude mma gbushia;  
ophu ụnwanyi,  
ji phè nwúhuru anojeedu  
l'ulo-maa ndu shi alu  
phè nü.

- 65 A -nonyaa; Nnajịuphu  
 kwolihu g'onye shi  
 eku mgbenya;  
 mbụ kwolihu g'onye shi  
 ngua mée;  
 ọ lọta iya phube;
- 66 bya enwuphu ndu ọhogu  
 iya azụ;  
 mee phẹ iphe-iphere,  
 ichi iya te nwedu echihu  
 jasụ l'ojejoje.
- 67 Oshilokpa Jiósẹfu l'ophu bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
 ọ jíkakotaru;  
 mbụ l'okpa-ipfu Ifuremu bẹ<sup>2</sup>  
 ọ tọ hotaduru.
- 68 Obenu l'ọ gbechia hota  
 ọkpia-ipfu Jiuda;  
 bụ iya bụ úbvú Zayonu ono,  
 o yero obu ono.
- 69 Ọ bya eworu ụlo iya,  
 dù nsọ kpua; ọ ha g'oke úbvú;  
 mbụ kpua ya; ọ dù g'eliphe,  
 ọ türü ọkpia iya; ọ bürü iphe,  
 a-nọ jasụ l'ojejoje.
- 70 Ọ hotaru onye-ozi iya,  
 bụ Dévidi;  
 bya edufuta iya l'eka ọ nọ  
 l'odu aturu.
- 71 O dufutaru iya l'eka ooche aturu  
 g'ọ bya eleta ndibe iya,  
 bụ ụnwụ Jiékopu ẹnya;  
 mbụ g'ọ kpọ-zijeru ụnwụ  
 Ízurelu, bụ okiphe iya ụzo.

**72** Dévidi gudekpoeopho obu,  
 guru iphóró leta phẹ ẹnya;  
 bya egude ọkpobe  
 mmamiphe chikota phẹ  
 lẹ chiriri werere.

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### *Ebvu-ọma, Asafu deru*

**1** Gube Chileke; húmanu lẹ ndu  
 ọhozo sọ-kputewaru  
 alị ono,  
 bù okiphe ngu ono.

Ephe pharwushiwaru eze-ulo  
 ngu ono, dù nsọ ono;  
 bya emewaa Jierúsalemu;  
 ọ bùru ikpozu.

**2** Odzu ndu ejeru ngu ozi  
 bẹ ephe wowaru  
 tògbogbaaru ẹnu,  
 ephe l'eli g'o ria;  
 mbụ l'odzu ndu dýru ngu  
 nsọ bẹ ephe wowaru  
 týaru anụ-egbudu  
 nanụ nanụ.

**3** Jierúsalemu l'ophu gba  
 mgburugburu bẹ  
 ephe gbashíru  
 mee nemadzụ gẹ mini;  
 ọphu ọ duedu onye  
 nökwdadu nụ, e-gburu  
 ejá tukobe ndu ono,  
 wúshiru egube ono.

**4** Ndu obutobu anyi phẹ mẹ

ndu bupheru anyi  
 mgburugburu  
 tuko ekweru anyi une bya  
 achị anyi ọchi.

<sup>5</sup> ?Bụ teke ole bẹ ẹhu  
 e-ghuberu ngu eghu  
 gube Chipfu?

?Ehu e-ghuwa ngu rọ eghu  
 jasụ l'ojejoje tọo?

?Bụ teke ole bẹ okophoo  
 ngu e-nwuberu  
 phuruphuru g'ọku  
 kparu?

<sup>6</sup> Wonuru ehu-eghu ngu  
 tukoshi ndu ọhozo ono,  
 amadụ ngu nụ ono!

Tukoshikwa iya phọ alị-eze  
 ono,  
 ete ekujedu ẹpha ngu ono!

<sup>7</sup> Kele ẹphe gbuwaru oshilokpa  
 Jiékopu pyaapyaa;  
 bya emebyishiwa unuphu  
 ibe phẹ.

<sup>8</sup> Te emekwa g'anyi nwụa  
 ọnwu iphe-eji,  
 nna anyi oche phẹ meru!

Phụaru anyi obu-imemini  
 ẹgwegwa;  
 kélé anyi dabiyiaru  
 mgbegere.

<sup>9</sup> Yeru anyi eka jiko Chileke;  
 mbụ gubedua,  
 bụ onye ndzota anyi;

k'ophu ee-shi nno kwabẹ<sup>e</sup>  
ephä ngu ùbvù.

Guaru anyi nvụ l'iphe-eji anyi;  
nafuta anyi;  
g'ephä ngu apfuru!

10 ?Denu g'o gude ndu ọhozo  
je a-noduje ajị-phe sụ:  
“?Denu eka Chileke  
phẹ no?”

Nodunu l'iphu anyi mee ge  
ndu ọhozo ono madzuru  
l'i gwataru ụgwo ọchi  
ndu ejeru ngu ozi ono,  
e gbushiru ono.

11 G'ude, ndu nọ l'ọka mkporo  
atsụ rwunaa ngu nchị!

Gudenụ ọkpehu ngu mee ge  
ndu e kperu mpfugbu  
nweru onwophe.

12 Pfua obutobu anyi phẹ ụgwo  
iphe,  
ephe meru ngu ugbo esonaa;  
mbụ iphe-iphere,  
ephe mekotaru kpua  
gube Chipfu.

13 Qo ya bụ g'anyibe ndibe ngu  
etua ngu ephä jeye  
l'ojiejoje;  
mbụ anyibe aturu,  
iiche echeche ono;  
mbụ l'anyi e-tu ngu ephä;  
e -shi l'ogbo  
sweru ọgbo.

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*Ebvu-oma, Asafu deru  
 nu onye-ishi ebvu;  
 g'e gude olu ebvu, "Ojimbvu Ogbandzu"  
 gua ya*

<sup>1-2</sup> Ngabenu anyi nchị l'olu;  
 gube onye eche Ízurelu  
 g'onye eche aturu;  
 bya aburu onye anoduje  
 erwu Jiósəfu g'onye  
 erwu igwe aturu eje  
 le nri.

Gẹ gube onye ono,  
 sugaru l'echilabọ chierobu  
 ono chinaa g'anwụ  
 l'iphu ndu Ifuremu;  
 waa ndu Benjiaminu;  
 yee ndu Manáse!

Jiko rükotanu ike ngu bya  
 adzota anyi!

<sup>3</sup> Dophunu anyi azụ l'ọnodu  
 anyi jiko Chileke!

G'iphu ngu gbua nwijinwii  
 l'ehu anyi;  
 k'ophu aa-dzota anyi.

<sup>4</sup> Gube Chipfu bụ Chileke;  
 bya aburu Okalibe-Kakota-Ike;  
 ?ehu e-ghukpoo ngu eghu  
 ghuberu teke ole;  
 mbu kẹ g'i tị nümaje epfupfu,  
 ndibe ngu epfu anụ ngu?

<sup>5</sup> Nta-a bẹ i mewaru phẹ;

ẹnya-mini bürü phẹ nri  
 eriri;  
 bya emee phẹ;  
 ẹphe ngua ẹnya-mini,  
 jiru ochi njaka-ọn.

<sup>6</sup> I mewaru; ndu obutobu anyi  
 phẹ nodu ekweru anyi  
 uné;  
 teme ndu ọhogu anyi nodu  
 achị anyi ntumatu.

<sup>7</sup> Dophunu anyi azu l'ọnodu  
 anyi; jiko Chileke,  
 bụ Okalibe-Kakota-Ike!  
 G'iphu ngu gbua nwịinwii  
 l'ehu anyi;  
 k'ophu aa-dzota anyi.

<sup>8</sup> Oo ngu shi l'alị Ijiputu gude  
 akpuru vayinu wolata;  
 bya atuko ndu ọhozo  
 chifuchaa l'alị phẹ;  
 bya eworu iya kụa.

<sup>9</sup> Oo ngu gude eka ngu  
 gbuchaa eka i kpóberu  
 iya egbucha.

Ọ bya agbaa ọgbarabvu,  
 tukoru alị ono l'ophu  
 jedzuru.

<sup>10</sup> O jaa àjajà jachikota úbvú  
 l'ophu;  
 mbụ l'ekali iya haephō  
 ephekerephe  
 ephekerephe g'eze  
 oshi sida.

11 Ḳpfukala iya jedzuru  
oke-enyimu.

Ọ tuko ékameka kpofushia  
jasú l'enyimu  
Yufurétisu.

12 ?Denu g'o nwuru ọ gbèchia  
búru nta-a bẹ́ i jeru  
eworu mgbabu iya  
phòkashia;  
k'ophu onyemonye,  
aghata nụ ejeje je awo  
akpuru iya g'o dù iya?

13 Ezi-ọswa shi l'oke ọswa  
wụ-pfuta iya bya  
atakwochia ya;  
teme ụnwu anu,  
i meru dobe l'egbudu búru  
iya bẹ́ ẹphe gude  
azụ onwophe.

14 Lwapfutanụ azụ lwapfuta  
anyi; jiko Chileke,  
bụ Okalibe-Kakota-Ike!  
Gbenu l'imigwe lefu enya  
humakpodapho iphe,  
anwụ nụ.

Jiko letanụ vayinu  
ngu-a enya;

15 mbụ ọgbarabvu iya ono,  
bụ gubedua gude ékutara  
ngu yee ya;  
mbụ nwa nwoke,  
bụ gubedua gude eka ngu  
zua ya zụ-tsee.

16 Ome vayinu ngu ono bẹ́

- e gbubushiakwarụ.  
 E gudeakwa ọku tsupyashịa  
 ya.  
 Ọ bụru mba, i gbanwụberu  
 iphu baarụ ndibe ngu  
 meru iphe,  
 ẹphe watarụ alaa l'iyi.
- <sup>17</sup> Wonụru eka tukobe nwoke ono,  
 nọ ngu l'ekutara ono;  
 mbụ nwa nwoke ono,  
 bụ gubedua gude eka ngu zụa  
 ya zụ-tsee ono.
- <sup>18</sup> Oo ya bụ g'anyi aghabuhuru  
 ngu okotazụ.  
 Jiko phunwunaa anyi g'ọku;  
 g'anyi awata eku ẹpha  
 ngu ọzo.
- <sup>19</sup> Dophunụ anyi azụ l'ọnodu  
 anyi;  
 jiko Chipfu, bụ Chileke;  
 bya abụru  
 Okalibe-Kakota-Ike!  
 G'iphu ngu gbua nwịinwii  
 l'ehu anyi;  
 k'ọphu aa-dzọta anyi.

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*Ebvu, Asafu deru nụ  
 onye-ishi ebvu;  
 g'e gude ngwa ebvu,  
 jítà gúa ya*

<sup>1</sup> Unu gúa ebvu ẹhu-ụtso nụ  
 Chileke;

- onye bụ iya bụ ike anyi!  
 Unu gude ẹhu-ütso gbọ ọgboo  
 l'iphu Chileke kẹ  
 Jiékópu!
- <sup>2</sup> Unu watanụ agụ ebvu;  
 kürü nkwa ye iya!  
 Unu akpooru iya ogumogu;  
 waa une ेrengete!
- <sup>3</sup> Unu gbunaa opu m'ọnwa  
 füepho k'òphúú!  
 Unu gbukwaa ya pho m'ọnwa  
 dzuepho edzudzu;  
 a wata ọbo-iphe.
- <sup>4</sup> L'iphe ono bükwa omelali,  
 a türü doberu ndu Ízurelu;  
 mbụ l'oo iphe,  
 Chileke kẹ Jiékópu tọru  
 ọkpa sụ g'e tsoje.
- <sup>5</sup> Oo ekemu, o meru o shihu  
 ike;  
 bya asụ gẹ Jiósẹfu  
 meje iya;  
 mbụ teke ono,  
 o tsoru ndu Ijiputu ọgu  
 onoya.  
 Olu, mu anụ te edokwaru  
 mu ẹnya.
- <sup>6</sup> Olu ono sụru: Oo mbędua  
 pafuru phẹ ọke ivu ono,  
 shi nödu phẹ l'ukuvu ono;  
 mbụ bya ezia phẹ nkata  
 ivu ono,  
 ẹphe shi vuru ono.

**7** Teke unu eje iphe-éhuka bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
 unu kuru mu oku;  
 mu nōdu l'urwukpu gude  
 egbigwe za unu ẹnu  
 bya adzota unu.

Mu gude mini Meriba húa  
 unu ama.

**8** Unubẹ ndibe mu;  
 unu ngabékpodapho;  
 gẹ mu lọo unu ẹka lẹ nchị!

Unubẹ ndu Ízurelu;  
 unu ngabékpodarū mu  
 pho nchị!

**9** G'ọ tọ dükwa iphe ọzo,  
 unu e-dobe agwa  
 agwagwa  
 l'echilabọ unu!

Teme ophu ọ dükwa iphe ọzo,  
 unu a-bajeru ejá.

**10** Noo kélé ọo mbédúa bụ  
 Chipfu;  
 bya abúru Chileke unu.

Ọo mbédúa bụ onye  
 dufutarú unu l'alí Ijiputu;  
 mbụ-a;  
 unu sakpódapho ọnú  
 unu gabala gẹ mu  
 wụ-jia ya awụ-jí!

**11** "Obenu lẹ ndibe mu te  
 eyeduru mu ọnú;  
 mbụ lẹ Ízurelu te  
 ekwedu nōdu mu l'ẹka.

**12** Tòbudu iya bụ;

mu wonụru phẹ haaru  
 ejo ọkpoma phẹ;  
 g'ephe tsowaruro iphe,  
 ẹphe rịtaru l'obu phẹ.

- <sup>13</sup> Sụ-a; ọme ọo kẹ gẹ ndibe  
 mu ngabẹru mu nchi;  
 ọme ọo kẹ gẹ ndu Ízurẹlu  
 tsoo ụzo, mu tọru phẹ;  
<sup>14</sup> emekpe ndu ọhogu phẹ  
 ta adukpodaa iphe,  
 o gege abụru mu.  
 Mu gege ewoerupho eka byabe  
 ndu achị phẹ lẹ njo;  
 chia phẹ ọkpuru-akpohu.

- <sup>15</sup> Ono gege eme gẹ ndu mọbe  
 Chipfu dụ ashị woze  
 onwophẹ alị l'iphu mu;  
 ọdumeka mu ahụa phẹ  
 ahụhụ jasụ l'ojejoje.

- <sup>16</sup> Obenu l'unubedula bẹ  
 mu gege egude  
 ọkpobe ereshi zụa;  
 bya egude manụ-enciónwu,  
 shi l'agbara-mkpuma  
 nụ-jia unu ẹpho."

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### *Ebvu-ọma, Asafu deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Chileke bataakwaru lẹ  
 ndzukọ ndu-ikpe.  
 Ọ no l'eka ono g'o kpee phẹ  
 ikpe.

<sup>2</sup> Sụ-a: “?Bụ teke ole bẹ unu  
e-kpeberu ikpe,  
apfuduru-oto?

Mbụ-a; ?bukpoo teke ole bẹ  
unu a-gbaberu ndu  
ejo-iphe ọdzori?

<sup>3</sup> Unu hanaaru ndu ükpa waa  
ndu enwedu nna enge!

Unu kpenaaru ndu aakpa  
eħu waa ndu akpa nri  
ikpe, pfuru oto!

<sup>4</sup> Unu gbafutanu ndu ükpa waa  
ndu adudu g'ọ dù phẹ;  
shi nno nafuta phẹ l'eka  
ndu ejo-iphe!”

<sup>5</sup> O tọ dùdu iphe, ẹphe maru;  
teme ọphu ọ dùdu iphe,  
edoje phẹ enya.

Ẹphe anoduje erwu dadishi  
l'ochii.

Eká a turu ọkpa eliphe-a  
l'ophu tukoakwaru  
anga anganga.

<sup>6</sup> Mu sürü-a: “Mu makwaru-a  
l'unu nọ-chiru enya  
mube Chileke;  
mbụ lẹ g'unu ha bụkota  
unwu  
Ọkalibe-kakota-shii;

<sup>7</sup> Obenu l'unu e-mechaa nwụhu  
gę nemadzụ mmanụ.

Unu e-mechaa daa gę  
ndu-ishi ọzo adaję.”

<sup>8</sup> Gbalihunu gube Chileke;  
kpee ndiphe ikpe!  
Kele ọhamoha bükota iphe,  
i nwe enwenwe.

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*Ebvu-ọma, Asafu deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Gube Chileke; ta agbashiṇu nkuchi!  
Su-a; gube Chileke;  
ba nodushinu  
ngguingguji!
- Jiko ba adashinu kɔkoroko!
- <sup>2</sup> ?ị humawaru gẹ ndu ọhogu  
ngu aphụ temutemu;  
waa gẹ ndu i dù ashi  
eseli ishi.
- <sup>3</sup> Ephe gude erekede achị idzu  
ndibe ngu; mbụ achị iphe,  
ephe e-me ndu dù ngu l'obu.
- <sup>4</sup> Ephe epfu sụ: "Unu bya  
g'anyi tuko ọha ono  
l'ophu lwụa.  
G'anyi mee g'epha Izurelu  
chihukpoepho l'ophu  
l'ophu."
- <sup>5</sup> Ephe buru obu lanụ;  
idzu phę wụa nanụ.  
Ephe riwaru nte l'ephe e-me  
ngu ejio-iphe.
- <sup>6</sup> Ndu onu-ulo Edomu;  
yee ndu Ishimelu;  
waa oshilokpa Hega;

- waa kẹ Mówabu.
- <sup>7</sup> Waa ndu Gebalu;  
yẹe ndu Amọnu;  
waa ndu Amalékü.
- Ndu Filisitayinu yíkwa iya  
pho;  
ndu Taya yíru iya.
- <sup>8</sup> Teme ndu Asiriya bya  
ayíkwaru iya pho.
- Ephe chikoberu onwophe  
g'ephe bürü agbaru-ike  
ndibe Lötü.
- <sup>9</sup> Menaă phę iphe,  
i meru Midiyau.
- Mee phę g'i meru Sizera yẹe  
Jiabinu l'okpa ẹnyimu  
Kishonu;
- <sup>10</sup> mbụ ndu ono,  
i meru ephe bürü  
mkpurupyata lę  
Enu-Doru; bya emee;  
ephe reshihụ kuru l'alị;  
bụwaruro ikpozu,  
emekwa alị.
- <sup>11</sup> Menaă ndu eze phę iphe,  
i meru Orębu; waa iphe,  
i meru Zeyębu.
- Mekwaapho ndu-ishi phę  
iphe,  
i meru Zeba waa  
Zalumuna.
- <sup>12</sup> Mbụ ndu ono, sujeru: “Unu  
g'anyi lwụa alị Chileke

l'ophu lwuta nworu."

- 13 Jiko Chileke nkemu;  
 menaa phẹ g'ẹphe dù  
 g'éswa ekpofu;  
 mbụ g'ẹphe dù g'éswa ereshi,  
 pherephere zikashịru.
- 14 G'o bụru g'oku anoduje alwa  
 wọowoowoo l'ọswa-a;  
 ọzoo g'oku etsuje úbvú-a  
 15 bụ g'ii-nwuru  
 phuruphuru g'oke  
 pherephere chịa  
 phẹ ọso;  
 teme l'i gude oke  
 pherephere ngu ono mee  
 gẹ ndzụ rwuta phẹ.
- 16 Menaa g'iphere ji phẹ iphu;  
 k'ophu ndiphe a-wata acho  
 ụzo,  
 ẹphe e-shi maru ẹpha  
 gube Chipfu.
- 17 G'e meje phẹ iphe-iphere;  
 mejeru ndzụ-agugu ye  
 phẹ l'iphu  
 mkpụrumkpuru!
- G'ẹphe gudekwa iphere  
 laa maa!
- 18 G'ẹphe eshi nno maru l'ọo  
 gube onye ono,  
 ẹpha ngu bụ Chipfu ono  
 bụ Okalibe-kakota-shii lẹ  
 mgboko mgburugburu.

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*Ebvu-ọma, e deru nụ onye-ishi  
 ebvu g'ụnwu Kora gúa;  
 g'e gude ngwa ebvu,  
 jítá gúa ya*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu,  
 bụ Okalibe-Kakota-Ike;  
 Iphe, eka i bu amakwanụ!

<sup>2</sup> Oogushi obu mu ike;  
 mbụ lẹ meji atofuakwa  
 mu atofu eka ọogu  
 mu anodu  
 l'eze-ulo Chipfu.

Obu mu; m'ogwéhu mu l'ophu  
 ara araku Chileke ono,  
 dzụ ndzụ ono.

<sup>3</sup> Lenu l'ụnwu ogbe nwechaaru  
 eka ẹphe bugbaa  
 l'eze-ulo ngu ono.

Agbèta nwekwarupho eka  
 ẹphe akpajẹ ẹpfune;  
 mbụ eka ẹphe anoduje  
 zushia unwu.

eka ono bụ lẹ mgboru  
 ọru-ngweja gube Chipfu,  
 bụ Chileke mu;  
 bya aburu  
 Okalibe-Kakota-Ike;  
 bya abukwarupho  
 Eze mu.

<sup>4</sup> Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ ndu bu  
 ebubu l'eze-ulo ngu;  
 noo kélé ẹphe anoduje

l'eka ono etu ngu ẹpha  
mkpúrumkpuru.

**5** Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ ndu bụ  
ngu bụ agbaru-ike phẹ;  
mbụ ndu bụ iphe,  
uche iya echije phẹ ẹhu  
 bụ g'ẹphe e-me jerwua  
úbvú Zayonu.

**6** Oobujeru; ẹphe -nodu  
awughata lẹ nsüda Baka;  
l'o dù g'eka mini aso  
gborogboro;  
teme l'o dükwa phẹ pho  
g'eka mini udzumini  
dzeshiru ike;  
tuko ékameka tükashia  
okpuru okpuru.

**7** Ephe eshije l'ike dasweru ike  
gbiriri jasụ teke ẹphe  
a-tuko je apfuru l'iphu  
Chileke l'úbvú Zayonu.

**8** Gube Chipfu, bụ Chileke,  
bya abụru Ọkalibe-Kakota-Ike;  
numanu epfupfu,  
mu epfu anụ ngu!

Nagaberu mu nchi;  
gube Chileke kẹ Jiékopu!

**9** Lenaa ẹnya húma onye ono,  
egbobutaje anyi ono  
gube Chileke!

Lenaa onye ono ẹnya;  
mbụ onye ono,  
ị würü manụ l'ishi;

gude mee ya;  
o bụru eze ono!

Meeru iya eze-iphe-oma!

<sup>10</sup> Ano ujiku ophu l'eze-ulø  
ngu kakwa ree eme  
l'anø ụnu apha labø  
l'ukporo apha iri  
l'eka ọzo.

Ọ kakwa mu ree gẹ mu bụru  
onye aguhajeru ndu abata  
l'eze-ulø Chileke ụzo;  
eme lẹ mu jeru atusaru  
ehu l'ibe ndu ejio-iphe.

<sup>11</sup> Kele Chipfu, bụ Chileke dù  
g'enyanwu;  
bya abụru onye  
egbobotaje anyi.

Chipfu emejeru ndiphe  
eze-iphe-oma;  
bya emeje g'a kwabę  
nemadzụ ùbvụ.

Ọ tọ dudu iphe, dù ree,  
o kejeru eka mbvu l'o tọo  
nudu iya ndu ụta adudu  
lẹ ndzụ phę.

<sup>12</sup> Gube Chipfu,  
 bụ Okalibe-Kakota-Ike;  
ehu-utso bę a goru nụ  
onye dakoberu ngu nụ.

- <sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; i goshiru l'ali  
ngu du ngu l'obu.  
O buru iphe ono meru g'o  
gude i dumphuta ndibe  
Jiekopu azu l'ali phe;  
mbu ndu e shi kpua le ndzue.
- <sup>2</sup> Ejo-iphe, ndibe ngu meshiru  
be i gurus phe nvu;  
bya eworu iphe kpube l'iphe-eji,  
ephe meshiru g'o ha.
- <sup>3</sup> I tukowaru oke ehu-eghu  
ngu g'o ha gwobe;  
bya apakotaru ehu-eghu ono,  
meru;  
enya nodu ata ngu  
kpitikpiti ono paru haa.
- <sup>4</sup> Dophunu anyi azu l'onodu  
anyi; jiko Chileke,  
bu onye ndzota anyi.  
Hanaa avuru anyi ovuma!
- <sup>5</sup> ?Iphe, anyi meru ngu  
e-ghuwa ngu ro eghu  
jasu l'ojejoje too?  
Mbua; ?ji-hawaro ehu-eghu  
ngu ono g'o shi l'ogbo  
swetu ogbo too?
- <sup>6</sup> ?Tii kabekpodaa mee g'anyi  
jakerehu ozo;  
shi nno mee g'ehu  
kabekpoo tsuo ndibe  
ngu utsuo?
- <sup>7</sup> Goshinu anyi l'i yeru anyi  
obu jiko Chipfu!

Dzọnaa anyi l'onwongu!

<sup>8</sup> Gẹ mu numaeshikwa  
iphe, Chileke,  
bu Chipfu epfu.

O kweru ukwe su lẹ ya e-me  
g'ehu dù ndibe iya guu;  
mbụ ndu duru iya nsọ.

Ole iphe, ẹphe a-kwa ẹnya bu  
g'ephe ta laphubahé  
azụ l'eme eswe.

<sup>9</sup> Iphe, doru ẹnya bu lẹ ndu  
atsụ Chipfu ebvu bẹ<sup>o</sup>  
qobyaakwa adzota;  
k'ophu o-gbu-nwịinwii  
ya a-nodu l'alị anyi.

<sup>10</sup> N-yemobu yẹe ire-lanụ a-gba  
onwophẹ ndzuta;  
apfubekoto yẹe  
ehu-guu anmaa  
onwophẹ akpa.

<sup>11</sup> Ire-lanụ e-shi l'eliphe  
mifutachaa;  
teme apfubekoto agbẹ<sup>o</sup>  
l'imigwe lee ẹnya l'eliphe.

<sup>12</sup> Chipfu a-buru iphe,  
dù ree bẹ ọo-nükota;  
bya emee g'iphe,  
anyi meberu l'alị anyi  
mehu emehu.

<sup>13</sup> Apfubekoto e-vutajẹru  
iya ụzo;  
je atooru iya gbororo,  
ọo-nodu eshi.

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- Epfupfu, Dévidi  
pfuru nü Chileke*
- <sup>1</sup> Ngabenu nchị; gube Chipfu;  
zanụ mu ẹnu!  
Kele mbedua bụ onye ükpa;  
bya abụru onye adudu  
g'ọ dù iya.
- <sup>2</sup> Letanụ mu ẹnya;  
kele mu yeru ngu obu.  
Ọo ngu bụ Chileke mu;  
dzonaa mube onye-ozi ngu,  
dakoberu ngu nụ.
- <sup>3</sup> Phuaru mu obu-imemini;  
jiko Nnajuphu;  
kele mu eku ngu oku  
mkpúrumkpuru.
- <sup>4</sup> Menaa g'ehu tsọo mube  
onye-ozi ngu ụtso;  
kele ọo gube Nnajuphu bę  
obu mu l'ophu araku.
- <sup>5</sup> Gube Nnajuphu bụ onye ọma;  
bya abụru onye agujeru  
nemadzụ nvụ.  
Iphe, bükpo ndu arakuje  
ngu nụ bę iiyeje obu  
yegharu iya eka.
- <sup>6</sup> Numanu epfupfu,  
mu epfu anụ ngu  
jiko Chipfu!
- Ngabenu nchị nüma mkpu,  
mu echiku ngu g'i meeru

mu eze-iphe-ọma!

<sup>7</sup> Iphe -nodu atsụ mu l'ẹhu bẹ  
mu a-kpọ-kuje ngu;  
kẹle mu maru l'ii-nụma olu  
mu.

<sup>8</sup> Agwa, nókota nü ta adụdu  
ophu atụru gube Nnajịuphu;  
ophu o dụdu iphe, ẹphe eme,  
dúru ophu aatụ eyeru  
ophu gubedua eme.

<sup>9</sup> Ohamoha ono,  
i gude ẹka ngu mee ono  
l'e-mechaa byakọta bya  
abaarụ gube Nnajịuphu eja;  
bya etua ngu ẹpha.

<sup>10</sup> Noo kẹle i parụ ẹka;  
teme i nodu emeje iphe,  
dụ biribiri.

Ọo ngu kpoloko kpeekpu bẹ  
bụ Chileke.

<sup>11</sup> Jiko Chipfu; zinaa mu  
uzo ngu;  
k'ophu mu a-nodu  
etso uzo ire-lanụ ngu ono.

Menaa g'oriri mu ta agbashi  
mu uzo ọtu l'ẹka i nọ;  
k'ophu mu a-nodu  
atsụ ẹpha ngu ebvu.

<sup>12</sup> Mu gude obu mu g'o ha  
ekele ngu ekele;  
gube Nnajịuphu,  
bụ Chileke mu.

Mu e-tu ngu ẹpha jasụ

l'ojejoje;

<sup>13</sup> kële i yeru mu obu  
yegharụ mu iya ẹka.

Noo kèle i nafutaru ndzụ  
mu l'alị-maa.

<sup>14</sup> Oowaa Chileke! Ndu eku  
onwophé wulihuakwaru  
bya mu etso ọgu.

Teme ndu ewebushi akurepho  
dzukobé g'ephe gbua mu;  
mbụ ndu ono,  
te eyeduru gube Chileke  
onu ono.

<sup>15</sup> Obenu le gube Nnajuphu  
bụ Chileke,  
aphuje obu-imemini;  
bya abụru onye emeje  
eze-iphe-oma.

Ehu te eghujedu ngu eghu  
egwegwa;  
teme i nodu eyeje obu  
yegharụ iya ẹka;  
bya abụru onye apfushije  
ike l'iphe, i pfuru.

<sup>16</sup> Ghanaaru mu iphu;  
meeru mu eze-iphe-oma!

Wonụru ike ngu ye mube  
onye-ozị ngu l'ehu!

Dzona mube nwa,  
nwanyị ono,  
ejeru ngu ozi ono nwụru!

<sup>17</sup> Goshinu mu iphe-ohubama,  
e-me ge mu maru l'i

bụ onye oma;  
 k'ophu ndu ọhogu mu  
 a-hụma iya; iphere egude phẹ;  
 noo kélé gube Chipfu  
 gbaru mu mkpu bya  
 adua mu obu.

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### *Ebvu-oma, ụnwụ Kora guru*

- 1 Chipfu tūwaru ọkpulo iya  
 l'eli úbvú, dù nsọ.
- 2 O yeru Zayonu ẹnya;  
 yeghata iya g'o yeberu iphe,  
 bùkpoo eka ọzo,  
 ụnwụ Jiékopu bu.
- 3 Gube eze mkpukpu kẹ  
 Chileke; iphe,  
 dù biribiri bẹ eepfukwa  
 akụnyabe ngu:
- 4 “Ndu Réhabu; yee ndu  
 Babilonu bẹ mu  
 guakwaru ye lẹ ndu  
 maru mu nụ.  
 Ndu Filisitayinu;  
 yee ndu Taya;  
 waa ndu Kushi bẹ mu  
 gùkwarupho ye iya.
- 5 Ndu ono g'ephe ha bẹ  
 aa-tuko guru ye lẹ ndu  
 a nwuru lẹ Zayonu.”
- 5 Mbụ lẹ-a; ee-pfije phota  
 Zayonu sụ:  
 “Onye ọwa-a; yee onye ọphuu

bẹ a nwukwaru l'ime iya.  
 Ọ buru Okalibe-kakota-shii  
 l'onwiya l'e-me iya g'o  
 nguru anguru.”  
<sup>6</sup> Chipfu e-de l'ekwo,  
 o deru əpha ndiphe su:  
 “Onye əwa-a bẹ a nwuru  
 lę Zayonu.”  
<sup>7</sup> Ndu agu ebvu;  
 waa ndu ete iya etete  
 a-tuko gúa ebvu su:  
 “Oo lę Zayonu bẹ mini ndzụ  
 gbé asoshiru phẹ!”

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*Ebvu-oma; évù, Hemanu,  
 bụ oshilòkpa Ezura  
 kwaru nụ onye-ishi ebvu  
 g'unwu Kora gua; g'e  
 gude olu aphụ kwaa ya*

<sup>1</sup> Jiko Chipfu, bụ Chileke,  
 adzoje mu nụ;  
 mu nowaa l'iphu ngu  
 kwaa ekwa onwomu;  
 kwakota iya eswe l'enyaashi.

<sup>2</sup> G'epfupfu, mu epfu anụ ngu  
 rwunaa eka i nọ!  
 Ngabenu nchị l'olu ekwa mu!

<sup>3</sup> Kẹle ndzụ mu l'ophu bụwaa  
 iphe-ehuka jiru iya;  
 teme ndzụ mu noduwa  
 ilu phakuu.

<sup>4</sup> A gụwaru mu ye lę ndu

- aabyawaa ekpochi  
eja l'ilu.  
Mu dụwaa gẹ nwoke,  
ike bvuru.
- <sup>5</sup> E wowaru mu gbadoru  
ndu maa.  
Mu dụwaa g'onye e gburu  
togbo l'ime ilu;  
mbụ gẹ ndu ono,  
ta adụedu g'ephe ha duru  
onye ọphu i nyatarụ ono;  
mbụ ndu ono,  
unu l'ephe bukafuwaru;  
ọphu iiletabaedu phẹ  
enya ono.
- <sup>6</sup> I chiewaru mu l'ilu ọphu  
bụ iya kachaa omilomi;  
bya abụru iya kakọta  
agba ochii.
- <sup>7</sup> Oke ẹhu-eghu ngu  
zupyabeshiru mu ike.  
I gudewaa akparamini nkengu  
byaru mu ye l'ime mini.
- <sup>8</sup> I natawaru mu ndu mu l'ephe  
shi eshi ọkpobe ọnụà.  
I mewaa; ephe nodu ebujeru  
ụbara yeru mu;  
teme i gubuwari mu  
ye l'ime ụlo k'ọphu mu  
taa agbaladu.
- <sup>9</sup> Mu jewaru iphe-ẹhuka jasụ  
enya gbahụ mu ochii.  
Mbọku-mbọku bẹ mu anoduje

- eku gube Chipfu.  
 Lekwa ẹka mu ẹphenebo  
     gẹ mu chiliru ngu iya.  
<sup>10</sup> ?Iimeje iphe, dù biribiri  
     gude egoshi maa tọo?  
 Ndu nwụhuru anwụhu;  
     ?ephe a-gbeshi tuahaa ngu  
     ephə tọo?  
<sup>11</sup> ?Aanoduje l'ime ilu atụ ọnụ  
     g'i yeberu nemadzụ obu?  
 Tọo ?aanoduje l'ẹka eegwe  
     nemadzụ arakabya pfua  
     g'i bụ-be onye  
     apfụshije ike l'iphe,  
     i pfuru?  
<sup>12</sup> Tọo ?aanoduje l'ẹka gbahuru  
     tsukiribaa maru iphe,  
     dù biribiri, iimeshi?  
 Tọo ?aanoduje l'alị ẹka a  
     taa nyatajẹedu onye larụ  
     iya nụ pfua g'apfụbekoto  
     ngu habe shii?  
<sup>13</sup> Obenu lẹ mu eku ngu g'i bya  
     agbaarụ mu mkpu  
     gube Chipfu.  
 Ụtsu g'utsu bẹ mu anoduje  
     epfu anụ ngu.  
<sup>14</sup> ?Denu g'o gude gube Chipfu  
     jịka mu?  
 ?O nwụru ịnwụ-agha bẹ  
     iiwoharu mu iphu  
     ngu ewoha?  
<sup>15</sup> Eshinu mu bụ nwata bẹ

iphe-ememe shi kpata mu ẹhu;  
 k'ọphu bụ lẹ mu nọwa  
 ọnwu ntse.

I mewaru mu jee iphe-ehuka  
 jasuru ike bvụwa mu;  
 ọphu mu amakpoedu gę  
 mu e-me iya.

**16** Oke ẹhu-eghu ngu kpowaru  
 mu kpofu;  
 teme eye ebvu nkengu  
 mewaa mu; mu bụru  
 ola-l'iswi.

**17** Mbọku-mbọku bę ẹphe  
 aso-pheje mu g'onye utso  
 gbaburu haa.

Ẹphe woru mu guchia  
 kpurukudukuu.

**18** I natawaru mu ndu mu l'ephē  
 shi aswị ọswi;  
 mę ndu yeru mu obu.

Nta-a bụwaa ochii bụ onye  
 ẹbo mu.

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*Évù, Etanu, bụ oshilòkpa  
 Ezura kwaru*

<sup>i</sup> Mu a-gụ ebvu gude pfua  
 gę n-yemobu Chipfu habe  
 shii.

Mu a-gụ iya jasụ l'ojejoje.

Mu e-gude ọnụ mu pfua  
 g'ogbo l'ogbo maru l'i  
 bụ onye apfushije ike l'iphe,

- i pfuru.
- <sup>2</sup> N-yemobu ngu a-dụ g'ọ dụ  
jasụ l'ojejoje.  
Ọo g'akpaminigwe nguru  
anguru-a bụ  
g'apfushi ike l'iphe,  
i pfuru angujeru.
- <sup>3</sup> I suru l'onye i hotaru bẹ gü  
l'iya gbawaru ndzu;  
mbụ l'i rifuwaru Dévidi,  
bụ onye-ozi ngu angu sụ:
- <sup>4</sup> “Awa ngu bẹ mu e-me g'ọ  
nguru anguru nọ  
ojejoje;  
mee g'aba-eze ngu kpoo  
g'abara shi l'ogbo  
sweru ọgbo.”
- <sup>5</sup> Imigwe l'ophu atụ ọnụ g'i  
dụ-be biribiri gube Chipfu;  
teme ọ nodu egoshikwaphọ  
ndu dürü ngu nsọ l'i bụ  
onye apfushije ike  
l'iphe, i pfuru.
- <sup>6</sup> Kele-a; ? bụ onye nọ l'imigwe  
bụ onye aa-nodu atụ  
eyeru Chipfu?  
? Mbụ denu onye imigwe  
ophu aa-nodu atụ  
eyeru Chipfu?
- <sup>7</sup> Eka ndu dụ nsọ k'imigwe  
dzukoberu bẹ aanodujekwa  
atsụ Chileke ebvu.  
Ọ kakota ndu nọ-pheru iya

- mgburugburu adu ebvu.
- <sup>8</sup> Gube Chipfu, bu Chileke,  
bu Okalibe-Kakota-Ike;  
?bu onye du ge ngu?
- I paru eka gube Chipfu;  
teme i nodu apfujeru  
pfushia ike l'iphemiphe,  
i pfuru gbaa  
mgburugburu.
- <sup>9</sup> Oo ngu anoduje eleta oke  
akparamini eze-enyimu enya;  
teme o -buru l'akparamini  
soru ke kpukumu;  
l'i mee ya l'o daa gbée.
- <sup>10</sup> Réhabu bę i chitaru túa l'alị.  
O dabyiru g'onye e gburu  
l'ogu.
- I gude ike ngu chia ndu  
ohogu ngu;  
ephe gbaa nanu nanu.
- <sup>11</sup> Igwe l'ophu bu nkengu.  
Eliphe l'ophu bükwarupho  
nkengu.
- Oo gubedua türü ɔkpa  
mgboko l'ophu;  
yee iphemiphe,  
no iya nụ.
- <sup>12</sup> Ndęgu iya mę ndohali iya  
bükota gubedua meru  
phę dobe.
- Úbvú Tabo; yee úbvú  
Hamonu aguje ebvu  
ehu-utso m'ephe nüma

ẹpha ngu.

- 13 Oshi-eka ngu bụ iphe,  
swetaru iya nụ bụ  
Ọkpehu.  
Eka ngu shihuru ike;  
ekutara ngu kangoo.
- 14 Aba-eze ngu bụ apfubekoto  
yee ikpe,  
pfuru oto bę e gude tua  
Okpa iya.  
I nodu akpajeru n-yemobu  
ngu; yee apfushi ike l'iphe,  
i pfuru vuru ụzo l'iphemiphe,  
iimekpoo ememe.
- 15 Ehu-utso bę a goru nụ ndu  
maru g'eetuje ngu ẹpha;  
mbu ndu bụ iphóró,  
shi l'eka gube Chipfu no  
bę ẹphe egudeje eje  
ekameka, ẹphe eje.
- 16 Ẹphe egudeje ẹpha ngu ete  
eswa mkpurumkpuru.  
Ẹphe nodu anoduje ekutse  
ngu l'i bụ  
onye pfuberekoto.
- 17 Kele oo ngu bụ ike,  
dụ biribiri, ẹphe nweru.  
O buru l'oo l'anyi dù ngu  
l'obu meru iphe,  
iimeje g'ike anyi kangoo.
- 18 Mbụ lę-a; l'onye mgbobuta  
anyi bükwa Chipfu bę  
nụru iya anyi;

mbụ l'eze anyi bükwa  
Onye Nso kẹ ndu Ízurèlu  
bẹ o shi l'eka.

<sup>19</sup> O nweru teke i gudeje  
ophulenya zia ndibe  
ngu ozi;  
sụ l'i mewaru g'ökpehu  
kalereu ojogu lanụ.

I byaru l'echilabọ ndibe ngu  
bya ahọta nwokorobya  
lanụ;  
mee g'o bürü onye  
ndiphe a-nodu ekutse.

<sup>20</sup> I hümawaru onye-ozi ngu,  
bụ Dévidi.  
I woru manụ ngu,  
dụ nsọ wua ya l'ishi.

<sup>21</sup> Sụ l'oo eka ngu bẹ ii-gude  
mee ya l'o nguru anguru;  
mbụ l'o kwa oshi-eka  
gube Chileke  
a-nodueme eme g'ike ka  
iya adudu.

<sup>22</sup> O tọ dudu ndu ọhogu iya,  
duru ndu ọphu a-dụ  
ike ekebuta iya g'o tñru  
phē ụtu;  
ophu ndu ejio-iphe asụdu  
iya emekpa ẹhu.

<sup>23</sup> Ndu achi iya lẹ njo bẹ ji-nodu  
l'iphu iya zopyashia;  
l'i chitsushikota ndu  
o dù ashi.

24 N-yemobu ngu waa apfushi  
ike l'iphe,  
i pfuru l'a-nodu swiru iya.

Ọ bụru ẹpha ngu bẹ  
oo-gudeje mabẹ mpu  
iya gugugu.

25 Ali-eze iya bẹ ii-me g'o jaa  
àjàjà;  
mbụ g'o shi l'eze-entyimu  
nọo jasụ l'entyimu  
Yufurétisu.

26 Qo-nodu arakuje ngu sụ:  
“Qo ngu bụ nna mu;  
bya abụru Chileke mu;  
bya abụru agbara-mkpuma,  
l'adzōje mu nụ.”

27 Gubedua l'onwongu  
emekwanaa ya l'ọ  
bụru ọkpara ngu;  
mbụ l'ọ bụru iya a-kachaa  
shii l'iphe,  
bukpoo ndu eze,  
nọ l'eliphe l'ophu.

28 N-yemobu, i yeru iya l'a-bụru  
ojejoje.

Ogbandzu gụ l'iya apfuru  
pfushia ike.

29 Awa iya bẹ ii-me;  
ẹphe anguru anguru  
jasụ l'ojejoje.

Ali-eze iya bụ g'igwe  
l'ophu nọ-beru  
 bụ g'ọo-nọ-beru.

- 30 O -bụru l'ụnwụ iya jịkaru  
 eme ekemu ngu;  
 ophu ẹphe etsodu  
 iphemiphe,  
 i tịru ọkpa iya sụ  
 g'e tsoje;  
 31 ẹphe -mebyia omelalị,  
 i doberu phẹ;  
 bya ajika eme iphe,  
 i suru g'ẹphe meje;  
 32 l'i gude mgbоро bya echia  
 phẹ pyaapyaa gude  
 hùa phẹ ahùhù;  
 mbụ bya echia phẹ echachi  
 gude hùa phẹ ahùhù  
 k'ejo-iphe, ẹphe eme.
- 33 Ole o tọo kpọshikwanu g'i ti  
 yehẹ iya obu g'i yeru  
 iya ya;  
 ophu o dudu teke ịibya aha  
 apfushi ike l'iphe,  
 i pfuru lẹ k'ehu iya.
- 34 I tii mebyikwa ọgbandzu ngu  
 l'ehu iya.  
 Ophu ịigbanwekwa iphe,  
 i sawaru ọnụ pfua.
- 35 Eshinu i bụ onye dù nsọ bẹ  
 i riru angụ mgbo lanụ  
 sefu eka;  
 sụ l'i tị byadu adzuru  
 Dévidi ụka;  
 36 sụ l'awa iya a-nọ jasụ  
 l'ojejoje.

Ọ bụru g'enyanwu keru  
 ngu l'iphu bụ g'alị-eze iya  
 e-keru damudamu;  
<sup>37</sup> mbụ l'oo-keru jịmujimu  
 jasụ l'ojejoje g'ọnwa,  
 bụ iphe,  
 agba ekebe l'akpaminigwe;  
 l'e gude ire iya eka.

38 Obenu l'onye ono,  
 i wuru manụ l'ishi ono bẹ<sup>i</sup>  
 i jikawaru;  
 bya avụaharu iya ọvuma.

39 I jikawaru oğbandzu,  
 gụ l'onye-ozi ngu gbaru.

I wowaru okpu-eze iya woru  
 gwọo l'urwuku.

40 Igbulọ iya l'ophu bẹ i  
 tsukpọshichawaru  
 etsukpọshi.

I woru ulo-mgbobuta iya tsua  
 yogiri yogiri.

41 Iphe, bükpoo ndu aghata  
 aghata gwee ya tütü-a.

Ndu obutobu iya nödu  
 ekweru iya une.

42 I tuliru ndu achị iya lẹ njo  
 eka l'eli;  
 bya emee ndu ọhogu iya;  
 ẹphe nödu ete eswa.

43 Atatiphu ogu-echi iya bẹ<sup>i</sup>  
 woru ghachaa  
 iğharaphu;  
 ọphu iiemejeedu g'ọ pfushia

ike l'iphu ọgu.

44 I mee; ọphu ọ dụedu  
akpabiri;  
bya eworu aba-eze iya  
rwụa lẹ ntụ.

45 I meru iya ọ kahụ lẹ  
nwokoro;  
bya eworu iphere yee ya  
g'onye yeru  
akpawuru uwe.

46 ?Oo-dụ ęgube ọwa-a jasụ  
teke ole gübę Chipfu?  
?Ii-domiwarọ onwongu jasụ  
l'ojejoje tọo?  
?Bụ teke ole bẹ ęhu-eghu ngu  
e-nwu phuruphuru  
g'oku nwuberu?

47 Jiko nyatakwa gẹ ndzụ mu  
dụ-be mkpirikpu;  
kélé nemadzụ,  
i meru buepho udzu  
ọnụ mmanụ.

48 Lẹ-a; ?denu nemadzụ,  
a-nodu ndzụ g'ọ tọ  
nwụhu anwụhu;  
ọzoo g'ọ dzọo onwiya g'ọ  
tọ la maa?

49 Gübę Nnajiuphu; ?bụ awe bẹ  
i doberu eze n-yemobu  
ngu ono,  
i shi egoshije mu ono;  
mbụ n-yemobu ono,  
i gude apfushije ike l'iphe,

i pfuru rifuru Dévidi  
angụ l'ịi-nụ iya ono?

<sup>50</sup> Nnajịuphu; nyatanụ g'a  
chi-bewaru onye-ozi  
ngu ọchi;  
waa ge mu tabewarụ  
nshi l'iphu,  
ndiphe nō akwagọ mu;  
<sup>51</sup> mbụ iphu ono,  
ndu ọhogu gube Chipfu  
anoduje akwagọ  
onye i wụru manụ  
l'ishi ono.

Ekameka, o nō bẹ ẹphe  
anoduje akwagọ iya  
iphu gude eme iya  
iphe-iphere.

<sup>52</sup> G'ajaja bụru kẹ Chipfu jasụ  
l'ojejoje!

Nokwa g'o dù;  
bya abụru g'o dù.

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*Epfupfu, Mósisu onye kẹ  
Chileke pfuru nụ Chileke*

- <sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; o bụhawaa ngu  
bụ onye anyi bu ebubu  
l'ime iya eshikpọ  
l'ogbo sweru ọgbo.
- <sup>2</sup> Oke úbvú bya a-bụru iphe,  
dụ adụdu;  
mbụ l'i byaru e-me eliphe  
l'ophu;

yẹe mgboko gbaa  
 mgburugburu;  
 i nöduhawaa;  
 teme i je a-nödu jasụ  
 l'ojejoje.

<sup>3</sup> Nemadzụ bẹ iizije g'ọ laphu  
 azụ l'ali.

Iisuje iya: “Unu laphu  
 azụ l'ali;  
 unubẹ ụnwu-eliphe!”

<sup>4</sup> Kẹle ụnu-kuru-ụnu apha  
 l'enya ngu duèle ngu-a  
 g'ujiku lanụ;  
 mbụ l'ọ dujee ngu pho ge  
 nche ẹnyashi lanụ.

<sup>5</sup> Nemadzụ bẹ iigudeje  
 anwụhu kpofu g'onye  
 kpofuru ẹswa;  
 kẹle ẹphe dù  
 rwushirwushi  
 g'ẹswa.

<sup>6</sup> L'utsu bẹ oonoduje asha  
 bìrìbìrí abya pulapula.

O -betashia l'uzenyashi  
 l'ọ nwulwashihuwa  
 kpóshihu nkụ.

<sup>7</sup> Oke ẹhu-eghu ngu  
 nmaswikötawaru anyi  
 g'ọku;  
 teme ẹhu-eghu ngu mee;  
 meji gbabuhu daa anyi  
 l'ohu ẹpho.

<sup>8</sup> Ejo-iphe, anyi meshiru bẹ i

kporu giriri l'iphu ngu.  
 I bya atuko iphe-eji,  
 anyi meru lę mpya mee;  
 o dabyikötaru eba  
 l'atatiiphu ngu.

<sup>9</sup> Oke ehu-eghu ngu mewaru  
 ndzụ anyi;  
 o nodu agbajẹ mkpirikpu.  
 O buru atṣu ude bẹ anyi  
 egudeje tsugbua  
 nwapha olemole ọphu  
 i haru anyi.

<sup>10</sup> Iphe, anyi ano-bejeru bụ  
 ụkporo apha ẹto l'apha iri.  
 Teke o bụ onye ike dù l'o  
 no-rwua ụkporo apha ẹno.

Ole o bụ; iphe,  
 ejije iya nụ  
 abukotajeerupho eje  
 iphe-ehuka yẹe aphụ;  
 ọphu o dùdu g'aano-bejeru  
 l'o bvụ;  
 ndzụ anyi ephukashịhu.

<sup>11</sup> ?Bụ onye maru g'ehu-eghu  
 ngu shihuberu ike?  
 ?Bụ onye bẹ o dokpotoru  
 enya;  
 mbụ g'oke ehu-eghu  
 ngu habe shii;  
 k'ọphu ọo-nodu atṣu  
 ngu ebvụ?

<sup>12</sup> Menaa g'anyi maru l'o tọ  
 dùdu g'anyi a-no-beru

l'eliphe-a;  
k'ophu oo-me g'anyi  
maru iphe.

13 Lwanụ azu jiko Chipfu.

?Egube ọwa-a a-dụ jasụ  
teke ole?

Phụnaaru anyibe ndu-ozi  
ngu obu-imemini!

14 Gẹ n-yemobu ngu jijenu  
anyi ẹpho l'utsu;  
k'ophu anyi a-noduje  
agụ ebvu ete ęswa  
mboku-mboku.

15 Mena a g'ehu tsọo anyi ụtso  
tsọ-rwua g'ehu shi  
dụ-beru anyi ejị;  
mbụ g'i mee;  
ehu atsọo anyi ụtso g'apha,  
anyi jeru iphe-ehuka ha.

16 G'anyibe ndu-ozi ngu  
húmanu iphe,  
iimeshi.

G'awa anyi húmakwapho  
g'ike ngu dù-be biribiri.

17 Gùbe Nnajiuphu, bụ Chileke;  
g'eze-iphe-ọma nkengu  
noduukwa swiru  
anyi eswiru!

Mena a g'iphemiphe,  
anyi eme nguru anguru!

Ee! Jiko Chipfu;  
mekwaa ya g'ọ  
nguru anguru!

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- <sup>1</sup> Onye nō lę mkpula  
 Okalibe-kakota-shii  
 l'e-buru eburu lę mkpula  
 ibvu  
 Okalibe-kangokotaru-nụ.
- <sup>2</sup> Gẹ mu e-pfu kẹ Chipfu bụ l'ọ  
 bụ iya bụ onye mu nō  
 lę mkpula ezeru ndzụ;  
 bya abụru iya bụ  
 agbaru-ike mu.  
 Ọo ya bụ Chileke;  
 onye mu dakoberu.
- <sup>3</sup> O kwa yębedua l'a-dzota ngu  
 g'i tị nmalahụ l'igbudu,  
 ndu achị nta ngu  
 gbaberu ngu;  
 bya adzotakwa ngu pho  
 l'ęjo iphe-ememe,  
 tsoru pherephere eje.
- <sup>4</sup> Ọo nkù iya bę oo-gude  
 kpuchia ngu.  
 Ọ bürü lę mkpula nkù  
 iya bę ịi-gbabaje  
 edomia onwongu.
- Ọ bürü ike, oopfushije l'iphe,  
 o pfuru a-bürü iphe,  
 e-gbolutaje ngu nụ;  
 bya abürü iphe,  
 i gude ezeru onwongu.
- <sup>5</sup> Iphe, anoduje eye ebvu  
 l'enyashi bę ị tịi  
 tsudu ebvu;

ophu jiitsukwapho apfu,  
ezi phuphuphu  
l'eswe ebvu.

<sup>6</sup> Teme ejo iphe-ememe,  
anoduje eze kojokojo  
l'echi abalị ta adụdu  
ophu jiitsu ebvu;  
mbụ je akpachaa lẹ ndu  
ophu etsu nemadzụ  
pyaapyaa l'echi eswe.

<sup>7</sup> Unu labo l'umadzu ükporo iri  
l'a-da ngu lẹ mgbureku;  
teme ndu rwuru ụnubuku  
adabyiru ngu  
l'uzo ekutara;  
ole o tọ dudu iphe,  
bya eme ngu nụ.

<sup>8</sup> Oo ẹnya bẹ ii-gudeje hụma  
aphụ, aanụ ndu ejo-iphe;  
obenu lẹ gubedua bẹ o  
tọo jiudu mẹ mgbodzu.

<sup>9</sup> O kwa gube Chipfu bụ onye  
mu nọ lẹ mkpula  
ezeru ndzụ.

Eshi ophu i nọ lẹ mkpula  
Okalibe-kakota-shii;  
<sup>10</sup> o tọ dudu iphe,  
byaru eme ngu nụ;  
ophu o dudu mgbuka,  
bya eshita ụzo ibe ngu;  
<sup>11</sup> kele oo-karụ-a  
ụnwu-ojozi-imigwe iya  
g'ephe leta ngu ẹnya;

chee ngu nche l'iphe,  
bukpoo ụzo, iishikpọ.

12 Ephe e-gude eka pata  
ngu apata; a nonyaa;  
i kpoo ọkpa lẹ mkpuma.

13 Oduma; yee óghù bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
ii-zopyabeje l'okpa;  
mbụ l'oke oduma;  
yee ejo-agwo bẹ ii-gudeje  
okpa zo-gbua.

14 Chipfu sükwaru: "Eshinu o  
yeru mu obu bẹ mu  
a-nöduepho anafutaje  
iya;  
mbụ lẹ mu a-nöduepho  
egbobotaje iya g'o tọ dù iphe,  
e-me iya nụ;  
kélé ọ guberu ẹpha  
mu iphe.

15 Oo-ku mu oku;  
mu aza iya ẹnu.  
Ọ -nodu eje iphe-ehuka;  
mu anodu swiru  
iya eswiru.

Mu anafuta iya bya akwabẹ<sup>2</sup>  
iya ùbvù.

16 Mu e-gude ndzụ ogologo  
zụ-jia ya ẹpho;  
goshi iya gẹ mu egudeje  
adzọ nemadzụ."

<sup>1</sup> Oo iphe, dù ree g'a jaje  
 Chipfu ajaja;  
 mbụ g'e gudeje ebvu tua  
 gube  
 Okalibe-kakota-shii ẹpha;  
<sup>2</sup> mbụ g'a gbeshije l'ọtsu  
 je epfukashiaru ndiphe  
 kẹ n-yemobu ngu ono.

Tekede o rwuru l'enyashi;  
 eeje epfuaru phẹ g'i  
 bụ-be onye apfushije ike l'iphe,  
 i pfuru.

<sup>3</sup> Iphe, ee-gude akụ iya lẹ  
 nkwa bụ une,  
 a kparu l'udo iri;  
 yee ogelenda,  
 aha gengugengu;  
<sup>4</sup> kẹle gube Chipfu gudewaa  
 iphe, dù ree, iimeje mee  
 g'ehu tsọ mu ọtso.

Mu aguje ebvu ẹhu-ọtso mẹ mu  
 hụmaepho iphe,  
 i gude ẹka  
 meshigbaa dobe.

<sup>5</sup> Gube Chipfu; lewaro g'iphe,  
 iime habe shii.

Teme ọriri ngu paa omilomi.

<sup>6</sup> Obenu l'onye egomunggo  
 swehuru ta amadụ  
 l'onoo g'o dù;  
 ophu o dokwarupho  
 onye-eswe ẹnya  
 ẹgube ono;

- <sup>7</sup> mbụ l'a makwarụ-a lẹ ndu  
ejo-iphe akpo-fushi  
g'eka ọswa efushi;  
teme lẹ ndu iwashi bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
iphemiphe, ẹphe eme  
bukotaepho upete;  
ole ee-mechakwanaa  
mebyia phẹ jasụ l'ojejoje.
- <sup>8</sup> Obenu lẹ gube Chipfu parụ  
eka jasụ lẹ tuutuutuu  
lẹ miiimii.
- <sup>9</sup> Gube Chipfu; ndu ọhogu ngu  
e-mechakwaa bürü  
mkpurupyata;  
mbụ-a; ndu ejo-iphe g'ẹphe  
hakotakpoo bẹ  
ee-mechakwaa  
chika nanụ nanụ.
- <sup>10</sup> Obenu l'i meru;  
okpehu mu dù gẹ k'atsụ.  
I bya eworu manụ,  
eshi mkpọ wụa mu l'ishi.
- <sup>11</sup> Mu gudewaa ẹnya mu hụma  
lẹ ndu ọhogu mu phẹ  
bẹ e mekperu;  
bya egude nchị mu nụma  
lẹ ndu ejo-iphe,  
wulihuru etso mu opfu  
bẹ a vụwaru  
l'ogbarabvu.
- <sup>12</sup> Ndu pfuberekoto a-nodu  
aja ajaja gẹ mpfụ.  
Ẹphe a-nodu evu evuvu

g'oshi sida k'úbvú  
úbvú Lébanonu,  
<sup>13</sup> e yero l'ime ụlo  
kẹ Chipfu.

Ephe a-nodu l'okpoku Chileke  
anyi aso pulapula.

<sup>14</sup> Ephe -kahuchakpoo akahụ;  
ephe amile-a mebyi.

Ephe aduele-a nwata nwata;  
bya amaele-a rororo;  
<sup>15</sup> k'ophu ephe e-shi nno  
goshi lẹ Chipfu bụ onye  
pfuberekoto;  
bya aburu  
agbara-mkpuma nkemu;  
teme ọphu ọ dudu iphe,  
apfuduru-oto,  
oomeje.

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<sup>1</sup> Chipfu bùakwaa eze!  
Akpabiri bẹ ọ gbaphuru  
g'onye gbaphuru ẹkwa;  
bya agbaphukwapho  
okpehu g'onye  
gbaphuru ẹkwa.

Mgboko bẹ o meru;  
ọ nguru anguru;  
k'ophu bụ l'ọ tọ dudu  
onye suru iya enwubata.

<sup>2</sup> Aba-eze ngu nguru anguru  
e shi l'edenwede.  
Gubedua shiro l'ojejoje

nóduta.

<sup>3</sup> Gube Chipfu;  
 eze-ẹnyimu byaakwaru  
 utso;  
 mbụ l'eze-ẹnyimu bę  
 aanụakwa ụkporo iya  
 l'eka ọoso kę gborogboro;  
 teme eze-ẹnyimu nodu  
 atuwa oke akparamini  
 gude abya utso.

<sup>4</sup> Obenu lę Chipfu,  
 bu l'igwe paru eka;  
 k'ophu bụ l'olu nkiya  
 daghataru mgbeka,  
 eze-ẹnyimu anoduje echı.  
 Teme ıkpehu nkiya ka k'oke  
 akparamini  
 eze-ẹnyimu shii.

<sup>5</sup> Gube Chipfu; iphe,  
 i töru ıkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje  
 bę i meru;  
 ọ pfuru pfushia ike.  
 Ulo ngu bụ iphe, meru iya;  
 ọ du ùbvù l'enyia bụ  
 l'ọ du nsọ;  
 teme ọ bürü g'ọo-du iya  
 bụ ono gbiriri  
 jasụ lę tuutuutuu  
 lę mịimiimii.

## 94

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu, bụ Chileke,  
 bụ onye agwatajẹ ụgwo iphe;

jiko wanaa g'ẹnyanwu  
g'a hụma ngu!

<sup>2</sup> Gbalihunu gube onye ekpeje  
mgboko l'ophu ikpe!

Jiko pfunaa ndu eku onwophe  
ugwo, gbaru phę nụ!

<sup>3</sup> Gube Chipfu; ?ndu ejo-iphe  
a-gbokpo kwakoko-a,  
ephe agbọ-a jasụ teke ole?

<sup>4</sup> Ndu eme ejo-ememe  
anoduje etu onwophe  
ophushugbu.

Ephe epfunukaje okporokpo  
opfu,  
onu phę asudu epfupfu.

<sup>5</sup> Ndibe gube Chipfu bę ephe  
egweje uji; mbụ ndu ono,  
bụ okiphe ngu ono bę ephe  
akpapyashi ishi.

<sup>6</sup> Unwanyi, ji phę nwụhuru;  
yee ndu lwarụ alwalwa  
bę ephe aphuje aphuphu.

Ephe eworu ndu enwedu  
nna gbushia.

<sup>7</sup> Oobujeru; ephe -nodu;  
ephe asụ: "Chipfu ta adukwa  
iphe, oohumaje;  
mbụ le Chileke kę Jiékọpu  
ta adukwa iphe,  
oookpa ishi iya."

<sup>8</sup> G'ọwa-a dokwaa unu ẹnya;  
unubę ndu egomunggo  
swehuru l'echilabọ

ụnwu-eliphe; mbụ-a;  
unubẹ ndu eme eswe;  
?bu tēke ole bẹ  
unu a-makpōoru iphe?

<sup>9</sup> ?Bu onye ono, bu iya  
pfuberu nemadzụ nchị  
ta anụdu iphe  
lẹ nchị?

Tooo ?bu onye ono,  
moberu nemadzụ enya  
ta aphụdu ụzo l'onwiya?

<sup>10</sup> ?Buchia onye ono,  
agbeje ahụ ndu amadụ  
iya nụ ahụhụ ono  
te edobedu unu g'unu  
a-dụ;  
mbụ ?bu yębedua ono,  
anoduje ezi nemadzụ  
mmamiphe gbęchia ophu  
o madụ iphe l'onwiya?

<sup>11</sup> Chipfu makotaru iphe,  
nemadzụ anoduje ari.  
O maru l'oriri phę búkota  
iphe-mmanụ.

<sup>12</sup> Su-a; ęhu-ütso bę a goru  
nụ onye gube Chipfu  
ahụje ahụhụ;  
mbụ onye iigudeje ekemu  
ngu ezi iphe.

<sup>13</sup> Onye ono bę iimeje gę  
meji nmapfuru m'o  
nođu eje iphe-ęhuka;  
jasụ mboku,

ee-bu nsụ gę ndu ejo-iphe  
wụlahu.

- 14 Noo kęle Chipfu ta  
abyakpödaa aha ndibe  
iya;  
ophu ọ byakpödaa ekwe ge  
ndu bụ okiphe iya laa l'iswi.
- 15 Noo kęle ndu-ikpe a-wata  
ekpe ikpe, pfuru oto.  
Ọ bülerupho ndu obu phę gürü  
iphóró bụ ndu a-dụ ike  
tsokota ikpe ono.
- 16 ?Bụ onye a-gbęshi pfu-doru  
mu;  
mekpeeru mu ndu  
ejo-iphe?  
?Bụ onye a-pfuru l'ekiya  
nkemu ịwụ-kpeeru mu ndu  
eme ejo-ememe?
- 17 Ọ tọ bụ lę Chipfu gbaru  
mu mkpu;  
mẹ mu anoduhawaro l'alị  
o-larụ-nodu-ngguingguji  
teke dù enya.
- 18 Teke mu chiru mkpu sụ  
l'epurukutu echikötakwa  
mu bę n-yemobu nkengu  
wọtaru mu gę mu ta ada.
- 19 Teke mu watarụ arị oke ọriri  
bę ị dürü mu obu mee;  
ehu tsọahaa mu ụtso.
- 20 ?Ii-kwe gę gụ lę ndu-ishi,  
ete emedu iphe,

pfürü ọto megba iphe;  
 mbụ ndu egudeje ekemu  
 emekpa ndu ẹpheachi ẹhu?

<sup>21</sup> Ẹphe edzukobeje g'ẹphe  
 kpapyaa ndu  
 pfüberekoto ishi.

Ẹphe woru onye adụdu iphe,  
 o meru kpee mpfugbu.

<sup>22</sup> Obenu l'oo Chipfu bụ onye  
 egbobutaje mu nụ.

Ọo Chileke mu bụ oke  
 agbara-mkpuma ono,  
 mu agbabajẹ je  
 edomia onwomu ono.

<sup>23</sup> Ọo ya a-pfụ phẹ ụgwo iphe-eji,  
 ẹpheeme;  
 teme ọ bụru iya e-mebyishi  
 phẹ k'ejo-iphe ono,  
 ẹpheeme ono.

Ọo Chipfu, bụ Chileke anyi  
 e-mebyishi phẹ.

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<sup>1</sup> Unu bya g'anyi gụa ebvü  
 ẹhu-ụtso gude jaa  
 Chipfu!

Unu g'anyi tụa ụzu ẹhu-ụtso  
 gude kwabẹ iya ùbvù;  
 mbụ onye ono,  
 bụ agbara-mkpuma,  
 adzoje anyi ono!

<sup>2</sup> Unu g'anyi bya l'iphu iya bya  
 ekele iya ekele!

Anyi egude ebvu-ọma tua  
 ụzu ẹhu-ütso gude kwabę  
 iya úbvù!

<sup>3</sup> Kéle Chipfu bụ Chileke,  
 parụ eka;  
 bya aburu onye eze,  
 parụ eka;  
 onye kakota agwa,  
 ndu mgboko l'ophu shii.

<sup>4</sup> Eka omilomi ali jeberu  
 bụ iya bę ọ dụ l'eka.  
 Mkpakponu oke úbvú  
 bürü iya nwe iya.

<sup>5</sup> Eze Ènyimu bụ nkiya kélé ọo  
 ya meru iya;  
 tème ọ bürü iya gude eka  
 iya meta ali-ókponku dobe.

<sup>6</sup> Unu bya g'anyi phozeta  
 baarụ iya ejá!  
 G'anyi gbua ikpere l'iphu  
 Chipfu ono, bụ iya meru  
 anyi ono.

<sup>7</sup> Kéle ọo ya bụ Chileke anyi.  
 Anyi bürü ndu ooche g'onye  
 eche aturu;  
 mbụ anyi bürü ụnwu  
 aturu, nọ iya l'eka.

Ọo ya bụ; teke unu nümaru  
 olu iya ntanụ ọwa;

<sup>8</sup> Unu ta akpochikwa obu  
 unu gę ndiche unu  
 phę kpochiru iya  
 lę Meriba.

Waa g'ephe kpochiru iya  
 lẹ Masa l'echięgu;  
<sup>9</sup> mbụ ẹka ono, ndiche unu  
 phẹ nɔru hụa yẹbe  
 Chileke ama bya  
 adalekwaa ya pho adale;  
 l'eka ephe gudechaa  
 enya phẹ hụma iphe,  
 ya mérú.

<sup>10</sup> Ukporo apha labo  
 mgburugburu bẹ ọgbo  
 ono mekotaru yẹbe  
 Chileke iphe-eghu.

Ya suru l'egomunggo phẹ  
 jephuhuwaru  
 l'eme iphe-eji;  
 ọphu ẹphe ekwedu  
 alwaphuta azụ bya eshia ụzo,  
 ya goshiru phẹ.

<sup>11</sup> Qo ya bụ; mu gude ẹhu-eghu  
 buta angụ ria sụ:  
 “Ephe ta abyadụ abata l'eka  
 mu l'ephe a-nodu  
 tuta unme.”

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- <sup>1</sup> Unu gụa ebvu ọphúú nụ  
 Chipfu!  
 G'ụnwu-eliphe l'ophu gụnaa  
 ebvu nụ Chipfu!
- <sup>2</sup> Unu gụa ebvu nụ Chipfu;  
 unu tua ya ẹpha!  
 Unu raję iya arara

- mboku-mboku  
l'ọodzoje nemadzụ!
- <sup>3</sup> Unu tuaru ndu ọhozo ọnu g'o  
dụ-be biribiri!  
Unu epfuaru ndiphe l'ophu iphe,  
dụ biribiri, oomeje!
- <sup>4</sup> Noo kẹle Chipfu parụ ẹka;  
bya abụru onye gbaru  
g'a jajẹ iya ajaja.  
G'a tsujekwa iya pho ebvu l'ọ  
kakota iphe, bụ agwa  
ndu mgboko l'ophu shii.
- <sup>5</sup> Kẹle agwa ndiphe l'ophu  
bükota iphe, e gude ẹka mee;  
obenu lẹ Chipfu bụ iya  
gude ẹka iya mee igwe  
l'onwiya.
- <sup>6</sup> Akpabiri yee ogbunwịinwii  
bẹ nọ iya l'atatiphu;  
teme okpehu waa  
odu-biribiri tukoepho  
ụlo iya, dù nsọ sweta.
- <sup>7</sup> Unubẹ ipfu l'ipfu,  
dụ lẹ mgboko-a;  
unu kwabẹ Chipfu ùbvù!  
Unu pfua g'o dù-be biribiri;  
yee g'okpehu iya habe shii!
- <sup>8</sup> Unu kwabẹ Chipfu ùbvù,  
gbaru iya nụ!  
Unu bya anụ Chileke iphe  
l'okpoku iya!
- <sup>9</sup> Unu yee adụ nsọ g'onye yeru  
uwe baarụ Chipfu ejá!

- Unubẹ ndiphe l'ophu;  
unu tsuje iya ebvu!
- 10 Unu karụ ọhamoha lẹ Chipfu  
bụakwaa eze;  
teme l'eliphe l'ophu bẹ e  
mewaru g'o nguru anguru;  
k'ophu bụ l'o tọ dudu iphe,  
suru iya enwubata.
- Ọ bụru Chipfu ono e-kpe  
ụnwu-eliphe  
mgburugburu ikpe,  
pfuru ọto.
- 11 G'imigwe l'ophu tee ẹswa;  
ẹhu atsọ ndiphe l'ophu  
ütso!
- G'eze-enyimu yẹe iphemiphe,  
nọ iya l'ime tükokwa  
tụa oke akparamini!
- 12 G'egu l'ophu mékpoo  
iphemiphe, nọ iya  
nụ tuko gbọ ogboo!
- Noo teke iphe, bụ oshi,  
dụ l'oswa a-gụ ebvu  
ẹhu-ütso l'iphu Chipfu.
- 13 Ephe a-nodu l'iphu Chipfu  
gúa ebvu  
kele ọobyawaa ekpe  
ụnwu-eliphe ikpe.
- Oo-gude apfubekoto iya kpee  
mgboko l'ophu ikpe;  
bya egude ire-lanụ  
kpee ndiphe ikpe.

# 97

- <sup>1</sup> Chipfu bụakwaa eze; g'ehu  
tsọo ndiphe l'ophu ụtso!  
G'iphe, bùkpoo ọhamoha,  
bukube eze-ęnyimu  
tekwa ęswa!
- <sup>2</sup> Urwukpu mè ọchii nọ-pheru  
iya mgburugburu.  
Ọ bụru apfubekoto yẹe  
ikpe, pfuru ọto bẹ e gude  
tua ọkpa aba-eze iya.
- <sup>3</sup> Oku evujeru ụzo je atuko  
ndu ọhogu iya,  
nọ-pheru iya mgburugburu  
kepyashịa.
- <sup>4</sup> Ebemu, oolo phaaphaa bụru  
iphóró, e gude ahụma  
ụzo l'eliphe.  
Ndiphe l'ophu -hụma iya;  
ęphe anmahụ jjijijii.
- <sup>5</sup> Úbvú l'ophu azashịhuje  
g'ùnwù m'ęphe nọdu  
l'iphu Chipfu;  
mbụ m'ęphe nọdu  
l'iphu Nnajịuphu ọphu  
nwe mgboko l'ophu.
- <sup>6</sup> Akpaminigwe l'ophu atụ  
ọnụ l'o bụ onye  
pfuberu-ęka-oto;  
teme ndiphe l'ophu nọdu  
ahumaje g'o dù-be  
biribiri.
- <sup>7</sup> Iphe, bùkota ndu abarụ iphe,

a pyịru apyịpyi ejá;  
 mbụ ndu gude nshi  
 eku onwophe bẹ e  
 mekötaru iphe-iphere.

Unubẹ nshi l'ophu;  
 unu bya abaarụ  
 Chileke ejá!

<sup>8</sup> Ndu bu lè Zayọnu númeru  
 iya; ephe teahaa ęswa.

Ndu Jiuda bẹ ęhu atsọ ụtso  
 lè gę gube Chipfu egudeje  
 ekpe ikpe.

<sup>9</sup> Kele gube Chipfu bụ  
 Okalibe-kakوتا-shii  
 lè mgboko mgburugburu.

I kangokotaru agwa,  
 nọ lè mgboko-a l'ophu.

<sup>10</sup> Gę ndu yeru Chipfu obu  
 kpókwa ejo iphe-ashi;  
 kélé ọ kwa ndu dürü iya  
 nsọ bẹ ooletaje enya.

Ọ bürü phẹ bẹ oonafutaje  
 l'eka ndu ejo-iphe.

<sup>11</sup> Iphóró bẹ e meru g'ọ dürü  
 ndu pfüberekoto.

Ndu obu guru iphóró bẹ e  
 meru g'ehu-ụtso ji ęhu.

<sup>12</sup> Unu nodu l'eka Chipfu  
 tee ęswa; unubẹ ndu  
 pfüberekoto!

Unu tua ya ępha;  
 l'ępha iya dù nsọ.

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*Ebvü-ọma*

- <sup>1</sup> Unu gúa ebvu ḥphúú nụ  
Chipfu;  
kélé o meru iphe, dù biribiri.  
Ọo ẹkutara iya;  
waa oshi-éká iya ono,  
dù nsø ono bẹ o gude  
lwụ-kpee ọkpobe  
alwụ-kpe.
- <sup>2</sup> Chipfu mewaru g'a maru  
l'ọodzofutaje;  
bya emewaa g'ọhamoha  
maru l'ọ bụ onye  
pfüberekoto.
- <sup>3</sup> O nyatawaru n-yemobu,  
o yeru ọnụ-ulo Ízurelụ;  
yẹe ire-lanụ,  
oomeru phẹ.  
Je akpaa l'éká igwe beru  
ali beru bẹ a  
hụma-dzuwaru gẹ  
Chileke anyi egudeje  
adzọ nemadzụ.
- <sup>4</sup> Unu túa ụzu ehu-ụtso gude  
kwabẹ Chipfu ùbvù;  
unubẹ ụnwu-eliphe  
l'ophu!
- Unu gúa ebvu-ọma gushia  
ya ike gude jaa Chipfu!
- <sup>5</sup> Unu gude une gúa  
ebvu-ọma gude tua

Chipfu ẹpha.

Unu egudekwaphọ une;  
yẹe ebvu-ekwekwe  
jaa ya ajaja.

<sup>6</sup> Unu gburu opu ye iya;  
phụa ụpyi ye iya.

Unu tịa ụzu ẹhu-ụtso gude  
kwabẹ Chipfu, bụ  
eze úbvù.

<sup>7</sup> G'oke ẹnyimu yẹe iphemiphe,  
nọ iya l'ime tükokwa tịa  
oke akparamini.

Mgboko l'ophu atịa ụzu;  
yẹe iphemiphe,  
bu l'ime iya.

<sup>8</sup> G'ẹnyimu ẹnyimu,  
nogbaa nụ tuko  
kụa ẹka.

Úbvú úbvú anokobe  
gúa ebvu l'ehu atsọ  
phẹ ụtso.

<sup>9</sup> G'ẹphe tuko nodu l'iphu  
Chipfu gúa ebvu;  
kélé ọobyawaa ekpe  
ụnwu-eliphe ikpe.

Ndu mgboko l'ophu bẹ  
oo-kpe ikpe,  
pfuru ọto;  
teme l'ọ hakwarụpho  
ndiphe l'ophu enge,  
pfuru nhamụnha.

## 99

- <sup>1</sup> Chipfu bụakwaa Eze.  
 Gẹ ndiphe nmahụkwa  
     pyaappyaapyaa.  
 Aba-eze iya nọ l'echilabọ  
     chierobu.  
 Gẹ mgboko l'ophu nmaa  
     yigayiga.
- <sup>2</sup> Chipfu pakwarụ eka;  
     mbụ onye ono,  
     bu lẹ Zayonu.  
 E woliru iya eli;  
     o kakota ọhamoha shii.
- <sup>3</sup> G'ephe jaa əpha ngu,  
     bụ Okalibe ajaja;  
     mbụ əpha ngu ono dù nsọ;  
     ndiphe nọdu atsụ iya ebvu.
- <sup>4</sup> Eze Ọbu parụ eka.  
 Iphe, aduje iya ree bụ ikpe,  
     pfürü oto.  
 Eme iphe ẹnya-nhamụnha  
     bẹ i meru dobe;  
     o nguru anguru.
- L'ehu ụnwụ Jiékopu bẹ<sup>5</sup>  
     i meru iphe, pfürü oto;  
     waa umere,  
     pfürü nhamụnha.
- Unu kutsee Chipfu,  
     bụ Chileke anyi.  
 Unu bya ephozeta lẹ mgboru  
     Ọkpa iya baarụ iya ejá.  
 O dù nsọ.
- <sup>6</sup> Mósisu yẹe Erọnu shi yiru  
     lẹ ndu bụ uke kẹ Chileke.

Sámèlu shi yíru lẹ ndu  
     shi akpó-kuje ẹpha iya.  
 Ndu ono shi ekuje ẹpha  
     Chipfu; l'ọ za phẹ ẹnu.  
<sup>7</sup> O shi anóduje l'urwukpu,  
     kpúru oronmono  
     pfuru opfu nụ phẹ.  
 Ẹphe shi edobeje ekemu iya  
     bya eme omelalị,  
     o tóru phẹ ọkpa iya.  
<sup>8</sup> Gùbe Chipfu, bụ Chileke  
     anyi;  
     i shi azajẹ phẹ ẹnu.  
 A makwarụ-a l'i shi ahùje  
     ndu Ízurelù ahùhù  
     m'ẹphe shiswee ụzo ngu;  
     obenu l'i shi bùru phẹ  
     Chileke,  
     agujeru onye meru  
     iphe-eji nvụ.  
<sup>9</sup> Unu kutsee Chipfu,  
     bù Chileke anyi.  
 Unu baarụ iya ejá l'úbvú iya,  
     dụ nsø; kélé Chipfu,  
     bù Chileke anyi  
     dükwa nsø.

## 100

*Ebvu-oma, e gude  
 ekele Chipfu ekele*  
<sup>1</sup> Unu túa ụzu ẹhu-ụtso gude  
     kwabé Chipfu ùbvù;

unubę ụnwu-eliphe l'ophu.  
<sup>2</sup> Unu gude ẹhu-ụtso jeru  
 Chipfu ozi.  
 Unu gude ebvu ẹhu-ụtso gude  
 bya l'iphu iya.  
<sup>3</sup> Unu makwaru lẹ Chipfu  
 bụ Chileke.  
 Ọ ya meru anyi;  
 teme anyi bùru nkiya.  
 Anyi bụ ndibe iya;  
 bya abụru aturu,  
 ooche echeche.  
<sup>4</sup> Unu gude ebvu-ekele bahụ  
 ibe iya.  
 Unu egude ebvu-ajaja  
 jerwua l'okpoku iya.  
 Kele iya ekele tua  
 ya ẹpha.  
<sup>5</sup> Kele Chipfu bụ onye oma;  
 teme n-yemobu nkiya  
 nođu anoje jasụ  
 l'ojojoje.  
 Qopfushije ike l'iphe,  
 o pfuru; e -shi l'ogbo  
 sweru ogbo.

## 101

### *Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru*

<sup>1</sup> Mu a-gụ ebvu guku  
 n-yemobu ngu;  
 yẹe ikpe ngu, pfuru ọto.  
 Mu a-gụ ebvu gude tua gube  
 Chipfu ẹpha.

**2** Ndzu mu bẹ mu a-tọ nwęhu  
mee g'ọ tọ dụ ẹka ụta  
a-dụ iya.

?Bükpoo teke ole bẹ  
ịj-kpapfuta mu?  
Mu e-gude obu, adụdu ẹka  
ụta dụ iya buru l'ibe mu.

**3** O tọ dudu ejio-iphe,  
mu bya ekwe g'o shisweta  
mu iphu.

Umere ndu te etsodu ọkpobe  
opfu ono dụ mu ashị;  
ophu mu ahadụ gẹ mu  
l'ephe rakuru.

**4** Ndu ụzo phẹ gberu nggọ bẹ  
mu a-chifuje l'ẹka mu nọ;  
ophu ọ dudu iphe,  
anyi l'ejo-iphe jigba.

**5** Ndu anoduje evu nwibe  
phẹ nvu-azụ bẹ mu  
e-me g'ephe bürü  
qla-l'iswi.

Ndu etu onwophe  
ophushugbu;  
waa ndu eku-onwonye  
dụ l'obu bẹ mu ta  
atagbukwa lẹ nshi.

**6** Ndu apfushije ike l'iphe,  
ẹphe pfuru lẹ m kpukpu-a  
bẹ mu a-nodu eleta ẹnya;  
k'ophu anyi l'ephe  
a-tuko buru jasuru;  
mbụ l'onye ụta adụdu l'iphe,

oome e-mechaa ejeru  
mu ozi.

- <sup>7</sup> O tọ dudu ndu erekede  
m'onye lanụ,  
mu bya ekwe g'o buru  
l'ibe mu;  
ophu ọ dükwapho ndu  
atụ kporoko m'onye lanụ,  
mu bya ekwe g'o pfuru  
pfushia ike l'iphu mu.
- <sup>8</sup> Utsu mbọku-mbọku bẹ mu  
e-meje g'iphe,  
bụ ndu ejo-iphe,  
nọ l'alị-a dobe ọnu doo.  
Mu a-tukwu ndu eme iphe-eji  
bufu lẹ mkpukpu  
kẹ Chipfu.

## 102

*Epfupfu, onye eje iphe-ehuka  
epfu anụ Chileke*

*Opfu, o pfuru teke ike abvụ  
iya abvubvu; guru aphụ,  
nọ iya l'obu nụ Chipfu*

- <sup>1</sup> Numanu epfupfu, mu epfu  
anụ ngu jiko Chipfu!  
Gẹ mkpukpu, mu echị rwunaa  
ngu nchị!  
<sup>2</sup> Ta agbakutakwaru mu azụ  
nta-a, mu eje iphe-ehuka-a!  
Ngabenuru mu nchị!  
Zanụ mu ẹnu egwegwa

- nta-a,  
 mu eku ngu oku-a!
- <sup>3</sup> Kele ndzụ mu l'ophu  
 phukahụwaru  
 g'enwuru-ọku.
- Okpu mu nodu enwu  
 phuruphuru g'icheku-ọku.
- <sup>4</sup> Obu mu bẹ e gburu  
 pyaapyaa;  
 ọ nwụa lwaa g'ɛswa;  
 k'ophu o meru mu;  
 mu zohaa eri nri.
- <sup>5</sup> Mu tsuwbaru oke ude  
 gbiriri jasụ mu wụfu  
 koru g'eda akpọ;  
 bya abụru ọkpu wụshiru.
- <sup>6</sup> Mu dù gẹ mgbashị-ujiku,  
 kwarụ l'echiegu;  
 gẹ mgbashị-ujiku,  
 beru l'eka e meru  
 umerekete.
- <sup>7</sup> Mu zé nwụru ẹnya.  
 Mu dùwaa gẹ nwenu,  
 beru nkinyi iya l'eli  
 mkpotsu-ulo.
- <sup>8</sup> Ndu ohogu mu anoduje  
 ekweru mu une mkpúrumkpuru.  
 Teme ndu achị mu lẹ njo  
 gudewaa ẹpha mu  
 ephu iphu.
- <sup>9</sup> Oo ntụ bẹ mu erije l'ọ  
 bụru mu nri.  
 Mu nodu ewojeru ẹnya-mini

gwakobé l'iphe,  
mu aṅgū angūngu.

10 O bụru iphe, kparụ iya nụ  
bụ l'ehu eghushi ngu  
eghu ike;  
kélé i woliwaru mu bya  
eworu tuphaa etupha.

11 Nwujiku ole, mu a-nọ  
l'eliphe-a düyüaa  
g'onyonyo ụzenyashi.

Mu anodujeephø anwụ  
lwaalwaa g'eswa.

12 Obenu lè gubé Chipfu  
suru gedemu l'aba-eze  
ngu ojejoje;  
ophu a byadu azoha  
epha ngu azoha;  
e -shi l'ogbo sweru ogbo.

13 Ii-gbalihu-a phüaru  
Zayonu obu-imemini;  
kélé o rwuwaru teke  
ii-meru iya eze-iphe-ọma;  
mbụ mè teke ono,  
a hotakpooru ahota  
dobe ono rwuephø;  
14 kélé mkpuma iya dù ndu  
ejeru ngu ozi mkpa.

Qobujeru; o -kpua udzu tñuu;  
imemini iya adushia phé ike.

15 Ọhamoha a-tsụ ẹpha gubé  
Chipfu ebvu.

Ndu eze, nökota lè mgboko  
l'ophu a-kwabé

o-gbu-nwijinwii ngu ùbvù;  
 16 kèle Chipfu e-gude ẹka iya  
 kpükwaazayonu;  
 bya egude o-gbu-nwijinwii  
 ya lufuta.

17 Oo-ngabé nchi l'epfupfu,  
 ndu adudu g'o dù phé  
 epfu anú iya;  
 ọphu ooħudu arwórwo,  
 ẹphe arwó iya l'alí.

18 G'e dee ọwa-a l'ekwo  
 doberu ọgbo ọphu  
 aa-nwụ l'iphu;  
 k'ọphu ndu ono,  
 e teke atsütakpodaanu  
 ime phé ono e-tu  
 Chipfu ẹpha.

19 Lẹ Chipfu gbékwa l'eze-ulo  
 iya l'ephekerephe  
 ẹka ọonoje;  
 mbụ l'o gbé l'imigwe gbua  
 igo l'eliphe;  
 20 gẹ ya nüma ude,  
 ndu mkporo atsü;  
 shi nno mee gẹ ndu e  
 kperu mpfugbu nweru  
 onwophé.

21 Oo ya bụ g'aa-koo kẹ Chipfu  
 lẹ Zayonu;  
 tua ya ẹpha lẹ Jierúsalemu;  
 22 mè ọhamoha waa  
 alí-eze ndiphe l'ophu  
 dzukọbeephō g'ẹphe baarụ

Chipfu ejá.

23 Lé mu byakwa ejejaha úzo  
ndzú mu ébo;  
ó tükowa ike,  
shi dù mu nü nashichaa  
mu;  
bya egbubóta ndzú mu.

24 Ó ya bù; mu sù: Te kutashínu  
mu; jiko Chileke mu;  
l'èbe adù gé mu  
nó-bewaru lè mgboko;  
lè gübuedua bẹ apha  
nkengu a-nókwa  
shi l'ogbo sweru ogbo.

25 Eshikpoo lè mbù bù ngu  
turu ókpa eliphe l'ophu.  
Teme ó bùru ngu gude  
éka ngu mee igwe.

26 Iphemiphe ono e-mechaa  
lakóta l'iyyi;  
obenu lè gübuedua  
l'a-dù g'i dù;  
mbù-a; l'iphemiphe ono  
e-mechakwaa kashíhu  
g'uwe.

Ó g'aagbanweje uwe-a  
bù g'ii-mechaa gbanwee  
phé; nkephé abvù.

27 Obenu lè gübuedua  
buepho onye i bù bẹ i bù;  
ophu apha nkengu  
abvùdu abvùbvù.

28 Ünwù, ndu ejeru ngu ozi

nwụtaru  
l'e-buru kwaseru;  
l'e mekwapho g'awa phę  
nguru anguru  
l'iphu ngu.

## 103

*Ebvu, Dévidi deru*

<sup>1</sup> Gube obu mu; tua Chipfu  
ephə.

Iphe, bükpoo iphe, dù mu  
l'ime ẹhu; tua onye ono,  
ephə iya dù nsø ono ẹpha.

<sup>2</sup> Obu mu; jiko tua Chipfu  
ephə;  
ophu ọ dükwa urwu,  
eeritaje iya l'eka mè nanu,  
ii-zoha azoha

<sup>3</sup> Oogujeru mu nvụ l'iphe-eji,  
mu meru g'ọ ha;  
teme ọ nodu emeje gę  
mu ka mma l'iphe,  
bükpoo iphe,  
eme mu nụ.

<sup>4</sup> Oogbafutaje ndzụ mu  
g'ọ to la l'ilu;  
bya ekpube mu n-yemobu;  
waa obu-imemini g'okpu-eze.

<sup>5</sup> Oogudeje iphe, dù ree zụ-jia  
mu ẹpho;  
teme ọ nodu emeje gę  
mu lwa azụ lę nwępa  
g'ugo.

- 6** Chipfu emeje iphe, pfuru ọto;  
 teme ọ nodu ekpeje ndu e  
 eme ewere ikpe,  
 pfuru nhamunha.
- 7** O meru gẹ Mósisu maru  
 ụzo iya;  
 bya emee gẹ ndu Izurelu  
 maru iphemiphe, oome.
- 8** Chipfu bụ onye aphuje  
 obu-imemini;  
 bya abụru onye emeje  
 eze-iphe-oma.
- Ęhu te eghujedu iya eghu  
 egwegwa;  
 teme ọ nodu eyeje obu  
 yegharu iya eka.
- 9** O tọo bajedu mba tekenteke;  
 ọphu ọovujedu ọvuma  
 jasuwawuroya.
- 10** O too lejedu g'iphe-oji  
 anyi gbaru eme anyi;  
 ọphu ọopfujedu anyi  
 ụgwo ejio-iphe,  
 anyi emegbabę.
- 11** Kélé ọo g'igwe nọ-be ali  
 ephekerekerephe bụ g'ọ habe;  
 mbụ eye obu,  
 o yeru ndu atsụ  
 iya ebvu.
- 12** O bürü g'uzo  
 ẹnyanwu-awawa dù-be  
 ẹnya l'uzo ẹnyanwu-adada;  
 bụ g'eka o wofuru emeswe,

anyi mesweru iya je  
edobe habe ẹnya l'eka  
anyi nọ.

13 O bụru gẹ nna aphujeru nwa  
iya obu-imemini-a;  
bukwapho gẹ Chipfu  
aphujeru ndu atsụ iya ebvu  
obu-imemini.

14 Kélé ọọ ya maru g'e gude  
mee anyi.

Ọonyataje l'oo urwuku mmanụ  
bẹ anyi bụ.

15 L'a -bya lẹ nemadzụ bẹ eswe  
ndzụ iya dù g'eswa.

Qonoduje aba yoyoyo g'okoko,  
nọ l'egu.

16 Pherephere -ziępho kpuā ya  
nwanshị l'o phukashịhu.

eka o shi nodu ta  
anyatabeđu iya ọzo.

17 Obenu lẹ-a; e -shi lẹ gbururu  
jeye lẹ gbururu bẹ  
n-yemobu kẹ Chipfu aduje  
l'ehu ndu atsụ iya ebvu;  
teme l'o wokwarupho  
apfubekoto nkiya doberu ụnwu  
nwawanwanwaranwa  
ndu ono;

18 mbụ l'ehu ndu ọphu  
edobeje ọgbandzu iya;  
bya anyatajẹ dobe ekemu,  
ọ türü doberu phẹ.

19 Chipfu mewaru g'aba-eze

iya nguru anguru l'imigwe;  
 teme abụbu,  
 ọ bụ eze dzuru ọha l'ophu.

<sup>20</sup> Unubẹ unwu-ojozi-imigwe  
 kę Chipfu; unu tua ya ẹpha;  
 mbụ unubẹ ndu ike dù,  
 bya abụru ndu eme  
 opfu iya.

<sup>21</sup> Unu tua Chipfu ẹpha;  
 unubẹ unwu imigwe l'ophu;  
 mbụ unubẹ ndu-ozi iya,  
 l'eme iphe, bụ uche iya.

<sup>22</sup> Unu tua Chipfu ẹpha;  
 unubẹ iphe,  
 o meru ememe dobe l'eka  
 ọ bụ eze.

Gube obu mu; tua Chipfu ẹpha.

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<sup>1</sup> Gube obu mu; tua Chipfu  
 ẹpha.

Gube Chipfu, bụ Chileke mu;  
 i parụ eka apaa.

I gbaphuru adụ-úbvú yee  
 adụ-akpabiri g'onye  
 gbaphuru ękwa.

<sup>2</sup> Iphóró bẹ i yeru g'onye  
 yeru uwe.

Imigwe l'ophu bụ gubedua  
 gude eka ngu phushi  
 iya g'onye phushiru  
 ulo-ekwa;  
<sup>3</sup> bya eworu uko ulo ngu

- gbaa l'eli akpaminigwe.  
 I meru urwukpu;  
     o bụru ụgbo-ịnya ngu.  
 I nodu atukojeru pherephere  
     lè nkù ephe.
- <sup>4</sup> I meru pherephere;  
     o bụru onye-ozi ngu;  
     bya emee  
     onwu-phuruphuru-óku;  
     o bụru onye iizije ozi.
- <sup>5</sup> Oo ngu tịru ọkpa eliphe  
     l'ophu;  
     k'ophu bụ l'a ta abyadụ  
     enwubata iya enwubata  
     jasụ l'ojejoje.
- <sup>6</sup> I woru eze-enyimu kpua  
     ya g'onye kpuru uwe;  
     k'ophu mini ha l'eli  
     kakota úbvú l'ophu  
     l'eli.
- <sup>7</sup> Obenu l'oo mba bẹ i baru  
     eze-enyimu ono;  
     o keta ọso gbaa mgbalanụ;  
     mbụ l'o numaerupho órà,  
     i gbẹ l'imigwe raa;  
     o gbalachaa.
- <sup>8</sup> O nodu aso gborogboro awù  
     oke-úbvú awúwù aso  
     ala l'o-bua-ozee ọkpa úbvú.
- O sọkwaseru ụzo,  
     i tịru iya ọkpa iya.
- <sup>9</sup> I kpawaru iya oke ẹka o tọ  
     soghatajedu;

k'ophu ọ tọ byadu  
erimigbuba mgboko ọzo.

10 O mewaru gẹ mini shije  
l'ogba gbaa dẹredere  
kwaseru ọkpa-úbvú.

Ootsojeru mgbaka  
úbvú epyophe.

11 Ọ bụru iya echebeje ụnwu  
anụ, bu l'egbudu mini  
g'ephe ha.

Nkapfụ-igara-ọswa nodu  
angụ iya mini.

12 Enu, ephe l'eli nodu anoduje  
l'aguga nggele ono  
akpa ẹpfune.

Ephe nodu anoduje  
ebephe l'ekali-oshi ono  
agu ebvu.

13 Ọ nodu agbeje l'eka o bu  
agba mini l'úbvú.

Mgboko l'ophu bẹ iphe,  
oome jikporu ẹpho.

14 Eswa bẹ o meru;  
ọ nodu erwushije k'ophu  
iphe-edobe a-tajẹ nri;  
bya emee iphe-akoko  
dobe gẹ nemadzụ  
gudeje kọ opfu kọbe  
iphe l'alị;

15 gude kụta mée,  
aanguje g'obu tsọo ụtso;  
bya emeta manụ,  
aanyije g'iphu maa mma;

waa nri,  
eerie ge ndzü du.

**16** Oshi Chipfu bę ọogbaje  
mini ree;  
mbụ oshi sida ọphu du  
l'úbvú úbvú Lébanonu,  
bu oshi ọphu o yeru  
l'onwiya.

**17** O bụru l'eli eka ono bę ẹnu  
akpaję epfune.

Eze-oku-eswi-uda woru  
ephekerephe oshi payinu  
mee unuphu ibe iya.

**18** Oke-úbvú oke-úbvú bu  
ndu bu iya nụ bu  
eghu-ọswa.

Ọgba bụru eka nchi-ọgba  
anoduje ezeru ndzü.

**19** O meru ọnwa g'e gudeje gụ  
apha.

Enyanwu nodu amajeru teke  
ya a-riba.

**20** Qobujeru; teke i meru;  
ochii wata agbagba  
l'ọ bụru iya bu le  
nchi ejihu.

Iphe, bükpo anu,  
no l'oswa eshi l'eka ẹphe  
no wufukota jeshia achọ  
iphe, ẹphe e-ri.

**21** Oduma asuahaa ekiri achọ  
nri, oo-ri; mbụ nri,  
shi l'eka Chileke.

- 22 Teke ẹnyanwu waerupho;  
     ẹphe ezita onwophẹ ezita;  
     je domia l'ogba phẹ.
- 23 Nemadzụ agbeshi teke onoya  
     jeshia l'egu.  
     Ooje anodu l'egu jee ozi  
         jasụ l'uzenyashi.
- 24 Gube Chipfu; ozi, iijkekota  
     bukwa aguta aguta.  
     Iphemiphe ono bukotaru  
         mmamiphe nkengu bẹ i  
         gude mekota iya;  
         mbụ lẹ mgboko l'ophu  
         bẹ iphe,  
         jiru iya nụ bukota iphe,  
         i gude eka mee.
- 25 Eze-enyimu ha shii bya adụ  
     osà.  
     Ọ bụru l'ime iya bẹ  
         aguta aguta anụ bu;  
         mbụ iphe, nọ ndzụ;  
         ndu ophu ha shii;  
         mẹ ndu ophu ha nwanshịi.
- 26 Ọ bụru l'eli iya bẹ aanoduje  
     angaphe ụgbo-mini.  
     Teme ejo-oke-agiyi ono,  
         bụ ngu gude eka ngu  
         mee ya ono nodu ebvu  
         mini l'ime iya.
- 27 Iphemiphe ono bụ ngu bẹ  
     ẹphe tuko ele enya l'eka  
     g'i nuje phẹ nri  
     l'orwuberu iya.

28 Teke i nñuru phë iya;  
 ẹphe achikobe iya  
 l'onwophë.

Teke i saru ẹka; iphe,  
 dù ree enwushihu;  
 ẹphe egude iya  
 rijia ẹpho.

29 Teke i domiru phë iphu ngu;  
 ndzụ-agugu erwuta phë.

Teke i nataru phë unme,  
 ẹphe atu;  
 ẹphe anwụhu bụru  
 eja ali.

30 Teke i kuru Unme ngu ye phë  
 l'ehu; ẹphe abụru iphe,  
 e meru k'òphúú.

I nodu emeje iphu mgboko  
 l'ophu g'ọ dù ọphúú ọphúú.

31 G'o-gbu-nwịinwii Chipfu  
 dükwa g'ọ dù jasụ  
 l'ojejoje.

G'ozi, Chipfu gude ẹka iya  
 jee mekwa g'ehu tsọo  
 ya ụtso;  
 32 mbụ onye abujeru;  
 o -lee eliphe l'ophu ẹnya;  
 l'ọ nmahụ pyaapyaapyaa.

Teke ọ byaru ẹka l'eli úbvú;  
 úbvú ọbu akpụhu  
 tütutuutuu.

33 Mu a-noduje agụ ebvu  
 anụ Chipfu lẹ ndzụ  
 mu l'ophu.

Mu a-guje ebvu gude  
 etu Chileke mu əpha  
 jasụ gę mu a-no-beru.

<sup>34</sup> Jiko gę kę nkiya-a,  
 mu ari-a tsökwa ya ụtso;  
 noo kélé iphe,  
 Chipfu anoduje eme  
 emeje g'ehu tsqo mu ụtso.

<sup>35</sup> Jiko gę ndu iphe-eji chihu  
 l'eliphe l'ophu;  
 ophu ndu ejo-iphe  
 aduhe adudu ophu.  
 Gube obu mu;  
 jiko tua Chipfu əpha.  
 G'ajaja buru kę Chipfu.

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- <sup>1</sup> Unu kele Chipfu ekele;  
 unu kua əpha iya!  
 Unu mee g'ohamoha  
 madzuru iphe, o meru!
- <sup>2</sup> Unu guku iya l'ebvu!  
 Unu gúa ebvu gude tua  
 ya əpha!  
 Unu pfukashikwapho iphe,  
 bükpoo iphe, dù biribiri,  
 qonoduje eme!
- <sup>3</sup> Unu gude əpha iya ono,  
 dù nsø tua onwunu əpha!  
 G'obu ndu achọ Chipfu  
 teje əswa!
- <sup>4</sup> Unu wojeru ənya dabe  
 le Chipfu mę l'okpehu

iya!

Mbụa unu choje iphu  
iya mkpúrumkpuru!

**5** Unu nyatakwa iphe,  
dụ biribiri, o mekötaru;  
waa iphe-ohumalenyá,  
o meshigbaaru;  
waa ikpe, o kperu;

**6** unubé oshilökpa Ébirihamu,  
bụ onye-ozi iya;  
unubé ụnwu Jiékópu,  
bụ ndu o gude eka iya hóta.

**7** O kwa iya bụ Chipfu;  
bya abụru Chileke anyi.  
Ikpe iya tükoru mgboko  
vọo pfurupfuru.

**8** Ogbandzu iya bẹ ọonyataje  
jasụ lẹ tuutuutuu  
lẹ mịimiimii.

Ukwe-iphe, o kweru bẹ eshije  
l'ogbo sweru ögbo.

**9** Ogbandzu ono,  
yélé Ébirihamu gbaru ono;  
mbụ angụ ono,  
o riburu Áyizaku ono;  
**10** bẹ o meru; ọ búru ekemu  
l'ehu Jiékópu.

Ndu Ízurèlu bẹ o meru iya;  
ọ búru ogbandzu,  
a-nọ ojejoje;  
**11** sụ phẹ: “Oo unu bẹ mu  
a-nụ alí Kénanu

g'ọ bụru okiphe,  
unu ketarụ.”

12 Teke ono bẹ ẹphe shi  
habe nwahabe;  
mbụ teke ẹphe shi  
ha nwa chiaka-chiaka;  
bụru ndu lwarụ  
alwalwa l'alị ono.

13 Ẹphe shi etsojeru  
ọhamoha aghaphe.  
Ephe -shi l'alị-eze ọwa-a;  
ẹphe alụfu l'alị-eze  
ophuu.

14 Ophu ọ dudu onye o kweru  
g'o mee phẹ ewere.

O nodu egudeje opfu ẹhu  
phẹ baarụ ndu eze mba;  
15 su phẹ: “Unu te edenyikwa  
ndibe mu,  
mu ho futaru eka!  
Unu ba adukwa iphe,  
unu e-me ndu epfuchiru  
mu nụ!”

16 O meru; ọkpa-nri bya l'eliphe;  
shi nno woru nri,  
ẹphe nweru enweru  
mebyishichaa.

17 O ye nwoke lanụ g'o vuru  
phẹ uzo;  
mbụ Jiósefu, onye ono,  
e reru; ọ bụru ohu ono.

18 Ẹphe tụa ya mkporo l'okpa;  
huswashia ya ọkpa;

bya eworu  
 agadagba-ígwè  
 ye iya l'olu;  
<sup>19</sup> gbiriri jasụ mbọku,  
 o pfuru opfu;  
 ọ vụa g'o pfuru iya;  
 mbụ jasụ opfu,  
 Chipfu pfuru mee g'a  
 maru l'o bụ onye ire-lanụ.

<sup>20</sup> Noo ya bụ; eze zia sụ g'e je  
 ewehaa ya.

Onye bụ ishi ọha woru iya  
 wehaa;  
 o nweru onwiya.

<sup>21</sup> O woru iya mee onye-ishi  
 unuphu ibe iya l'ophu;  
 mbụ onye elekọta  
 iphemiphe,  
 o nweru enweru;  
<sup>22</sup> sụ iya g'ọ hùje ndu-ishi  
 ahùhù teke dụ iya ree;  
 l'o zije ndu bụ ogerenyा  
 l'alị-eze iya mmamiphe.

<sup>23</sup> Qo ya bụ; ndu Ízurelu  
 lanaa Ijiputu.

Ndibe Jiékọpu jenụ  
 aburu ndu lwarụ alwalwa  
 l'alị Hamu.

<sup>24</sup> Chipfu bya emee ndibe iya;  
 ẹphe nọdu azụ azụzù  
 shii.

O mẹe phẹ; ẹphe paa igwerigwe;  
 shi nno kapyabẹ ndu

ohogu phę.

25 O woru obu ndu ɔhogu phę  
ono ghaphua.

Ndibe Chipfu ono bya adu  
ndu ono ashı.

Ęphe wata achıru ndu-ozi  
iya ono ejo idzu.

26 O bya ahota Mósisu,  
bu onye-ozi iya;  
bya ahota Erönü bya  
eworu phę zia;

27 ęphe je emeshia  
iphe-ɔhumalenya  
nkiya l'echilabę phę;  
bya egoshi phę iphe,  
du biribiri kę Chipfu  
l'alı Hamu.

28 O ziru ɔchii ozi;  
o je emee alı ono;  
o gbahı tsükiriba;  
noo kęle ndu Ijiputu  
kwefuru opfu Chileke ike.

29 O bya emee; mini,  
no l'alı phę ghökota  
mee.

Ęma, du iya nu tuko  
nwuşshihukota.

30 Mbara tuko alı phę  
mgburugburu jikota  
pyimu kwöchaa  
nkwołankwo;  
bahuchaa lę mkpuru  
eka ndu-ishı alı phę

akwajẹ akwakwa.

31 O bụa opfu bẹ o pfuru;  
ijiji tsuaha gbiigbiigbi;  
teme mkpúrumkpu  
tükoe pho alị ẹka  
ono sweta.

32 Igwe haa edze mini  
wata atụ akamini;  
bya atuahaa egbigwe  
gbaagbaa l'alị phẹ l'ophu;  
33 bya atüpyashia vayịnụ phẹ  
mẹ oshi figu phẹ;  
bya atuko oshi,  
no l'alị phẹ l'ophu  
zijashikota.

34 O gbeshikwa ọzo bya epfua  
opfu; igube wata etsutsu;  
mbụ ogu, etsu gbiigbiigbi  
buru aguta aguta.

35 Ephe tuko iphe, dzụ ndzụ,  
ekwo dù tapyashikota  
l'alị phẹ l'ophu; mbụ tuko  
iphe,  
ephe meberu l'alị g'ọ ha  
tapyashia.

36 O gbé teke ono bya atuko  
ndu bụ ọkpara  
l'alị phẹ gbushia;  
mbụ tuko nwa,  
vuru ụzo kpoo phẹ iphu  
mee umerekete.

37 O bya edufuta ndu Ízurèlu;  
kporu mkpolà-ododo

yee mkpolo-ochaa kpojia  
phé eka;  
ophu o dudu unwu  
Ízurelu ono g'o ka mma  
l'oo onye lanu,  
mkpo kporu l'okpa.

<sup>38</sup> Ehu tsoo Ijiputu ntumatu  
g'ephe tugbuerupho;  
kele ephe shi atsua  
ndu Ízurelu ebvu  
shingushingu.

<sup>39</sup> O bya aphushiaru phé  
urwukpu gude kpuchia phé;  
bya akpoberu phé oku  
g'ephe gude huma  
iphóró l'enyaishi.

<sup>40</sup> Ephe suru g'a nü phé nri;  
Chipfu bya achiru òkwà  
nü phé;  
bya egude nri,  
shi l'igwe zu-jia phé epho.

<sup>41</sup> Oke mkpuma be o tñharu  
uzo; mini shi iya soshihu;  
mbu aso ge nggele  
l'echiegu ono;

<sup>42</sup> noo kele o nyataru  
ukwe-iphe, du nsø,  
o kweru nü onye-ozi iya,  
bu Ébirihamu.

<sup>43</sup> O dufuta ndibe iya;  
ehu nodu atso phé.  
Ephe nodu atu uzu ehu-utso

gude eje afuta;  
mbụ ndu ono, ọ hotaru ono.

<sup>44</sup> O woru ali ndu ọhozo woru  
nụ phẹ.

Ọ bụru eka ndu ọzo riru aphụ  
iya bẹ ẹphe wotaru;  
ọ bụru okiphe phẹ;  
<sup>45</sup> k'ophu ẹphe a-wata eme  
omelalị iya;  
dobeahaa ekemu,  
shi iya l'eka.

G'ajaja bụru kẹ Chipfu.

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<sup>1</sup> G'ajaja bụru kẹ Chipfu.

Unu kele Chipfu ekele;  
kèle ọ bụ onye ọma.

N-yemobu nkiya anoje  
jasụ l'ojejoje.

<sup>2</sup> ?Bụ onye a-dụ ike tịa ọnu  
g'iphe,  
Chipfu eme habe shii?

Too; ?denu onye a-dụ  
ike tugbabę Chipfu ẹpha iphe,  
oomeębe?

<sup>3</sup> Ehu-utso bẹ a goru nụ ndu  
anoduje eme iphe,  
dụ nhamụnha;  
mbụ ndu ono,  
anoduje eme iphe,  
pfürü ọto tekenteke.

<sup>4</sup> Nyatakwa mu jiko Chipfu;  
teke ịi-wata egoshi lẹ

- ndibe ngu dù ngu l'obu!  
 Byakwa agbaarụ mu mkpu  
     m'i byatashịa phẹ adzota!
- <sup>5</sup> K'ophu mu a-hụma o-dù-ree,  
     i doberu ndu i hotaru;  
     tsokwaru pho ọha ono,  
     bụ nkengu ono tee ẹswa;  
     mbụ tsoru ndu ono,  
     bụ okiphe ngu ono tua  
     ngu ẹpha.
- <sup>6</sup> Anyi meakwaru iphe-eji gẹ nna  
     anyi oche phẹ meru.  
 Anyi mekwaru ejo-iphe;  
     mbụ l'anyi mewaru iphe,  
     apfuduru-oto.
- <sup>7</sup> Teke nna anyi oche  
     phẹ shi nodu le Ijiputu  
     bẹ iphe, dù biribiri,  
     i shi emeje te eshidu  
     edoje phẹ ẹnya.  
 Ophu o dùdu ikpoto  
     iphe-ọma ngu, dùru ọphu  
     ẹphe nyataru.  
 Ẹphe kwefuru ngu ike  
     l'aguga Eze-ẹnyimu  
     Uswe-uswe ono.
- <sup>8</sup> Ole o gudeele-a g'ephä iya  
     apfuru dzọ phẹ;  
     k'ophu aa-maru l'ephä  
     iya paru eka apaa.
- <sup>9</sup> O baru Eze-ẹnyimu  
     Uswe-uswe mba; mini,  
     nọ iya nụ tashịhu.

O dua phẹ ghaa echi  
 ogbu-mini g'onye agha  
 echięgu.

10 O dzotaru phẹ l'eka ndu  
 ọhogu phẹ;  
 gbafuta phẹ l'eka ndu ẹphe  
 dù ashị.

11 Mini rikota ndu achị phẹ  
 lẹ njo;  
 ophu ọ dùdu g'ọ ka mma  
 l'ọo onye lanụ, warụ nụ.

12 Noo teke ẹphe kwetarụ l'iphe,  
 o kweru ukwe ememe bẹ oomeje;  
 bya agụa ebvu gude tua  
 ya ẹpha.

13 Ophu ọ dùdu g'ọ nọ-beru;  
 ẹphe zohaa iphe ono,  
 o meru ono;  
 teme ophu ẹphe angabejeedu  
 g'ọ chí-koshi phẹ idzu.

14 Ẹphe rwua l'echięgu ono;  
 ẹphe wata eme iphe,  
 agụ phẹ nụ;  
 mbụ ọ buryu l'alị ono,  
 dabyiru mgbegere ono  
 bẹ ẹphe hụru Chileke ama.

15 Oo ya bụ; ọ nụnu phẹ iphe,  
 ẹphe suru g'a nụ phẹ.  
 O nuchanaa phẹ iya;  
 bya evuru ejo iphe-ememe  
 byabẹ phẹ l'ishi.

16 Ẹphe rwua l'eka ẹphe  
 kpóberu ụlo-ékwa

- phẹ g'ephe butoṭa.  
 Ọ dürü ndu wataru ejiru  
 Mósisu yee Erönü ijienya;  
 mbụ umadzu labo ono,  
 Chipfū hotaru dobe iche  
 ono.
- <sup>17</sup> Noo ya; ali ghekahụ ẹbo  
 lwee Detanu;  
 bya atuko Abiramu yee ndu  
 ẹphe l'iya swi lia le ndzụ.
- <sup>18</sup> Teme ọku nwulihu kẹ  
 phoophoophoo bya  
 etsufu ndu etsoje phẹ nụ.  
 Oku ono tukoeopho ndu  
 ejo-iphe ono tsufu.
- <sup>19</sup> Ephe rwukwaa l'ubvú  
 Horębu;  
 ẹphe je eworu agwa dobe;  
 mbụ gude mkpola-ododo  
 wua nweswi dobe  
 baahaarụ iya eja.
- <sup>20</sup> Ephe gude ọdu-biribiri  
 phẹ ono, bụ Chileke  
 gude je agbanweta iphe,  
 a kpuru; ọ du g'eswi,  
 ata ęswa.
- <sup>21</sup> Ephe zohaa Chileke ono,  
 dzorù phẹ nụ ono;  
 mbụ onye ono,  
 meru iphe,  
 paru eka l'alị Ijiputu;
- <sup>22</sup> bya emee iphe,  
 du biribiri l'alị Hamu;  
 bya emekwapho iphe,

dụ ebvu l'aguga  
Eze-enyimu Uswe-uswe  
ono.

23 Qo ya bụ; o sụ lẹ ya  
e-mebyishi phẹ;  
obenu lẹ Mósisu,  
bụ onye ọ hotaru jeru  
apfụ-chia ụwara,  
o shi abya;  
g'o to gude oke ẹhu-eghu  
iya mebyishikota  
g'ephe ha.

24 E mechaa; ẹphe woru ẹguru  
alị ono nmaa phulaphula;  
ophu ẹphe ekwetaduru l'iphe,  
Chileke kweru ukwe  
ememe bẹ ọo-dụkwadu  
ike mee.

25 Ephe nödugbaa l'ime ulo-ekwa  
phẹ wata agụ aphụ;  
ophu ẹphe ekweedu eme iphe,  
Chipfu sru g'ephe mee.

26 Qo ya bụ; o chilia ẹka eli  
riaru phẹ angụ sụ lẹ ya  
e-me g'ephe daa pöopoo  
l'echiegu;  
27 tème ya erwuta ụnwu  
nwanwa phẹ jeye ndu  
ohogu phẹ l'ẹka.

Ephe achikashia phẹ;  
ephe agbaa nanụ nanụ  
dzuru eliphe l'ophu.

28 Ephe gbeshi je eworu

onwophę gо l'eka  
 Balu-Peyo;  
 bya awata eri iphe,  
 e gburu l'agwa,  
 ta adzudu ndzu.

<sup>29</sup> Ephe menaa; Chipfu vuahaa  
 ọvuma l'ejo-ememe,  
 ẹphe nо megbabę.

Mgbu-ọnwu dabanụ  
 l'echilabę phę.

<sup>30</sup> Ole Finehasu gbeshiru bya  
 egboo ọgu ono sụ g'ono  
 ta nwukwa;  
 shi nno gboo mgbu-ọnwu  
 ono.

<sup>31</sup> A gụaru iya ono l'apfubekoto,  
 e-shi l'ehu iya sweru  
 oshilokpa iya jasụ l'ojejoje.

<sup>32</sup> Ephe rwukwaa l'aguga  
 mini Meriba;  
 ẹphe kpatsu Chipfu iwe.

Mosisu shi phę l'eka meta  
 kpuia onwiya.

<sup>33</sup> O kélé ẹphe kwefuru  
 Unme Chileke ike meru iphe,  
 Mosisu gude pfua iphe,  
 o togo pfudu.

<sup>34</sup> Ophu ẹphe alwuebeduru  
 ndu ono,  
 ẹphe jepfuru l'alị ono;  
 gę Chipfu tịru phę  
 ekemu sụ g'ẹphe lwua phę.

<sup>35</sup> O buchiaru iphe,

ẹphe meru bụ l'ẹphe  
jeru eworu onwophe  
tükobe lę ndu ono.

Ephe ghaa eghirigha  
wata eme omelalị phę.

<sup>36</sup> Ephe wata abarụ agwa  
phę ejा.

Iphe ono mechaas bürü  
ónyà nmata phę.

<sup>37</sup> Ephe gude nwa phę nwoke;  
mę kę nwanyị gude wata  
agwa ejo ọbvu.

<sup>38</sup> Ephe wata egbushi ụnwụ  
phę, adudu iphe, ẹphe meru;  
gude agwa ọbvu  
ndu Kénanu.

Ephe gude mee ụnwụ  
phę ono merwushia ali  
ono;

<sup>39</sup> bya eshikwaphę nno  
merwushia onwophe;  
mbụ shi nno bürü ndu  
agba ụkpara.

<sup>40</sup> Noo g'o gude Chipfu  
vụahaaru ndibe iya  
qvuma;  
mbụ kpọ-yiaharu ndu ono,  
bụ okiphe iya ono ukuvu.

<sup>41</sup> O chiru phę ye l'eka  
ndu ọhozo.

Ndu ẹphe dù ashị bürü eze  
chịahaa phę.

<sup>42</sup> Ndu ọhogu phę kpaahaa

- phẹ ẹhu.  
 Ndibe Chileke bya anodu  
 phẹ l'eka.
- 43 O dzotakpooru phẹ  
 teke dù igwerigwe;  
 ọle ẹka uche adujeet phẹ  
 pho bụ l'eme iphe,  
 a suru g'ẹphe te emeshi.  
 Ẹphe shi nno nodu l'iphe-eji  
 phẹ yifu.
- 44 Ole ọobujeru;  
 iphe-ehuka -byapfuta phẹ;  
 ẹphe -raku Chileke;  
 l'o rwua Chileke l'ehu  
 ẹgwegwa; l'o nüma  
 olu phẹ.
- 45 L'o gude opfu ẹhu phẹ  
 nyata ọgbandzu iya.  
 O gude kẹ l'o yeru phẹ  
 obu selaa ẹka azụ.
- 46 O mee g'iphe,  
 bükpoo ndu kpuru  
 phẹ lẹ ndzụ phụaru phẹ  
 obu-imemini.
- 47 Dzonaa anyi; jiko Chipfu,  
 bụ Chileke anyi.  
 Shinu l'ohamoha ono  
 rwukobe anyi ọzo;  
 k'ophu anyi e-tu ngu ẹpha;  
 gube onye ono,  
 ẹpha ngu dù nsọ ono gude  
 ajaja,  
 anyi a-ja ngu baa aba.

48 G'ajaja bürü kę Chipfu,  
 bụ Chileke kę ndu  
 Ízureļu gbururu jeye  
 lę gbururu.

G'onyemonye sükwa:  
 “Nokwa g'o dù!”  
 G'ajaja bürü kę Chipfu!

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<sup>1</sup> Unu kele Chipfu ekele;  
 kęle ọ bụ onye ọma.  
 N-yemobu nkiya anoje jasụ  
 l'ojejoje.

<sup>2</sup> Gẹ ndu Chipfu gbafutaru  
 kele iya ekele l'ọ bụ  
 onye ọma;  
 mbụ ndu ọ gbatarụ l'eka  
 ndu achị phę lę njo;  
<sup>3</sup> ndu ono, o shi l'ohamoha  
 rwukọ;  
 mbụ ndu o jeru l'uzo  
 ẹnyanwu-awawa;  
 bya ejee l'uzo ẹnyanwu-ariba;  
 je uzo isheli bya ejee ndohali  
 je erwukọ.

<sup>4</sup> O dürü ndu ophu bụ  
 l'echiegu bę ẹphe tsoru  
 aghaphe;  
 mbụ l'alị, dabiyiru mgbegere,  
 adụdu iphe, dù iya nụ;  
 ophu ẹphe amadụ uzo,  
 ẹphe e-shi jerwua mkpükpu,  
 ẹphe e-je ebupyabę.

- 5 Egu-nri ḡuru ph̄e;  
   ēgu-mini ḡua ph̄e.  
  Ephe nōdu l'ēka ono jōo ēhu  
   wūfu.
- 6 Tōbudu iya b̄u;  
   ephe raku Chipfu g'ephe nō  
   l'iphe-ehuka ono.  
  O bya anafūta ph̄e l'iphe-ehuka,  
   ephe eje obu.
- 7 O bya edua ph̄e shia uzo,  
   pfūru oto;  
   durwua ph̄e mkpūkpu,  
   ephe e-buru.
- 8 G'ephe kele Chipfu ekele l'o  
   yenūkaru ph̄e obu;  
   waa l'oomeru ụnwu-eliphe iphe,  
   dū biribiri.
- 9 K̄ele onye mini agu b̄e  
   oochejije iya epho;  
   l'o gude iphe, dū ree z̄u-jia  
   onye ēgu agu epho.
- 10 O dūru ndu ophu shi nōdu  
   l'ēka agba ochii bya  
   adū tsukiribaa;  
   mbu b̄uru ndu nō mkporo  
   eje iphe-ehuka l'ēka e gude  
   iphe-ígwè t̄ugbabe ph̄e ɔkpa;
- 11 k̄ele ephe kwefuru ike l'ephe  
   te emedu opfu Chileke;  
   mbu jika l'ephe le  
   Okalibe-kakota-shii  
   ta achidu idzu lanu.
- 12 Tōbudu iya b̄u;

o paru phę haa;  
 ęphe jeaha ozi mkponwehu.  
 Ephe jee ya jasụ ęphe  
 nodu aphohuje daa;  
 ọphu o dudu onye gbaru  
 phę mkpu.

<sup>13</sup> Noo ya; ęphe raku Chipfu  
 g'ęphe nō l'iphe-ęhuka ono.

O bya adzoo phę l'iphe-ęhuka,  
 ęphe eje ọbu.

<sup>14</sup> O bya edufuta phę l'eka  
 agba ochii,  
 gbahuru kę tsukiribaa,  
 bụ ęka ęphe shi nodu;  
 bya agbabushia egbirigba,  
 e shi gude tüğbabe  
 phę ọkpa.

<sup>15</sup> G'ęphe kele Chipfu ekele l'o  
 yenükaru phę obu;  
 waa l'oomeru ụnwu-eliphe  
 iphe, dù biribiri;

<sup>16</sup> Kele ọonyakashije ọguzo,  
 a kparu l'onyirubvu;  
 bya egbubushije mgborígwè,  
 e gude gbachishia uzo.

<sup>17</sup> O nweru ndu ọphu wataru  
 eme eswe.

O bürü iphe, kparu iya nü  
 bụ l'ęphe kwefuru  
 Chileke ike;  
 teme e mekpaa phę ęhu;  
 opfu l'ęphe bụ ndu  
 meru ejio-iphe.

18 Ehu phę nafuchaa phę nri.

Ephe nodu anwuhu phakuu.

19 Töbudu iya bụ;

ephe raku Chipfu g'ephe  
nọ l'iphe-ehuka ono;

Ọ bya adzoo phę l'iphe-ehuka  
ono,

byapfutaru phę nụ ono.

20 Ọ bürü opfu ọnụ bẹ o pfuru;

o mee; ehu dükota

phę ike;

shi nno dzota phę l'ilu.

21 G'ephe kele Chipfu ekele

l'o yenükaru phę obu;

waa l'oomeru phę iphe,

dụ biribiri.

22 G'ephe gweru ngweja-ekele

nụ iya.

Ephe agua ebvu ehu-utso gude

mee g'a maru g'iphe,

oome gbaru.

23 Ọ dürü ndu ọphu gude

ugbo-mini tsoru

eze-enyimu agba nghọ.

24 Ndu k'ono humaru ozi,

Chipfu jeru; ozi,

dụ biribiri,

o jeru l'echi ogbu-mini;

25 kele ọ bụ-a opfu bẹ o pfuru

l'onu;

oke pherephere wata ezizi.

Ọ shi nno mee;

oke akparamini ono

wata atuṣhi ike.

26 Ụgbo-mini phẹ nodu  
awulihuje ephekerephe  
ephekerephe.

L'ọ byakwa atsubakpoo  
omilomi omilomi.  
Oke iphe-ehuka, ẹphe eje ono  
mee;  
obu phẹ zashihu azashihu.

27 Ẹphe nodu anga anganga;  
akpọ garigari gẹ ndu  
ngushiru mее ike.

Mmamiphe phẹ l'ophu buru  
phẹ ola-l'iswi.

28 Tòbudu iya bụ; ẹphe raku  
Chipfu g'ephe nō  
l'iphe-ehuka ono.

Ọ bya anafuta phẹ l'iphe-ehuka,  
ẹphe eje ọbu.

29 Ènyimu, aphụ oke  
gborogboro bẹ o meru;  
ọ phuahaa nwa swiswiswi;  
bya abaarụ oke  
akparamini mba;  
ọ daa nyonyoronyo.

30 Èhu tsøahaa phẹ ụtso g'ọ  
daru nyonyoronyo ono.

O dua phẹ gbiriri jasụ ẹphe  
jerwua ọdu ụgbo-mini  
eka ẹphe eje.

31 G'ephe kele Chipfu ekele l'o  
yenükaru phẹ obu;  
waa l'oomeru phẹ iphe,

dü biribiri.

- 32 G'ephe kutsee ya l'eka e  
dzukōberu edzukōbe;  
tua ya əpha l'eka ndu  
bu ogerenya dōru  
achi idzu.
- 33 Enyimu bę ə mışiru mini;  
ə bürü echięgu.  
Q bya emee nggele, aso asoso;  
ə bürü ali, mini tahuru.
- 34 O meru ali, bu əsu;  
ə bürü jakporo jakporo  
ali únú;  
kele ndu shi buru l'eka  
ono menükaru əjo-iphe.
- 35 Echięgu bę o meru;  
ə bürü okpuru,  
mini jiru ejiji;  
bya emee ali,  
shi du kpokoro kpokoro  
kpokoro;  
ə bürü ishi nggele.
- 36 Q bürü əka du əgube ono  
bę o dutaru ndu əgu  
agü je edobe g'ephe buru.  
Ephe je eburu l'eka ono  
bürü mkpükpu əka phę.
- 37 Ephe woru opfu kọo;  
bya agbaa opfu-vayinu  
l'eka ono.  
Ephe jeshia ya akpata;  
ə mışhaa mebyi  
migraphar iya əka.

- 38 O keberu phę l'oma;  
 ęphe wata aka shii  
 mebyi akaka;  
 ọphu o kwedu g'iphe-edobe  
 phę wata alwa ali ali.
- 39 E mecha; Chipfu gude  
 mkpamęhu; waa iphe-ehuka;  
 yee aphu lo-zeta phę.  
 Ęphe wata alwa ali ali.
- 40 Mbụ onye ono, ewodaję  
 ndu a maru ępha phę ali;  
 woru phę mee;  
 ęphe ghapheahaa l'ali,  
 dabyiru iphorø, adudu  
 gbororo, du iya nu.
- 41 O bekwanu lę ndu adudu g'o  
 du phę be o setarụ l'eka  
 sefuta l'iphe-ehuka,  
 ęphe eje.  
 O bya emee; ndibe phę wata  
 azushi g'aturu.
- 42 Ndu obu phę guru iphóró  
 abujeru;  
 ęphe -humá iphe ono;  
 ęphe eworu ęswa tee;  
 obenu lę ndu eme iphe,  
 apfuduru-oto g'ęphe  
 ha abujeru;  
 ęphe -humá iya;  
 l'ọ kpoo phę ọnun opfu.
- 43 Ge ndu maru iphe wokwaru  
 iphe-a je asụ-mia l'ime  
 obu phę.

Ephe arịa gę n-yemobu  
Chipfu habe shii!

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru*

- 1 Obu shihukwaru mu ike  
Chileke;  
k'ophu bụ lę mu e-gude  
obu mu g'o ha agu ebvu  
etu ngu əpha.
- 2 Obu mu; tehu nwuru ənya.  
Unu tehu nwuru ənya;  
unubę ogelenda yęe une;  
kèle mbędua e-gudekwa  
ebvu kutee gęregere  
nchi-abohu lę mgbęnya.
- 3 Mu a-nodu l'echilabo  
ndiphe kele ngu ekele  
gube Chipfu.  
Mu anödukapho l'echilabo  
oha l'ophu gụa ebvu  
gude tua ngu əpha.
- 4 Noo kèle n-yemobu ngu  
paru eka.  
O tükoru imigwe l'ophu  
kakota ephekerekere.
- 5 Teme ire-lanu nkengu  
dzuru akpaminigwe.  
Goshinu ndiphe g'i paberu  
eka;  
mbụ l'i noghataru  
akpaminigwe anoghata;  
gę ndiphe l'ophu ahuma

g'i dù-be biribiri.

<sup>6</sup> Gudenụ ọkpēhu ngu dzọ  
anyi; zanụ anyi ẹnu;  
k'ophu ee-shi nno dzọ  
ndu i yeru obu.

<sup>7</sup> Chileke nowaa l'ulo iya,  
dù nsọ pfua opfu sụ:  
“Mu e-gude agbọ ọgboo  
kee alị ndu Shekemu.  
Teme mu eworu nsuda  
Sukọtu bushia.

<sup>8</sup> Giladu bụ nkemu;  
Manásẹ bùkwarupho  
nkemu.  
Ifuremu bụ okpu,  
mu kpu l'ishi.  
Jiuda bùkwanuru mgboro-eze,  
mu apajẹ l'eka.

<sup>9</sup> Mówabu bụ ochi,  
mu akwoje ọkpa.  
Ọ bùkwanuru lẹ Edomu bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
mu eyeshije akpokpa  
mu dobe.

Ndu Filisitayinu bẹ mu  
gbowaru ọgboo kpua.”

<sup>10</sup> ?Bụ onye e-du mu chiriri  
werere duba lẹ mkpükpu ono,  
a kpuru kpushia ike ono?

Mbụ-a; ? bụ onye e-duru mu  
duba lẹ Edomu?

<sup>11</sup> Ọ kwa gubedua Chileke bụ  
onye ọbu.

Obenu l'i gbẹ jíka anyi;

ophu i tii tsojeéduru ndu  
ojogu anyi eje ögü.

- <sup>12</sup> Yeru anyi eka jiko g'anyi  
mekpee ndu ögogu anyi;  
kele eye eka k'ünwu-eliphe,  
bu iphe-iphoro.
- <sup>13</sup> Obenu l'anyi -nöduwaa  
Chileke l'eka bę anyi  
e-mekpe phę gę mkparawa.  
Ọ búru iya e-hu ndu ögogu  
anyi agbagba-nchị  
l'alị.

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru nü  
onye-ishi ebvu*

- <sup>1</sup> Gübé Chileke, mu etu əpha;  
ba nodushinu ngguingguji;  
<sup>2</sup> kele ndu ejo-iphe mę  
ndu erekede sawaru önü  
epfuru mu ejo opfu;  
bya adzushi uka ekpu mu.
- <sup>3</sup> Ephe gudewaa opfu  
ndümashi gbaa mu  
mgburugburu.  
Ephe nodu abya mu l'iphu;  
ebe adu iphe, mu meru phe.
- <sup>4</sup> Mu -gbę emekoshi phę  
k'onyà;  
ephe agbę ebo mu ibo;  
obenu lę mbędua  
anodu jeephō l'epfu anụ

- Chileke epfushi iya ike.
- 5 Ephe egudeje ejo-iphe pfua  
     mu ugwo iphe-oma,  
     mu meru phę.  
 Obu, mu yeru phę bu  
     ndumashi bę ẹphe egudeje  
     sata mu iya.
- 6 Yenu onye ejo nemadzụ g'o je  
     akwachia ya uzo.  
 Zinaa onye a-nodu ebo iya  
     ibo g'o je apfuru iya l'iphu  
     gbaa ya ekebe.
- 7 E -kpee ya ikpe; g'ikpe  
     obu nmakwa iya.  
 Gẹ Chileke gükwaru epfupfu,  
     oopfu anụ iya ye l'iphe-eji,  
     o meru.
- 8 G'eswe ndzụ iya gbakwaa  
     mkpirikpu.  
 G'onye ọzo nọ-chikwa  
     enya iya l'eje ozi,  
     o shi eje.
- 9 G'o tögökwa unwegirima  
     ibe iya nwamaa.  
 L'o haa nyee ya l'ulo-maa.
- 10 G'unwegirima ibe iya  
     wushmanwaru ghaphee  
     rwo arwọ!  
 G'a chifukwa phę g'ephe  
     te ebukponu lę mkpokpo  
     unuphu ibe phę obu!
- 11 Gẹ ndu o ji ugwo tükokwa  
     iphe,

- o nweru enweru natachaa.  
 Gẹ ndu a madụ eka ẹphe  
     shi tukokwa akanya,  
     o seru esese gweta.
- 12 G'o tọ dükwa onye e-mejeru  
     iya iphe-oma;  
     ophu ọ dükwa onye a-phujeru  
     unwegirima ono,  
     o togboru nwamaa ono  
     obu-imemini.
- 13 G'awa iya chihukwa.  
 G'epha phẹ ta adụhekwa l'ogbo  
     ophu abya nụ.
- 14 Gẹ Chipfu ta adükwa  
     teke oo-zoha ejo-iphe,  
     nna iya oche phẹ mekotaru;  
     ophu o hufukwa iphe-eji,  
     ne iya meru ehufu ophu.
- 15 G'iphe-eji phẹ ono tukoekwapho  
     kwaa l'iphu Chipfu;  
     k'ophu oo-me g'ephe chihu  
     l'eliphe;  
     g'a ta nyatabahẹ phẹ!
- 16 Kele ọ tọ rijeduru kẹ g'o  
     meeru nemadzụ iphe-oma.  
 O buchianu iphe, ooshibeje  
     ite iya bụ g'oome dulaa  
     ndu ụkpa maa;  
     waa ndu adụdu g'o dù phẹ;  
     waa ndu obu phẹ tsuru  
     gworigwori.
- 17 Eshinu iphe, aduje iya ree  
      bụ atụ ọnụ;

g'ọ bükwaru onye a  
türu ọnụ.

Sụ-a; eshinu ago ọnụ-oma  
aduje iya ejị;  
g'ọnụ-oma nödükwa iya  
üzenyá üzénye.

<sup>18</sup> Eshinu o yeru onwiya atụ  
ọnụ g'onye yeru uwe;  
g'atụ ọnụ ono sòdakwa  
iya l'ephō gę mini.

L'o mibachaa ya l'okpu  
gę manụ.

<sup>19</sup> G'a phukwaa ya ya g'onye a  
phürü ukpo.

L'e kee ya ya g'onye keru  
akpọ l'upfū jasụ l'ojejoje.

<sup>20</sup> G'iphe ono, mu gushiru ono  
bükwaru ügwo,  
Chipfu a-pfụ ndu ono,  
anoduje ebo mu ibo ono;  
mbụ ndu ono,  
anoduje epfurū mu  
ejo-opfū ono.

<sup>21</sup> Obenu gube Chipfu,  
bu Nnajiuphu mu;  
menaarụ mu ree g'epha  
ngu apfuru.

Gudenu n-yemobu ngu ono,  
dunukaru ree ono nafuta mu;  
<sup>22</sup> kélé mu bu onye ụkpa  
bya abụru onye adudu  
g'ọ dù iya;  
teme e mewaa mu iphe,

rwuru mu lẹ meji.

23 Mu esewa gérere g'onyonyo  
uzenyashi;  
tème a nmakofuwa mu  
g'onye nmakofuru igube.

24 Ikpere mu ta aduedu ọphu  
shihuru ike l'eka mu  
aswị ẹgu;  
tème mu jowaa ẹhu  
bụru ọkpu.

25 Nta-a bẹ ndu anoduje ebo  
mu ibo ekweru mu une.  
Ephe -hụma mu;  
ephe egude ekwe l'ishi sụ  
mu hẹe.

26 Yenụru mu eka jiko Chipfu,  
bụ Chileke mu.

Eshinu ị bụ onye n-yemobu;  
dzonaa mu.

27 Mena ya g'ephe shi nno  
maru l'o shi ngu l'eka;  
mbụ g'ephe maru l'oo  
gube Chipfu meru iya  
l'onwongu.

28 Ephé a-nodu ephu mu iphu;  
obenu lẹ gubedua a-nodu  
agoru mu ọnụ-oma.

Ọ -bụru l'ephe byaru mu  
etso ọgu;  
l'e mee phé iphe-iphere;  
obenu lẹ mube onye-ozi  
ngu buepho ęswa bẹ mu  
a-nodu ete.

- <sup>29</sup> Ndu anodu je ebo mu ibo bẹ  
ee-ye iphere g'onye  
yeru uwe.  
L'a phụa phẹ iphere g'onye  
phụru ukpo.
- <sup>30</sup> Ọnu mu bẹ mu e-gude  
jaa Chipfu ọkpobe ajaja.  
Mu anodu l'edzudzu-ọha  
tua ya ẹpha;  
<sup>31</sup> kélé ọopfujeru l'ekutara  
onye adudu g'o dù iya;  
g'o dzota ndzụ iya l'eka  
ndu ekpe iya mpfugbu.

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### *Ebvu-ọma, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Chipfu sụru Nnajịuphu mu:  
“Nodu mu l'ekutara;  
jasụ teke mu e-me g'i zopyabe  
ndu-ohogu ngu l'okpa.”
- <sup>2</sup> Chipfu a-gbẹ lẹ Zayonu nụ  
ngu mgboror-eze,  
egoshi g'ike ngu  
habe shii.  
Ọo-sụ ngu: “Buru onye eze  
ndu ohogu ngu!”
- <sup>3</sup> Ndu ojogu ngu bẹ ọo-nodu  
ehe ihée eje ọgu l'eswe  
ọgu.  
Ọo g'iji nchi-abohu anodu je  
akwa-a bụ g'unwokorobya  
ngu a-wụ-pfuta ngu l'ubvú,  
dụ nsọ ono.

<sup>4</sup> Chipfu ribuwaru angụ;  
ophu ọogba-nweedula iphe,  
o pfuru.

Ọ sru: “Ii-buru onye uke  
Chileke jasụ lę  
tuutuutuu lę mịimiimii;  
bụ iya bụ gę  
Melikizedeku bụ.”

<sup>5</sup> Nnajịuphu nọ l'ekutara  
gube Chipfu.

Ndu eze bę oo-gwe  
pyakapyaka mboku,  
eħu e-ghu iya eghu.

<sup>6</sup> Oo-kpe ọhamoha ikpe;  
woru ndu nwụhuru  
anwụhu  
kukobe l'ikpo l'ikpo;  
bya atuko ndu eze  
mgboko l'ophu  
gwee arakabya.

<sup>7</sup> Oo lę nggele, nọ l'agụga  
gbororo bę  
ọo-nguta mini.

Ọ ya bụ l'o mee ya  
g'o ngakerehu.

## 111

<sup>1</sup> G'ajaja buru kę Chipfu.  
Mu e-gude obu mu g'ọ ha  
kele Chipfu ekele.  
Mu e-kele iya l'eka ndu obu  
phę gürü iphóró  
nọ l'idzù;

kele iya l'eka ẹphe  
nọ ndzukọ.

<sup>2</sup> Iphemiphe, Chipfu eme  
parụ eka.

Iphe, bükpoo ndu ọ dù ree  
ejeje arị iya ọriri.

<sup>3</sup> Iphe, Chipfu emeje dù  
ùbvù bya adụ akpabiri;  
teme apfubekoto iya nodu  
anoje jasụ l'ojejoje.

<sup>4</sup> O mewaru g'a nyata iphe,  
dù biribiri,  
oomeje.

Chipfu eme eze-iphe-ọma  
teme ọ nodu aphụ  
obu-imemini.

<sup>5</sup> Ndu atṣụ iya ebvu bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
Ọonoduje anụ nri.

Ọgbandzu iya bẹ ọonyataje  
jasụ lẹ tuutuutuu lẹ  
mijimimii.

<sup>6</sup> Ndibe iya bẹ o goshiwaru ike,  
dù l'ozi, ooje;  
kele ọ natarụ ndu ọhozo  
ali phẹ woru nụ phẹ.

<sup>7</sup> Iphe, o gude eka iya eme  
bụ ire-lanụ bya abụru iphe,  
pfürü ọto.

Ekemu, ọ türü pfushiru ike.

<sup>8</sup> Ekemu ono a-kporu g'abara  
jasụ l'ojejoje;  
teme e gude obu,  
guru iphóró;

waa ire-lanụ eme iya.

<sup>9</sup> Ndu nkiya bẹ ọ gbafutaru;  
bya atụa ekemu sụ  
g'ogbandzu iya dükwa  
ojejoje.

Ępha iya dù nsọ bya adụ ebvu.

<sup>10</sup> Atsụ Chipfu ebvu bụ  
egbube ishi mmamiphe.  
Iphe, bükpoo ndu etso ekemu  
iya bẹ iphe edoje ẹnya ree.  
G'e tua ya ępha jasụ l'ojejoje.

## 112

<sup>1</sup> G'ajaja bürü kẹ Chipfu.  
Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ onye  
atsụ Chipfu ebvu;  
onye ekemu iya atsoshije  
ütso ike.

<sup>2</sup> Unwu iya a-bürü ndu ike dù  
l'eliphe.  
Oshilokpa ndu obu phẹ guru  
iphóró bẹ a-bürü ndu  
a goru ọnụ-ọma nụ.

<sup>3</sup> Iphe-enweru yee ęku a-tuko  
ibe iya sweta;  
teme apfubekoto iya je  
a-nodu jasụ l'ojejoje.

<sup>4</sup> Mbükponu l'eka agba ọchii  
bẹ iphóró awaje  
g'enyawu l'ehu onye  
obu iya guru iphóró;  
mbụ onye emeje eze-iphe-ọma;  
bya abürü onye obu-imemini;

bya abükwarupho onye  
pfüberekoto l'iphu Chileke.

<sup>5</sup> O buepho k'oma a-nodu  
etso onye emeje iphe-oma  
bya ejieje ugwo mia ya enya;  
onye iphemiphe,  
oome be oomeje k'ophu  
aa-harü iya enge.

<sup>6</sup> Mbụ le-a; a ta abyakwa  
enwubata iya enwubata.

Onye pfüberekoto be  
aa-noduepho anyataje  
jasü l'ojejoje.

<sup>7</sup> Oo-nodu anụ ejo nzì;  
ole nzì ono ta abyadụ eme  
gę ndzü gúa ya.

Obu e-shihuje iya ike;  
kèle onye ọ dakoberu  
bụ Chipfu.

<sup>8</sup> Obu a-kpọ iya abara;  
ophu ndzü abyadụ agụ iya;  
jasü l'o gude enya iya  
humá l'e mekperu ndu  
ohogu iya.

<sup>9</sup> Oosaje obu iya asasa nụ ndu  
adudu g'ọ dù phę iphe.

Apfübekoto nkiya a-n{o} jasü  
l'ojejoje.

Aa-tuli iya eka eli gude  
kwabę iya ùbvù.

<sup>10</sup> Onye ejo-iphe -humá iya;  
ehu awata iya eghu eghu.  
L'o gude ehu-eghu taa

kpoókpookpo jasụ l'ọ  
joo ẹhu wụfu.  
Iphe, agụ onye ejio-iphe ono  
ta abyakwa erwu  
iya eka.

## 113

- <sup>1</sup> G'ajaja bụru kẹ Chipfu.  
Unubę ndu ejeru Chipfu ozi;  
unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.
- <sup>2</sup> G'e tua Chipfu ẹpha shita  
nta-a jasụ l'ojejoje.
- <sup>3</sup> O gbaru g'e shi l'eka ẹnyanwu  
awaje jaa Chipfu ajaja jasụ  
l'eka ọoribaje.
- <sup>4</sup> Chipfu parụ eka;  
o kakota ọhamoha shii.  
O-gbu-nwiiñwii ya  
nø-ngokota imigwe l'ophu.
- <sup>5</sup> ?Bụ onye bẹ aatu eyeru  
Chipfu, bụ Chileke anyi;  
mbụ onye nø l'aba-eze  
iya l'imigwe?
- <sup>6</sup> Onye ewozeje onwiya ali  
g'ọ huma iphe,  
nø l'imigwe waa iphe nø  
l'eliphe.
- <sup>7</sup> Ookulije onye ụkpa  
l'urwuku eka o gworu.  
O nodu ekulije onye adudu  
g'ọ dù iya l'ikpozu eka  
o dabyiru.
- <sup>8</sup> L'ọ bya eworu phẹ dobe;

yẹe ndu-ishi aharu  
ẹnya nhamunha;  
mbụ ndu-ishi ndu alị iya.

<sup>9</sup> Nwanyị, ata atsudu ime bẹ<sup>9</sup>  
oqkwabeje ùbvù l'ibe ji iya;  
mbụ mee ya l'ọ bụru nwanyị,  
eħu dù guu, nwụshiru  
ụnwụ gę gunu.

G'ajaja bụru kę Chipfu.

## 114

<sup>1</sup> Teke ndu Ízurelu shi lę  
Ijiputu futa;  
mbụ teke oshilokpa  
Jiékòpu shi l'eka ndu  
opfu phę eswe uswe lę  
nchị futa;  
<sup>2</sup> bẹ Jiuda byaru bya abụru  
onye dürü Chileke nsọ.

Ndu Ízurelu bya abụru ndu o  
nwe enwenwe.

<sup>3</sup> Eze Ẹnyimu huma iya bya  
eye ọkpa l'oso;  
teme ẹnyimu Jiódanu  
dakobe lashịa azụ.

<sup>4</sup> Oke úbvú nodu apfugba kę  
shooshoo g'ebili.

Úbvú nodu apfụ kę  
karagidingu karagidingu  
gę nwatürü.

<sup>5</sup> Sụ-a; gube Eze Ẹnyimu;  
?ị gbaru gunu?  
Gube Jiódanu;

- ?bụ ole bụ k'ala azụ?  
<sup>6</sup> Unubẹ oke úbvú;  
 ?bụ gụnu bẹ unu gude  
 apfụgba kẹ shooshoo g'ebili?  
 Unubẹ úbvú;  
 ?bụhunu ole bẹ unu gude  
 apfụ kẹ karagidingu  
 karagidingu gẹ nwatụru?  
<sup>7</sup> Eliphe l'ophu nmakwaa jjijijii  
 l'iphu Nnajịuphu;  
 mbụ l'iphu Chileke  
 kẹ Jiékopu.  
<sup>8</sup> Onye gbazeru mkpuma;  
 ọ bụru okpuru;  
 bya eworu alị,  
 dù epfu epfu mee;  
 ọ bụru ishi nggele.

## 115

- <sup>1</sup> O tọ bükwa anyi bẹ  
 aa-kwabẹ ùbvù jiko  
 Chipfu;  
 ọ tọ bükwa anyi.  
 O kwa ẹpha ngu kpoloko bẹ  
 gbaru g'a kwabẹ iya ùbvù.  
 Noo kẹle i yenükaru anyi obu;  
 teme i nodu apfụshije ike  
 l'iphe, i pfuru.  
<sup>2</sup> ?Denu g'o gude ndu ọhozo  
 nodu asuje anyi:  
 “?Denu Chileke unu?”  
<sup>3</sup> Chileke anyi nọnụ l'imigwe.  
 Ọ bụru iphe, dù iya ree

bẹ oomeje.

- <sup>4</sup> Obenu l'agwa phẹ bụ  
mkpola-ododo yẹe  
mkpola-ochaa; bụ iphe,  
nemadzụ gude ẹka mee.
- <sup>5</sup> Ephe nweru ọnụ;  
ophu ẹphe epfudu opfu.  
Ephe nweru ẹnyá;  
ophu ẹphe aphudu  
iya uzo.
- <sup>6</sup> Ephe nweru nchị;  
ophu ẹphe anụdu  
iya iphe.  
Ephe nweru imi;  
ophu ẹphe egudedu iya  
akpọ ishishi iphe.
- <sup>7</sup> Ephe nweru ẹka;  
ophu ẹphe egudedu iya  
ewota iphe.  
Ephe nweru ọkpa;  
ophu ẹphe ejedu ije;  
teme ophu ẹphe egudedu  
ekpiri phẹ epfufuta opfu.
- <sup>8</sup> Ndu agwọ phẹ nụ;  
mékpoo ndu dakoberu  
phẹ nụ a-dụ g'agwa ono dụ.
- <sup>9</sup> Sụ-a; unubẹ ndibe Ízurèlu;  
unu dakobe Chipfu;  
kélé ọ ya eyejeru unu  
ẹka bya abụru iya  
egbobotaje unu.
- <sup>10</sup> Unubẹ ndibe Eronu;  
unu dakobe Chipfu;

kélé ọọ ya eyejeru unu ẹka  
bya abúru iya egbobutaje  
unu.

11 Unubé ndu atṣù Chipfu ebvu;  
unu dakobe Chipfu;  
kélé ọọ ya eyejeru unu  
ẹka bya abúru iya  
egbobutaje unu.

12 Chipfu anyatajé anyi;  
ọo-góru ọnú-oma nü anyi.  
Ọo-góru ọnú-oma nü ndibe  
Ízurélu;  
bya agóru ọnú-oma nü  
ndibe Eronu.

13 Ọo-góru ọnú-oma nü ndu atṣù  
yébe Chipfu ebvu;  
ndu upfu mè ndu nta.

14 Gé Chipfu mekwaa g'unu  
jaa àjájá ka l'ọtu;  
unubédua l'onwunu  
mékpoò ụnwegirima  
ibe unu.

15 Gé Chipfu gókwaru ọnú-oma  
nü unu;  
mbụ onye ono, bụ iya  
meru igwe bya emee  
eliphe l'ophu ono.

16 Imigwe l'ophu bükota  
ké Chipfu;  
obenu l'eliphe bẹ o  
wowaru nü ndiphe.

17 O tọ bükwa ndu nwụhuru  
anwụhu ajajé Chipfu

ajaja;

mbụ ndu lawarụ ali  
o-larụ-nodu-ngguingguji.

<sup>18</sup> O kwa anyịbedua a-nodu etu  
Chipfu ẹpha.

Anyi a-nodu etu iya ẹpha nta-a;  
etu iya ya jasụ l'ojejoje.

G'ajaja bürü kẹ Chipfu.

## 116

<sup>1</sup> Mu yeru Chipfu obu;  
kèle o nümawaru olu mu.  
O nümaru mkpu, mu chikuru  
iya sụ g'o meeru mu  
eze-iphe-ọma.

<sup>2</sup> Eshinu o ngaberi mu nchi  
bẹ mu a-nodu jeephoe  
araku iya jasụ gẹ mu  
a-nó-beru.

<sup>3</sup> Anwụhu shiwaah chie mu  
egbirigba l'olu.

Ekpa oyi ali-maa nodu anwụ  
mu kẹ kpalaah.

Iphe-ehuka;  
waa aphụ shiephoe  
nó-phee mu mgburugburu.

<sup>4</sup> Tobiudu iya bụ;  
mu bya araku Chipfu  
sụ iya:

“Gube Chipfu; dzonaa mu!”

<sup>5</sup> Chipfu bükwa onye emeje  
eze-iphe-ọma; bya aburu  
onye pfüberekoto;

mbụ lẹ Chileke anyi bükwa  
onye aphuje obu-imemini.

<sup>6</sup> Ndu amazidu iphe bẹ bükwa  
Chipfu anoduje eleta  
phẹ enya.

Teke mu shi nöodu l'oke mkpa  
bü iya dzoru mu.

<sup>7</sup> Obu mu; jiko kabékwa  
dzutabaa ike ọzo;  
kèle Chipfu nwübenukaru  
ngu enya.

<sup>8</sup> Oo gube Chipfu nafütaru ndzụ  
mu gẹ mu ta anwụhu.

Teme ọ buru ngu hucharụ  
mu enya-mini;  
bya egbobuta mu gẹ mu te  
vukota iphe daa iko;  
<sup>9</sup> k'ophu mu a-nöodu ejephe  
g'o dù mu l'iphu Chipfu  
l'alị ndu dzụ ndzụ.

<sup>10</sup> Mu woru onwomu ye  
Chileke l'eka.

Ono mee mu; mu sụ:  
“Iphe-ehuka kpaakwaru  
mu ẹhu shii.”

<sup>11</sup> Teme mu pfubulihukwapho  
sụ:

“Ndiphe l'ophu bükotakwa  
ndu ntuphu-ire.”

<sup>12</sup> ?Denukpoo gẹ mu e-shi pfua  
Chipfu ugwo iphe-oma,  
o mekötaru mu g'o ha?

<sup>13</sup> Mu a-pali okoro goshiru l'i bụ

ọ-dzọ-nwa gude  
kutse Chipfu.

<sup>14</sup> Iphe, mu rifuru angụ  
emeru Chipfu bẹ mu  
e-meru iya l'iphu ndu  
 bụ nkiya.

<sup>15</sup> Anwụḥu ndu dụru Chipfu  
nsọ; bẹ ọ guberu iphe.

<sup>16</sup> Gube Chipfu; mu bükwa  
onye-ozi ngu ọkpobe abụbu.  
Mu bükwa onye-ozi ngu;  
bya abụru nwa, nwanyị ono,  
ejeru ngu ozi ono nwụru.

I mewaru gẹ mu nweru  
onwomu lẹ mkporo ono,  
e shi tịa mu ono.

<sup>17</sup> Mu e-gwerụ ngu  
ngwěja-ekele;  
teme mu abyakwapho  
araku ẹpha gube Chipfu.

<sup>18</sup> Iphe, mu rifuru angụ  
emeru Chipfu bẹ mu  
e-mekotaru iya l'iphu iphe,  
 bụ ndu nkiya.

<sup>19</sup> O bürü eka mu a-nodu  
mee ya bụ l'okpoku  
eze-ulọ Chipfu l'echilabọ  
unubẹ ndu Jierúsalemu.

G'ajaja bürü kẹ Chipfu.

## 117

<sup>1</sup> Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja unubẹ  
ọhamoha.

Unu tua ya epha unubę  
 ndiphe l'ophu;  
<sup>2</sup> kele o yeru anyi obu  
 yegharu iya ęka;  
 teme Chipfu nođu  
 apfushije ike l'iphe,  
 o pfuru jasü lę tuutuutuu  
 lę mijimiimii.  
 G'ajaja buru kę Chipfu.

## 118

- <sup>1</sup> Unu kele Chipfu ekele l'o  
 bę onye oma;  
 kele n-yemobu iya anoje  
 jasü l'ojejoje.
- <sup>2</sup> Gę ndu Ízuręlu tuko su:  
 "N-yemobu iya anoje jasü  
 l'ojejoje."
- <sup>3</sup> Gę ndibe Erönü tükokwapho  
 su:  
 "N-yemobu iya anoje  
 jasü l'ojejoje."
- <sup>4</sup> Gę ndu atsü Chipfu ebvu  
 sükwapho:  
 "N-yemobu iya anoje jasü  
 l'ojejoje."
- <sup>5</sup> Teke mu eje iphe-ęhuka bę mu  
 rakuru Chipfu.  
 O zaa mu ęnu bya emee mu;  
 mu nweru onwomu.
- <sup>6</sup> Chipfu no-kubewa mu;  
 ęphu ndzü agüdu mu.  
 ?Bükwanu gunu bę nemadzü

- mmanụ súru mu emebata?
- <sup>7</sup> Chipfu nọ-kube mu;  
 ọo yébedua bù onye  
 n-yemeka mu.
- Mu e-mechaa gude ἑnya mu  
 húma l'e mekperu ndu  
 mu dù ashị.
- <sup>8</sup> Anọdu l'ime Chipfu ezeru  
 ndzụ kakwa ree eme  
 l'adakobe nemadzụ.
- <sup>9</sup> Anọdu l'ime Chipfu ezeru  
 ndzụ kakwa ree eme  
 l'adakobe ndu-ishị.
- <sup>10</sup> Iphe, bù ọhamoha kepheru  
 mu mgburugburu etso  
 mu ọgu;  
 ọle mu gude ẹpha Chipfu  
 Iwụ-kpekọta phẹ  
 g'ẹphe ha.
- <sup>11</sup> Ẹphe nọ mu ibe k'ẹbo ẹbo;  
 ọle mu gude ẹpha Chipfu  
 Iwụ-kpekọta phẹ  
 g'ẹphe ha.
- <sup>12</sup> Ẹphe ripyabèru mu g'enwu;  
 ọle ẹphe meeķwarupho  
 kpuru-kpuru-kpuru  
 l'alị nwụshihukota  
 g'ekperema okponku,  
 ọku tsupyashịru.
- Ọ bùru ẹpha Chipfu bẹ mu  
 gude Iwụ-kpekọta phẹ  
 g'ẹphe ha.
- <sup>13</sup> E nwuru mu daphuu nwuphu

azụ; mu bya ada iko;  
obenu lẹ Chipfu yeru mu eka.

<sup>14</sup> Qo Chipfu bụ ike mu;  
bya abụru onye mu  
agụ-ku l'ebvu.

Qo ya bụ onye adzoje mu nụ.

<sup>15</sup> Olu ęhu-ụtso yee agbọ ọgboo  
bẹ ada wọowoowoo  
l'eka ndu pfuberekoto  
nọ.

Ęphe tuko epfu sụ: "Chipfu  
gudeakwa ękutara iya  
mee iphe parụ eka.

<sup>16</sup> Q kwa ękutara Chipfu bẹ ọ  
paliru imeli.

O gude ękutara iya ono mee  
iphe, parụ eka."

<sup>17</sup> Mu ta anwụhudu;  
mu a-dzuru ndzụ pfukashịa  
iphe,  
Chipfu meru mu g'a  
numa-dzuru.

<sup>18</sup> Chipfu hụwaru mu ahụhụ  
hụshia mu ike;  
ole o to kwedu g'ọnwu  
gbua mu.

<sup>19</sup> Kpöhanaaru mu ọguzo  
apfubekoto;  
gę mu shi iya bahụ je etua  
Chipfu ępha.

<sup>20</sup> Qwa-a bụ ọguzo kę Chipfu.  
Q bụ eka ndu pfuberekoto  
eshije abahụ.

- 21** Mu e-kele ngu ekele l'i  
zarụ mu ẹnu.  
Nta-a bẹ i bụwaa onye adzoje  
mu nụ.
- 22** Mkpuma, ndu akpụ  
ulo jikaru; mechaaru  
bya abụru mkpuma,  
gude ulo.
- 23** Ono bürü iphe, Chipfu meru.  
Ọ du anyi biribiri l'ẹnya.
- 24** Ntanụ-a bụ mbọku,  
Chipfu meru.  
G'ehu tsọọ anyi ụtso;  
anyi etekwaphọ ẹswa  
ntanụ ono!
- 25** Jiko Chipfu; dzotanu anyi!  
Mekwaa g'iphemiphe,  
anyi eme bükotaru anyi  
ụpete; gube Chipfu!
- 26** Ọnu-oma bẹ a goru nụ onye  
ono,  
bụ Chipfu ziru iya g'o  
bya ono.  
Anyi gbẹ l'ulo Chipfu agorū  
ngu ọnu-oma.
- 27** Ọ kwa Chipfu bụ Chileke.  
O meakwaru g'iphóró,  
shi iya l'eka nwuaru anyi.  
Unu tụa anụ, unu gude abya  
egweru Chipfu ngweja eri;  
kpüta bya lẹ mgboru mpu,  
a nmabérū  
l'oru-ngweja iya.
- 28** Ọo ngu bụ Chileke mu;

o bụru ngu bẹ mu  
a-nodu ekele ekele.  
Ọo ngu bụ Chileke mu;  
ọo ya bụ l'ọo ngu bẹ  
mu a-nodu ekutse.  
<sup>29</sup> Jiko unu kele Chipfu ekele  
l'ọ bụ onye oma.  
Teme n-yemobu iya nodu  
anoje jasụ l'ojejoje.

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- <sup>1</sup> Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ ndu te  
emejedu iphe, aa-ta  
phẹ ụta;  
ndu etsoephō ekemu,  
Chipfu tịru.
- <sup>2</sup> Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ ndu etso  
iphe, o tịru l'ekemu;  
bya egude obu phẹ g'ọ ha  
acho iya achọshi  
iya ike.
- <sup>3</sup> Ndu adukpodaa iphe,  
apfuduru-oto,  
ẹphe emeje;  
buepho uzo, o toru bẹ  
ẹphe eshije.
- <sup>4</sup> I kawaru anyi iphe,  
i sịru g'e meje  
merwua l'ishi.
- <sup>5</sup> O dù mu g'a sụ l'umere  
mu nguru anguru;  
gẹ mu tsoje iphe ono,  
i toru ọkpa iya ono;

**6** k'ophu ọ tọ dudu iphe,  
iphere iya bya eme mu;  
noo kele mu dabèru  
enya l'iphemiphe,  
i sùru g'e meje.

**7** Mu e-gude obu, guru iphóró  
jaa ngu ajaja;  
eshi ọphu mu anwụ ikpe  
ngu ono, pfuru ọto  
ono.

**8** Mu e-tso iphe, i tòru ọkpa iya  
sù g'e tsoje.

Jiko ba jíkakwa mu  
phuruphuru  
gberegedege.

**9** ?Dènukpoo gẹ nwokoróbya  
e-me dobe ụzo iya g'o  
dụebe ree?

G'oo-me iya bụ g'o meje iphe,  
e deru l'opfu ngu.

**10** Mu gude obu mu g'o ha acho  
ngu.

B'ekwekwa gẹ mu phua ụzo  
l'etso iphe, i sùru g'e  
meje.

**11** Opfu ngu bẹ mu domiwaru  
l'ime obu mu.

Ọo ya bụ g'o tọ dükwanu  
teke mu e-me ngu  
iphe-eji.

**12** G'ajaja bürü nkengu gübè  
Chipfu.

Jiko zināa mu gẹ mu e-me

tsoje iphe, i tɔru ɔkpa  
iya su g'e tsoje.

13 Qo ogbogboromonu mu-a  
bɛ mu gudewaa gʊshikota  
iphe, bükotakpoo ikpe,  
i kperu l'ɔnu ngu.

14 Ehu anodu je atsɔ mu uteso mɛ  
mu nɔdu eme iphe,  
i turu l'ekemu;  
egube ono, ehu atsɔje onye  
kparu ɛku kpashia ya  
ike ono.

15 Mu anodu je ngguingguji arı  
iphe, i karu g'e meje ariri.  
Mu adabékwa pho enya l'uzo,  
i tɔru g'e shije.

16 Iphe, i tɔru ɔkpa su g'e tsoje  
aduje mu ree ememe;  
ophu mu abyadu  
agbakutaru opfu ngu  
ono azu.

17 Menaaru mübe onye-ozi ngu  
iphe, du ree;  
k'ophu mu e-shi nno nɔdu  
ndzü meje opfu ngu.

18 Menaa ge mu saa enya;  
humá iphe, du biribiri,  
dugbaa l'ekemu ngu.

19 Mu bükwa onye lwaru  
alwalwa l'eliphe-a.  
Jiko ba adukwa iphemiphe,  
i suru g'e meje ophu  
ii-domiru mu edomi.

- 20 Obu awahụwa mu awahụ;  
   eka mu acho ikpe ngu  
   achoshi iya ike  
   tekenteke.
- 21 Ndu etu onwophẹ ẹpha;  
   bya aburu ndu a tịru  
   ọnụ bẹ iibajeru mba;  
   mbụ ndu ono, ahajẹ iphe,  
   ị sịru g'e meje eme iphe  
   ozo ono.
- 22 Mena a g'e te kweru mu  
   une; ọphu a nma mu  
   phulaphula;  
   kélé iphe, ị tịru l'ekemu bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
   mu emekọtaephō.
- 23 A makwarụ-a lẹ ndu-ishi  
   anókobeje achịru mu  
   ejo idzu; obenu l'iphe,  
   mube onye-ozi ngu  
   anoduje arị bụ gẹ mu  
   e-me tsoje iphe,  
   ị tịru ọkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje.
- 24 Oo eme iphe, ị tịru  
   l'ekemu bụ iphe,  
   aduje mu ree.  
   Ọ bụru iya anoduje akpo-ziru  
   mu ụzo iphe, mu e-me.
- 25 E wozekpōeru mu pho woru  
   mu dẹe adẹe l'urwuku.  
   Mephunu ndzụ mu azụ g'o  
     bụru k'òphúú, bụ iya bụ iphe  
     ono, opfu nkengu pfuru ono.
- 26 Mu doru ngu g'ụzo mu gbaru;

- ị ngaberu mu nchi.  
 Zinaa mu iphe, ị tɔru ɔkpa  
 iya sụ g'e tsoje.
- <sup>27</sup> Menaan g'iphe, ị karu  
 g'e meje doo mu ẹnya.  
 Ọo ya bụ gẹ mu ato  
 nwèhu rịa k'iphe, dù biribiri,  
 iimeshi.
- <sup>28</sup> Mu gụwaru aphụ jasụ ike  
 bvuebe mu ree.  
 Jiko menaa g'ike dù mu,  
 bụ iya bụ iphe,  
 opfu ngu pfuru.
- <sup>29</sup> Phufu mu gẹ mu ta anodu  
 l'uzo erekede.  
 Menaaru mu eze-iphe-oma;  
 zia mu ekemu ngu.
- <sup>30</sup> Mu hatawaru eme ire-lanụ.  
 Ọ bụru ikpe ngu g'o ha bẹ  
 mu wowaru dobe onwomu  
 l'uzo iphu.
- <sup>31</sup> Iphe, mu gudeshi ike ememe  
 bụ iphe,  
 gube Chipfu türü l'ekemu.  
 B'ekwekwá g'e mee mu  
 iphe-iphare.
- <sup>32</sup> Uzo, mu anoduje agba etso  
 bụ eme iphe, ị sụru g'e meje;  
 kélé i mewaru g'ehu-utso ji  
 mu obu ejiji.
- <sup>33</sup> Jiko Chipfu; zinaa mu gẹ  
 mu e-shije etso iphe,  
 ị tɔru ɔkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje.

Ọo ya bụ gẹ mu emekwanaa  
ya jasụ l'ikpazụ iya.

34 Menaa g'iphe doje mu ẹnya;  
k'ophu mu a-duje ike dobe  
ekemu ngu ono;  
bya egude obu mu g'o ha  
emekotaje iya ememe.

35 Goshi mu ụzo, mu e-shije  
eme iphe, i suru g'e meje;  
kèle ọ bue ya pho bụ iphe,  
atsoje mu ụtso ememe.

36 Gọ-zinaa obu mu g'o gha  
iphu l'eme iphe, i türü  
l'ekemu.

G'o to gha iphu l'eri ndu ọzo  
urwu.

37 Menaa gẹ mu te eworu ẹnya  
dabẹ l'iphe-mmanụ.

Mephunu ndzụ mu azụ g'o  
bụru k'ophúú, bụ iya bụ iphe,  
opfu ngu pfuru.

38 Menaaru mu iphe,  
i kweru ukwe l'ii-meru mube  
onye-ozu ngu;  
k'ophu aa-wata ngu atsụ ebvu.

39 Wofunuru mu iphe-iphere ono,  
mu atsụ ebvu ono;  
kèle ekemu ngu dù ree.

40 Iphe, i karu g'e meje  
agushikpoo mu  
ike ememe.

Jiko gudenụ kèle i bụ onye  
pfüberekoto dobe

mu ndzụ.

**41** Goshinu mu n-yemobu ngu  
ono jiko Chipfu.

Dzotanu mu; noo kèle ọo iphe,  
i kweru ukwe l'ii-meru mu.

**42** Ọo ya bụ gẹ mu amaru iphe,  
mu a-sarụ yeru ndu ekweru  
mu une;  
kèle mu kpóru obu ye  
l'opfu ngu.

**43** Ta anafukwa mu ire-lanụ,  
dụ mu l'ọnụ;  
kèle mu chíru ụpfu kwẹe  
l'ikpe, i kperu.

**44** Ọo iphe, ekemu ngu pfuru bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
mu e-meje  
jasụ lẹ tuutuutuu lẹ  
mijimiimii.

**45** Mu e-nwekpóru onwomu  
tsoru aghaphe;  
kèle mu tükochawaru iphe,  
i karụ g'e meje maęberu.

**46** Mu a-pfuru l'iphu ndu eze  
pfua k'iphe, i tṣuru l'ekemu.

Ophu iphere abyadụ adụ mu.

**47** Iphe, aduje mu ree bụ  
eme iphe, i sụru g'e meje;  
noo kèle mu yeru iya obu.

**48** Mu amachije eka mu labo ge  
mu nata iphe, i sụru g'e meje,  
 bụ iya bụ iphe ono,  
mu yeru obu ono;  
teme mu nodu anoduje

ngguingguji arı k'iphe ono,  
i tɔru ɔkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje  
ono.

- 49 Nyatakwa opfu, i pfuru yeru  
mube onye-ozi ngu;  
noo kèle i mewaru;  
mu leahaa ẹnya iphe.
- 50 Iphe, aduje mu obu mè mu  
nòdu eje iphe-èhuka bù lè-a:  
L'ukwe-iphe, i kweru mu  
emeje gẹ ndzụ mu bùru  
k'òphúú.
- 51 Ndu eku onwophe bẹ achije  
mu ọchi kpokirihuchaa  
akpokirihu;  
ole o too mejedu mu gẹ mu  
haa eme iphe,  
ekemu ngu pfuru.
- 52 Gube Chipfu; oobujeru;  
mu -nyata ikpe ngu ono,  
shiro teke ndiche ono  
l'ọ dua mu obu.
- 53 Ehu-eghu azuje mu pfurii;  
ọ bùru ndu ẹjo-iphe  
akpajé iya;  
mbụ ndu ono,  
jíkaru edobe ekemu  
ngu ono.
- 54 Iphe, i tɔru ɔkpa iya sụ g'e  
tsoje abujeru ishi ébvú mu  
l'iphe, bùkpoo ụlo,  
mu zékporu l'uzo ije mu-a.
- 55 L'enyashi bẹ mu anyatajẹ

ẹpha gube Chipfu;  
 l'o mee mu gẹ mu dobe  
 ekemu ngu.

56 Iphe, mu aghajẹ iphu ememe  
 teke bükpo teke mu nọ  
 bụ eme iphe,  
 i karụ g'e meje.

57 Oo ngu bụ okiphe nkemu  
 gube Chipfu.

Mu kwewaru ngu ukwe lẹ  
 mu a-nodu eme opfu ngu.

58 Mu gudewaa obu mu g'ọ ha  
 ele ngu ẹnya l'eka.

Menaarụ mu eze-iphe-ọma,  
 bụ iphe,  
 i kweru mu ukwe iya.

59 Mu lewaru ụzo mu ẹnya  
 uswe lee ya ogologo;  
 bya eshiwaa iya futa bya  
 awata eme iphe,  
 i tịrụ l'ekemu.

60 Mu e-me egwegwa;  
 mu ta akpodu ụpfu  
 eme iphe, i sụru g'e meje.

61 O -betachakpọ ndu  
 ẹjo-iphe kee mu ẹgbu;  
 mu ta abyadụ azoha  
 ekemu ngu.

62 Qobujeru; a -nonyaa l'echi  
 abalị;  
 mu agbalihu kele ngu  
 ekele k'ikpe ngu ono,  
 pfuru ọto ono.

- 63 Iphe, bükpoo ndu atsụ ngu  
 ebvu bẹ mu l'ephe  
 eshikota Ḳonyà;  
 mbụ ndu ono, tükoru iphe,  
 i karu g'e meje g'o ha  
 emekota ono.
- 64 Eliphe l'ophu bẹ n-yemobu  
 gube Chipfu jiru kę  
 pyimü pyimü.  
 Jiko zinaa mu iphe ono,  
 i tɔru ɔkpa iya sụ g'e  
 tsoje ono.
- 65 Jiko Chipfu; menaarụ mubé  
 onye-ozi ngu iphe-oma;  
 eshinu ọ bụ iphe,  
 i kweru ukwe iya.
- 66 Zinaa mu mmamiphe;  
 yee ekpe ikpe,  
 dù nhamunha;  
 kélé mu kwekwaru eme  
 iphe, i suru g'e meje.
- 67 A byaru awata mu anụ  
 chiipfuu;  
 mu shiswehawarọ ụzo;  
 obenu lę nta-a bẹ mu  
 kwewaru eme opfu  
 ngu.
- 68 I bụ onye oma; teme i nodu  
 emejekwapho iphe,  
 dù ree.  
 Zinaa mu etso iphe,  
 i tɔru ɔkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje.
- 69 A makwarụ-a lę ndu eku

onwophé anóduje  
 adzushi úka ekpu mu;  
 obenu lè mu gudeépho obu  
 mu g'ò ha emekóta  
 iphe, i karú g'e meje.

<sup>70</sup> Ndu ono bẹ imemini  
 nemadzú ta adujedu.

Obenu lè mbédúa bù eme  
 iphe, ekemu ngu  
 pfuru aduje mu ree.

<sup>71</sup> Chíipfuu ono, a nñuru mu ono  
 dükwa-a ree;  
 k'óphu mu a-nwüta etso iphe,  
 i tóru ɔkpa iya.

<sup>72</sup> Ekemu, shi ngu l'ónu bẹ mu  
 kakwa agùbe iphe eme  
 l'ñunubuku mkpolá-ododo  
 waa mkpolá-óchaa.

<sup>73</sup> Qo éka ngu bẹ i gude kpùa  
 mu; bya emee mu;  
 mu nguru anguru.

Jiko menaa gẹ mu maru iphe  
 k'óphu mu a-nwü eme  
 iphe, i sùru g'e meje.

<sup>74</sup> Gẹ ndu atsù ngu ebvu  
 tekwaa ẽswa m'èphe  
 húma mu;  
 noo kélé iphe,  
 mu daru ngabéru bù  
 opfu nkengu.

<sup>75</sup> Gube Chipfu; mu makwarú-a  
 l'ikpe ngu pfuru ɔto;  
 teme l'i pfù-shiru ike l'iphe,

- i pfuru nụa mu chijipfuu.
- 76 Gẹ n-yemobu ngu bụnuru  
iphe, a-noduje adụ mube  
onye-ozi ngu obu;  
eshi ọphu ọ bụ iphe,  
i kweru mu ukwe iya.
- 77 Phunaaru mu obu-imemini  
k'ophu mu a-nodu ndzụ;  
kélé iphe,  
aduje mu ree bụ ekemu  
nkengu.
- 78 G'e menuru iphere kpube  
ndu eku onwophe;  
kélé ẹphe mesweru mu;  
l'ebé ọ dù iphe,  
mu meru phe.
- Obenu lè mbedua  
anodujeephə arị iphe,  
i karụ g'e meje l'oriri.
- 79 Gẹ ndu atsụ ngu ebvu  
byapfutajékwa mu;  
mbụ ndu iphe,  
i tịru l'ekemu doru ẹnya.
- 80 Gẹ mu tukokwa iphe,  
i tịru ọkpà iya sụ g'e  
tsoje tsokota; g'o tọ dükwa  
eka ụta a-dụ mu l'ehu;  
ophu e shi nno mee  
mu iphe-iphare.
- 81 Meji atofuakwa mu atofu eka  
oogu mu g'a dzota mu;  
obenu l'eka obu mu dù  
bụ l'opfụ ngu.

82 Enya anyiwa mu ेrwa;  
 eka mu ele ẹnya teke  
 ii-me iphe,  
 i kweru ukwe iya.

Mu asuje: “?Bükpohunaa teke  
 ole bę ji-dụ mu obu?”

83 A makwarụ-a lę mu dù g'akpo,  
 a mịberu l'enwuru-ọku;  
 mbụ akpo, eeyeje mee.

Obenu lę mu ta azohajedu iphe,  
 i tọru ọkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje.

84 ?Bu teke ole bę mube  
 onye-ozi ngu a-taberu  
 nshi?

Koɔru mu teke ii-bebe hụa  
 ndu akpa mu ẹhu ahùhù.

85 Ndu eku onwophe ebvujeru  
 mu nsụ gę mu daba.

Ono bụru iphe, i tọru ekemu  
 sụ g'e te emejeshi.

86 Iphemiphe, i sụru g'e meje bę  
 pfukotaru nhamunha.

Yenuru mu eka;  
 kèle ndiphe akpa mu ẹhu  
 l'ębe adụ iphe,  
 mu meru phe.

87 O bụfua nwanshị;  
 m'ephe ehufu mu gę mu  
 ta noduhe l'eliphe-a;  
 obenu lę mu ta  
 agwobeduru eme iphe,  
 i karu g'e meje.

88 Eshinu i yeru mu obu;

kwachinaa ndzụ mu g'ọ tọ  
dụ iphe, e-me iya nụ;  
k'ophu mu e-meje iphe,  
i gude ọnụ ngu tụa l'ekemu  
sụ g'e meje.

89 Opfu gube Chipfu a-nọ jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

O keru kẹ jingujingu  
l'akpaminigwe.

90 Iipfushije ike l'iphe, i pfuru;  
e -shi l'ogbo sweru ogbo.

I meru eliphe dobe;  
o kpóru g'abara.

91 Ikpe, i kperu g'ọ hakpoo  
kpóerupho g'abara  
byasụ ntanụ-a;  
kẹle iphemiphe ejeru  
ngu ozi.

92 O tọ bụ l'ekemu ngu shiẹpho  
eshinu bụru iphe,  
aduje mu ree;  
mẹ mu alakwa l'iyi lẹ teke  
ono,  
mu shi eje iphe-ehuka ono.

93 Mbụ lẹ mu ta abyadụ azoha  
eme iphe, i karụ g'e meje;  
kẹle ọ ya bẹ i gude  
mephu ndzụ mu azụ;  
o bụru k'ophúú.

94 Dzonaa mu; kẹle mu bụ nkengu;  
teme mu bya atukowa iphe,  
i karụ g'e meje g'ọ ha  
maęberu.

- 95 Ndu ẹjo-iphe kwageberu  
 akwagebe g'ẹphe  
 mebyishia mu;  
 ọle mu a-tükəoephə iphe,  
 i tütü l'ekemu kwakòbe l'ime  
 obu mu arị iya ọriri.
- 96 Iphe, a sùru l'ọ dügenbe ree  
 bẹ mu ahümajeeephə l'ọ  
 dütü ẹka ọ phoduru;  
 obenu l'iphe,  
 i sùru g'e meje dügenbe ree.
- 97 Ekemu ngu bẹ mu yekwarụ  
 obu yegharụ iya ẹka.  
 Ọ ya bẹ mu anoduje arị l'oriri  
 l'ime obu mu  
 mkpùrumkpuru.
- 98 Eme iphe, i sùru g'e meje  
 mewaru;  
 mu ka ndu ọhogu mu amaru  
 iphe;  
 kélé ọnonoduje swiru mu  
 mkpùrumkpuru.
- 99 Enya kakwa mu erwu ali  
 e -me lẹ ndu ezi mu iphe;  
 kélé mu anoduje arị k'iphe,  
 i tütü l'ekemu l'oriri.
- 100 Mu ka ndu bụ ọgerenya  
 amaru iphe;  
 kélé mu emeje iphe,  
 i karụ g'e meje.
- 101 Okpa mu labo bẹ mu  
 meerupho ọphu  
 ooshiswetajedu ụzo,

- bụ ejo ụzo;  
k'ophu mu e-meje opfu ngu.
- 102 Mu ta ahajekwaru ikpe,  
i kperu;  
kélé ọo gubedua l'onwongu  
ziru mu iphe.
- 103 Egube g'iphe, i pfuru  
atsø-bekwanụ mu ụtso!  
Ọ kakwa mu ụtso;  
e -me lẹ manụ-enwu.
- 104 Urwu, mu eritajé l'eme iphe,  
i karu g'e meje bę  
 bụ nkwanemanya.
- Ọ bürü iya meru g'o gude  
iphe, bükpoo ụzo ụghoshi  
dükota mu ashi.
- 105 Opfu ngu bụ oróku,  
mu egudeje húma eka mu  
a-zobé erekpa;  
bya abürü ìphóró,  
dụ l'uzo mu eshi.
- 106 Mu gudewaa obu mu pfua  
ya hoo haa;  
bya eriru angü ye iya;  
lẹ mu a-nöduepho eme iphe,  
ikpe ngu ono,  
pfuru ọto ono pfuru.
- 107 Mu jenukawaru iphe-ehuka.  
Gube Chipfu;  
mephunu ndzụ mu azụ  
g'o bürü k'ophúú,  
 bụ iya bụ iphe,  
opfu ngu pfuru.

- 108 Jiko Chipfu; natanụ ajaja  
      ọwa-a, mu gude obu mu  
      aja ngu-a.  
Zikwaa mu pho g'ikpe  
      ngu gbaru.
- 109 A makwarụ-a lę mu achijeru  
      ndzụ mu l'eka tekenteke;  
      obenu lę mu ta abyakwa  
      azoha ekemu ngu.
- 110 Ndu ejo-iphe gbabewaru  
      mu ónyà;  
      ole o too medu mu gę mu  
      haa eme iphe, i karụ g'e meje.
- 111 Iphe, i tịru l'ekemu bụ  
      okiphe mu jasụ lę  
      tuutuutuu lę mịjimiimii.  
O bürü iya emeje g'ehu  
      tsọ mu ụtso l'ime obu mu.
- 112 Eka mu phoberu bụ l'etso  
      iphe, i tịru ọkpa iya sụ  
      g'e tsoje  
      jasükpoepho gę mu  
      a-nó-beru.
- 113 Ndu anoduje abo obu ẹbo  
      bę dụ mu ashị;  
      obenu l'ekemu nkengu bę  
      mu yekwanụru obu.
- 114 Oo ngu bụ eka mu edomije  
      onwomu;  
      bya aburu onye mu nō  
      l'eka iya ezeru ndzụ.  
Eka mu chịru ụpfu yee  
       bụ l'opfu ngu.

- 115 Unu pakwarụ mu haa;  
 unubę ndu eme ejo-iphe;  
 k'ophu mu a-nodu emeje  
 iphe,  
 Chileke mu suru g'e meje.
- 116 Bunuru agbarike mu;  
 l'o bụ iphe, i kweru ukwe iya;  
 gę mu anodu ndzụ.  
 B'ekwekwa g'iphe ono,  
 mu ele ẹnya iya ono mebyia  
 mu iphu.
- 117 Gudeshinaa mu ike;  
 k'ophu aa-dzota mu.  
 Mu a-nodujeephə akwabę iphe,  
 i tɔru ọkpa sụ g'e tsoje  
 ono ùbvù.
- 118 Ndu harụ etso ọkpa iphe,  
 i tɔru tsoahaa iphe ọzo bę  
 ijikaje ajika ophu;  
 kélé erekede,  
 ẹphe agba bụ kę mmanụ.
- 119 Iphe, bükpo ndu ejo-iphe,  
 nọ l'eliphe bę iikpoje  
 g'e kporu ntụ.  
 Noo g'o gude mu yee obu l'eme  
 iphe, i tịru l'ekemu.
- 120 Ogwèhu mu aphukota jjijijii  
 eka mu atsụ ngu ebvü;  
 bya atsukwapho ikpe  
 ngu ebvü.
- 121 Mu mewaru iphe,  
 pfuru ọto bya abụru iphe,  
 dụ nhamunha.

Jiko ba pakwarụ mu haaru  
ndu eme mu ewere.

<sup>122</sup> Jiko kwenaa onye-ozi  
ngu ukwe l'ii-nodu-a  
eleta iya ẹnya.

Te ekwekwa gę ndu eku  
onwophę mee mu ewere.

<sup>123</sup> Ẹnya anyiwa mu ेrwa eka  
mu ele ẹnya g'i bya  
adzota mu;  
bụ iya bụ iphe,  
gube onye pfuberekoto  
kweru mu ukwe iya.

<sup>124</sup> Menaarụ mube  
onye-ozi ngu iphe, dù ree;  
eshinu i yeru mu obu.

Zinaa mu iphe,  
i tɔru ọkpa iya sụ  
g'e tsoje.

<sup>125</sup> Mbędua bụ onye-ozi ngu;  
jiko menaa g'iphe doje  
mu ẹnya;  
k'ophu iphe,  
i türü l'ekemu e-do  
mu ẹnya.

<sup>126</sup> Gube Chipfu;  
mekwaa ire nta-a;  
kele ekemu,  
i türü bę e tee tsohędu.

<sup>127</sup> Oo l'ole mu yeru iphe,  
i suru g'e meje obu;  
yeghata iya gę mu  
yeru ọkpobe mkpol-a-ododo;

- 128 t̄eme mu kweta l'iphe,  
 i karu g'e meje b̄e  
 pfūchaaru oto;  
 meru g'o gude uto  
 ughoshi dūkota mu ashī.
- 129 Iphe, i turu l'ekemu  
 du biribiri.  
 Noo g'o gude mu nōdu  
 etso iya l'o rwuberu iya.
- 130 Eka opfu ngu bataru  
 b̄e iphóró etsojeru iya;  
 t̄eme o nōdu emeje  
 ḡe ndu amazidu iphe  
 maru iphe.
- 131 Mu saru q̄nu wata atu  
 hehehe;  
 eka egu eme iphe,  
 i suru g'e meje agu mu.
- 132 Ghanaaru mu iphu;  
 jiko meeru mu eze-iphe-oma;  
 g'iimejeru iphe,  
 bukpoo ndu yeru əpha  
 ngu obu.
- 133 Menaa ḡe mu hajé əkpa  
 g'i suru g'a hajé iya.  
 Te kwekwa g'iphe-eji,  
 kapyabé mu enya.
- 134 Gbafuta mu l'eka ndu eme  
 mu ewere;  
 k'ophu mu a-nōdu emeje  
 iphe, i karu g'e meje.
- 135 Menaa g'iphu ngu gbua  
 nw̄iinwii l'ehu m̄ube

- onye-ozi ngu.  
 Zinaa mu iphe, i tɔru ɔkpa  
 iya sụ g'e tsoje.
- 136 Enya-mini aso mu  
 gborogboro l'enya;  
 kèle e tee etsodu  
 ekemu ngu.
- 137 I bụ onye pfuberekoto gube  
 Chipfu;  
 teme ikpe ngu pfuru nhamunha.
- 138 Iphe, i tushiru l'ekemu dobe  
 pfukotaru nhamunha;  
 teme ẹphe bükotaru  
 ire-lanụ.
- 139 Obu, mu yeru ngu rimiwaru  
 mu ishi;  
 kèle ndu ọhogu mu ta  
 agubeduru opfu ngu iphe.
- 140 Iphe, i kweshiru ukwe  
 ememe bẹ a tówaru  
 nwéhu dalekóta adale.  
 Mübe onye-ozi ngu bya eyee  
 phẹ obu ntumatu.
- 141 A maru-a lẹ mu bụ  
 iphe-mmanụ;  
 teme ọphu ọ dudu iphe,  
 a guberu mu;  
 obenu lẹ mu ta zohaduru  
 eme iphe, i karu g'e meje.
- 142 Apfubekoto nkengu  
 a-düyüwaro jeye l'ojejoje;  
 teme ekemu ngu bürü  
 ire-lanụ.

- 143 Ejo iphe-ehuka;  
 waa aphụ sọ-kputeru mu;  
 obenu lę mu yeleru-a iphe,  
 i suru g'e meje obu.
- 144 Iphe, i tñru l'ekemu dobe  
 dù nhamunha jasù  
 lę tuutuutuu lę mìimiimii.  
 Menaa gę mu nweru  
 egomunggo k'ophu mu  
 a-nòdu ndzù.
- 145 Mu gude obu mu g'ọ ha  
 kua ngu oku;  
 zanù mu ẹnu jiko Chipfu;  
 k'ophu mu a-nòdu etso iphe,  
 i tñru ọkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje.
- 146 Oo ngu bę mu kuru oku;  
 dzonaa mu;  
 k'ophu mu a-nòdu eme iphe,  
 i tñru l'ekemu.
- 147 Mu gbeshiru tème nchi  
 bohu wata echı mkpu  
 g'e yeru mu eka;  
 eka ẹnya mu dù bù  
 l'opfu ngu.
- 148 Ẹnya adujee mu pho sasarasa  
 jasù nchi abøhu;  
 k'ophu mu a-to nwèhu rìa  
 oriri l'ukwe-iphe,  
 i kweshiru.
- 149 Numanu olu mu;  
 k'ophu yęe n-yemobu  
 ngu a-dagba.  
 Mephunu ndzù mu azù

- g'ọ bụru k'òphúú;  
jiko Chipfu, bụ iya bụ iphe,  
i kperu l'ikpe.
- 150 Ndu anoduje achịru mu  
ejo idzu nọakwa mu ntse;  
obenu l'ekemu ngu nọ  
phẹ ụzenya.
- 151 Gube Chipfu nọakwapho  
ntse; teme iphe,  
i sịru g'e meje tükoru  
bükotaru ire-lanụ.
- 152 Teke dụhakpowaro enya  
bẹ mu shi l'iphe,  
i tịru l'ekemu  
nwụta lị tịru ọkpa iya  
dobe g'ọ nọ jasụ l'ojejoje.
- 153 Lenaa enya l'iphe-ehuka,  
mu eje; dzọ mu;  
kélé mu ta zohajeduru  
ekemu ngu.
- 154 Hanaaru mu enge;  
gbafuta mu;  
Mephunu ndzụ mu azụ g'ọ  
bụru k'òphúú, bụ iya bụ iphe,  
i kweru ukwe iya.
- 155 Ndzota nọ ndu ejo-iphe  
ụzenya;  
kélé ẹphe te esejedu  
g'ephe e-me maru iphe,  
i tịru ọkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje.
- 156 Aphụ obu-imemini kẹ gube  
Chipfu parụ eka.  
Mephunu ndzụ mu azụ g'ọ

buru k'òphúú, bu iya bu iphe,  
i kperu l'ikpe.

157 Ndu achị mu lẹ njo pakwarụ  
igwerigwe;  
ole iphe ono ta akpoșhiduru  
mu eme iphe, i tñru l'ekemu.

158 Ndu e gudedu ire phę ęka  
bę agbarwuje mu ępho  
mę mu huma phę;  
kélé ęphe te emejedu iphe,  
opfu ngu pfuru.

159 Hümawaro gę mu  
yeberu obu l'eme iphe,  
i karu g'e meje.

Gudenụ kélé i yeru mu obu  
kwachia ndzụ mu  
jiko Chipfu.

160 Opfu ngu l'ophu bükota  
okpobe opfu;  
teme ikpe, pfuru ọto ono,  
iikpeje ono bükotaru iphe,  
a-no jasụ l'ojejoje.

161 Ndu-ishi anoduje akpa  
mu ęhu l'ębe adụ iphe,  
mu meru phę;  
obenu l'iphe, mu aphujeru  
kpaakpaakpaa  
kpoloko bu opfu ngu.

162 Ukwé-iphe, i kweru mu  
emeje g'ęhu tsọo mu ụtso;  
g'onye kwatarụ iphe,  
ha shii l'okwata.

163 Ughoshi dù mu ashị;

teme mu nōdu anōduje  
akpō-yiru iya ukuvu;  
obenu lē mu yekwanūru  
ekemu ngu obu.

<sup>164</sup> Ugbo ẹsaa lē mbóku bē mu  
etuje ngu ẹpha k'ikpe ono,  
iikpeje nhamunha ono.

<sup>165</sup> Ndu yeru ẹnya l'ekemu ngu  
bē ehu dükpo guu  
düşhia ya ike;  
ophu ọ dudu iphe,  
byaru aburu opfu dù phę  
l'okpa.

<sup>166</sup> Mu nō kwabéru gübę Chipfu  
g'i bya adzota mu;  
tēme mu nōdu emeephō  
iphe, i sūru g'e meje.

<sup>167</sup> Mu emeje iphe, i tūru l'ekemu;  
kélé mu yeru iya obu  
shingushingu.

<sup>168</sup> Mu anōduje eme iphe,  
i karu g'e meje bya  
emekwaphō iphe,  
i turu l'ekemu;  
kélé iphemiphe,  
mu eme bē i makotaru.

<sup>169</sup> Gẹ mkpu, mu echí rwunaa  
ngu nchị jiko Chipfu.

Menaa g'iphe doje mu ẹnya,  
bụ iya bụ iphe,  
opfu ngu pfuru.

<sup>170</sup> Jiko g'arwɔrwo, mu arwo  
rwunaa ẹka i nō.

Nafutanu mu, bụ iya bụ iphe,  
i kweru ukwe iya.

<sup>171</sup> G'ogbogboromonu mu  
bunuru etu ngu ẹpha  
eji iya pyimu;  
kèle i ziru mu iphe,  
i tɔru ɔkpa iya sụ g'e tsoje.

<sup>172</sup> Mu e-gude ọnụ mu gụa opfu  
nkengu l'ebvü; kèle iphemiphe,  
i suru g'e meje pfuru  
nhamụnha.

<sup>173</sup> Jiko machinaa eka ngu  
kwagebe g'i yeru mu eka;  
kèle iphe, mu hatarụ bụ  
eme iphe, i karu g'e meje.

<sup>174</sup> Iphe, agụ mu nụ bụ g'i dzota  
mu jiko Chipfu.

Ekemu ngu aduje mu ree ememe.

<sup>175</sup> Hanaa mu gę mu nodu ndzụ  
tuje ngu ẹpha.

Jiko g'ikpe, iikpeje  
gudeshinaa ndzụ mu.

<sup>176</sup> Mu kpaphuhuwaru g'atụru,  
tuphahụru etuphahụ.

Jiko chonaa mube  
onye-ozi ngu;  
kèle mu ta zohajeduru  
iphe, i suru g'e meje.

## 120

*Ebvü, aaguje mę a -nodu  
eje Jierúsalemu*

- <sup>1</sup> Mu rakuru Chipfu teke mu  
eje iphe-ehuka;  
o nüma olu mu.
- <sup>2</sup> Dzotanu mu jiko Chipfu  
l'eka ndu ntuphu-ire;  
mę l'eka ndu erekede.
- <sup>3</sup> Unubę ndu erekede;  
?bü gunu bę unu arı  
l'oo-me unu?  
Mbụ ?bukpoo gunu bę unu  
arı l'oo iphe,  
oo-gude byapfuta unu?
- <sup>4</sup> Oo-zi ndu ojogu;  
ephe egude apfụ,  
tüpyiru zinguzingu bya  
ahua unu ahùhù.  
Ephe emee unu; unu adabyiru  
l'eka ono ata pfupfupfu  
g'icheku oku.
- <sup>5</sup> Nshio mube onye jeru  
ahata ali Meshireku buru;  
mbụ mube onye bu  
l'ulo-ekwa ndu Keda.
- <sup>6</sup> Mu lę ndu nchi-adu-doo  
dụ ashi shiwaas üzeyenya  
butaru;  
<sup>7</sup> obenu lę mbedula,  
bu onye anoduje eme ge  
nchi dù doo-a abujeru;  
mu -nodu epfuru phe  
opfu belebele;  
ephe akpaa vülavula  
g'ephe bya etsoo

mu ọgu.

## 121

*Ebvu, aaguje mẹ a -nodu  
eje Jierúsalemu*

- 1 Mu paliru ẹnya lee l'eli úbvú  
úbvú ono sụ:  
“?Bụ awe bẹ n-yemẹka mu  
eshije?”
- 2 N-yemẹka mu eshije l'ẹka  
Chipfu;  
onye meru igwe mee  
mgboko.
- 3 Onye ono, eche ngu nche  
ono bẹ mgbẹnya ta abyadụ  
ezinwuta ẹnya;  
teme ọphu o kwedu g'ọkpa  
chiswafụ ngu.
- 4 Mbụ lẹ-a; onye ono,  
eche ndu Ízurelu nche ono  
bẹ mgbẹnya ta abyadụ  
ezinwuta ẹnya;  
ọphu ọ bụro k'eje iya  
ekuru ekuru.
- 5 Oo Chipfu eche ngu nche;  
bya abụru iya bụ mkpu,  
a tịru doberu ngu;  
teme ọ bụru iya anoduje ngu  
l'ekutara egbobuta ngu.
- 6 Anwụ, echị l'eswe ta adụdu  
iphe, oo-me ngu;  
ọphu ọ bụro k'ọnwa,

echi l'enyashi.

- <sup>7</sup> Oo Chipfu ephufuje ngu  
l'eka ejio-iphe nökota.  
Oo yębedua anoduje eche  
ndzụ ngu nche.  
<sup>8</sup> Oo Chipfu l'eduje ngu ije  
l'ejeje mę l'alwalwa;  
shita nta-a jasụ l'ojejoje.

## 122

*Ebvu, aaguje mę a -nödu  
eje Jierúsalemu; onye  
deru iya nü bụ Dévidi*

- <sup>1</sup> Ehu tsoru mu ụtso teke ẹphe  
sürü mu:  
“G'anyi je l'eze-ulo Chipfu!”  
<sup>2</sup> Anyi zobeakwaru ọkpa  
l'önü-abata gube Jierúsalemu.  
<sup>3</sup> Jierúsalemu bụ eze mkpükpu,  
a kpuru; o nökobe l'eka lanụ  
ama ntumatu.  
<sup>4</sup> Oo eka ono bę bụ eka  
ọkpa-ipfu anoduje awụ ala;  
mbụ ọkpa-ipfu kę Chipfu;  
awụ eje etu Chipfu ẹpha;  
 bụ iya bụ iphe,  
ị tịru l'ekemu doberu  
ndu Ízurelu.  
<sup>5</sup> Oo l'eka ono bę aba-eze,  
a nọ ekpe ikpe nọ;  
mbụ aba-eze,  
shi l'ulo Dévidi.  
<sup>6</sup> Pfuru nü Chileke gę nchị

dụ doo lẹ Jierúsalemu:  
 “G'iphemiphe, bükwaru ndu  
 yeru ngu obu k'ọma k'ọma.  
<sup>7</sup> Gẹ nchị dükwa ndu igbulọ  
 ngu no-pheru  
 mgburugburu doo.  
 G'ehu-guu bükwaru kẹ ndu  
 bu l'ime ụlo-mgbobuta  
 ngu.”  
<sup>8</sup> Mu gude iswi ẹhu unwune mu;  
 yẹe Ḳonyà mu phẹ asụ:  
 “Gẹ nchị dükwa doo l'ime  
 gube Jierúsalemu!”  
<sup>9</sup> Mu gude iswi ẹhu eze-ụlo  
 Chipfu, bụ Chileke anyi  
 acho g'iphemiphe bükotaru  
 k'ọma k'ọma lẹ  
 Jierúsalemu.

## 123

*Ebvu, aaguje mẹ a -nodu  
 eje Jierúsalemu*

<sup>1</sup> Mu paliru ẹnya mu lee l'eka i nọ;  
 mbụ l'eka i nọ gube onye ono,  
 sugaru l'aba-eze ngu  
 l'imigwe ono.  
<sup>2</sup> Oo egube ono nwoke,  
 bụ ohu anoduje ele nnajịuphu  
 iya ẹnya l'eka-a;  
 bya abụru egube ono nwanyị,  
 bụ ohu anoduje ele nwanyị,  
 nwe iya nụ ẹnya l'eka-a;

bükwapho g'anyibedua  
 a-nodu ele Chipfu,  
 bụ Chileke anyi enya l'eka  
 gbiriri jasụ teke ọo-phuru  
 anyi obu-imemini.

<sup>3</sup> Meeruro anyi eze-iphe-oma  
 jiko Chipfu.

Jiko meeruro anyi eze-iphe-oma;  
 l'ike bvụwaru anyi anuma  
 eka ndu ozo epfu l'o to  
 nwedu iphe, anyi bụ.

<sup>4</sup> Mbụ ike bvụwaru anyi  
 anuma ọchi,  
 ndu eku onwophę achị anyi;  
 waa anuma eka ndu etu  
 onwophę ẹpha epfu  
 l'o to nwedu iphe,  
 anyi bụ.

## 124

*Ebvu, aaguje mę a -nodu  
 eje Jierúsalemu; onye  
 deru iya nụ bụ Dévidi*

<sup>1</sup> O tọ bụ lẹ Chipfu nọ-kube  
 anyi ...

Ngwa; g'unubę ndu Ízurelu  
 tuko pfua sụ:

<sup>2</sup> O tọ bụ lẹ Chipfu nọ-kube  
 anyi;  
 teke ndiphe tsoru anyi ọgu;  
<sup>3</sup> mbụ teke ono, ẹhu-eghu  
 phę shi nwuhu phuruphuru

g'oku l'ehu anyi ono;  
 m'ephe elwekwaa anyi lę ndzụ;  
<sup>4</sup> mbụ-a; ephe gege erikwa  
 anyi tħubukungu g'utso;  
 bürü ochioku mini sota  
 anyi tugbua;  
<sup>5</sup> bürü ukporo-mini  
 kpota anyi;  
 anyi eje aburu ola-l'iswi.

<sup>6</sup> G'ajaja bürü kę Chipfu,  
 bụ onye ono, te ekwedu  
 g'ephe gude eze  
 takashịa anyi atakashị ono.

<sup>7</sup> Anahụ, anyi nahụru phẹ  
 düyüaa g'enu, nahụru  
 onye agba ónyà-enu.

Ónyá ọbu bę a gbajishiru;  
 anyi shi nno nahụ  
 gbala.

<sup>8</sup> N-yemeka anyi eshije  
 l'eka Chipfu;  
 onye meru igwe mee  
 mgboko.

## 125

*Ebvu, aaguje mę a -nödu  
 eje Jierúsalemu*

<sup>1</sup> Ndu dakoberu Chipfu dù  
 g'úbvú Zayonu, e tee  
 nwubatadu enwubata;  
 bya aburu úbvú,  
 a-nowaro jasụ l'ojejoje.

- <sup>2</sup> Oo g'úbvú nọ-pheru  
 Jierúsalemu  
 mgburugburu-a;  
 bụ gẹ Chipfu a-nọ-pheje  
 ndibe iya mgburugburu  
 shita nta-a jasụ lẹ  
 tuutuutuu lẹ mịimiimii.
- <sup>3</sup> Ndu ejo-iphe taa bükwaru  
 ishi ndu pfüberekoto;  
 ọdumeka bẹ ndu ono  
 pfüberekoto ono  
 e-yekwa eka l'eme  
 ejo-iphe.
- <sup>4</sup> Jiko Chipfu; menaarụ ndu  
 ọma ree;  
 mbụ ndu obu phe  
 guru iphóró.
- <sup>5</sup> Ole iphe, bükpoo ndu  
 eshi uzo,  
 apfuduru nhamụnha  
 bẹ Chipfu a-tuko ẹphe  
 lẹ ndu eme ejo-iphe  
 l'alị-a wofukota.  
 G'ehu-guu bükwaru kẹ  
 ndu Ízurelu.

## 126

*Ebvu, aaguje mẹ a -nọdu  
 eje Jierúsalemu*

- <sup>1</sup> Teke Chipfu dumphutaru ndu  
 ono, a kpuru lẹ ndzụ  
 ono azụ lẹ Zayonu bẹ ọ  
 dù anyi g'ọ bụ lẹ nrwọ

bẹ anyi arwọ iya.

<sup>2</sup> Onu-ochi kojachaa anyi  
asha ekoja.

Ire pfuru anyi ọto l'agụ  
ebvu ẹhu-ütso.

Ndu ọhozo wata epfu sụ:  
“Chipfu meakwaru phẹ iphe,  
parụ eka.”

<sup>3</sup> Chipfu meakwaru anyi iphe,  
parụ eka.

Ọ bụru iya meru g'o gude  
ẹhu nöodu atso anyi  
ntumatu.

<sup>4</sup> Jiko Chipfu; dumphunu anyi  
azụ l'ọnodu anyi ono;  
egube ono, i meru;  
nggele sọahaa gborogboro  
l'echiegu ndohali ono;

<sup>5</sup> k'ophu ndu gude  
ẹnya-mini kụa iphe l'alị  
e-gude ebvu ẹhu-ütso  
kpata iya akpata;

<sup>6</sup> mbụ l'onye ono,  
gude ẹnya-mini akụ  
iphe l'alị bẹ a-guru ebvu  
ẹhu-ütso lwa;  
vuru wọpfula-wọpfula iphe,  
o metaru l'opfu iya.

# 127

*Ebvu, aaguje mẹ a -nodu  
eje Jierúsalemu; onye deru  
iya nụ bụ Sólomonu*

<sup>1</sup> O -bụdu lẹ Chipfu kpuru ụlo  
l'onwiya bẹ ndu akpụ iya  
nụ akpukwa kẹ mmanụ.

O -bụdu lẹ Chipfu cheru  
mkpukpu nche l'onwiya  
bẹ ndu nche pfukwaru  
nche kẹ mmanụ.

<sup>2</sup> O tukoru bụru kẹ mmanụ  
bẹ iitehuje lẹ nchi-abohu;  
laa l'ulo l'echi abalị;  
eka iiše akanya nri, ii-ri;  
kele ndu Chipfu yeru  
obu azejekwaduro lẹ  
mgbenya;  
l'o wotawaru phẹ iphe,  
ephe e-ri.

<sup>3</sup> Unwegirima bụ okiphe,  
shi l'eka Chipfu.

Atsụ ime bụru obunggo,  
shi l'eka Chipfu.

<sup>4</sup> Unwegirima, a nwuru  
l'okorobya bẹ dù g'apfụ,  
nọ l'eka onye ojogu.

<sup>5</sup> Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ onye  
chị iya chị-jia ekpa iya.

Iphere ta abyadụ eme iya  
m'ephe lẹ ndu ọhogu iya  
nodu aba mba

l'ọn̄u-abata mkpükpu.

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*Ebvu, aaguje m̄e a -nōdu eje Jierúsalem̄u*

- 1 Ehu-ütso b̄e a goru n̄u iphe,  
bukpoo ndu ats̄u Chipfu ebvu;  
mb̄u ndu b̄u ụzo iya b̄e  
ephe etso.
- 2 Onye ono a-nōdu ndz̄u  
ria iphe, o setar̄u l'akanya;  
tēme ẹhu-ütso waa k'om̄a  
a-bur̄u nkiya.
- 3 Nyee ngu a-nōdu l'ibe  
ngu duepho ḡe vayinu,  
amishi amimi ike;  
tēme ụnwu ngu adu  
g'ekali-oshi olivu  
nō-phee teburu ngu  
mgburugburu.
- 4 Noo g'onye a goru ọn̄u-om̄a  
n̄u a-d̄u b̄u ono;  
mb̄u onye ats̄u  
Chipfu ebvu.
- 5 Ḡe Chipfu shikwa l̄e  
Zayonu goru ọn̄u-om̄a  
n̄u ngu.  
Tēme l̄i nōdukwapho  
hum̄a g'uba Jierúsalem̄u  
a-d̄u-be shii jas̄u  
g'ii-nō-beru l'eliphe-a.
- 6 Ii-nōdukwapho ndz̄u  
hum̄a ụnwu  
nwanwanwaranwa

ngu.  
G'ehu-guu bükwaru  
kẹ ndu Ízurelu.

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*Ebvu, aaguje mẹ a -nọdu  
eje Jierúsalemú*

- 1 Ephe mewaru mu ewere  
megharụ mu iya ẹka  
e -shi teke mu bụ nwata ...  
Ngwa; g'unubẹ ndu Ízurelu  
tükọ pfua sụ:
- 2 Ephe mewaru mu ewere  
megharụ mu iya ẹka  
e -shi teke mu bụ nwata;  
obenu l'ephe te  
emekpeduru mu.
- 3 Ephe gudewaa ẹchachi  
chia mu kpachacha.  
Ónyá, ẹphe chibashịru  
mu l'okpurukpu  
dabyichaerupho dù  
g'ẹka a warụ ọswawara.
- 4 Obenu lẹ Chipfu bụ onye  
pfüberekoto.  
Ọ gbèshiru bya atọo mu  
l'egbu, ndu ejio-iphe shi  
kee mu;  
mu nweru onwomu.
- 5 G'iphe, bukpoo ndu Zayonu  
dù ashị bükwaru ndu  
e-gude iphere laphu azụ.

- 6** G'ephe dükwa g'ęswa,  
furu l'eli ęswulo, abujeru:  
Ọ -bya asụru evuvu;  
anwụ ewowaru iya chigbua.
- 7** Eswa ono ahatabeje nwanshịi  
k'ophu bụ l'onye jeru iya  
egbuta abujeru;  
o -gbua nta gbua imo;  
o too gbutadu ęswa,  
jiru iya ọbochi-eka;  
ophu ọ bụro k'asụru  
upfu ęswa.
- 8** G'iphe, bükpoo ndu  
aghata aghata ghajekwa  
phę iswi ekele.  
G'ọ to dükwa onye a-sụ  
phę g'ọnụ-ọma kę  
Chipfu bụru nkephę;  
ọzoo l'ephe gude  
ępha Chipfu agorū  
phę ọnụ-ọma.

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*Ebvu, aaguje mę a -nodu  
eje Jierúsalemu*

- 1** Mu nọ l'echi ogbumini  
k'iphe-ęhuka araku  
gube Chipfu;
- 2** Jiko Nnajịuphu; nümanu olu  
mu.  
Ngabenuru mu nchị lę mkpu,  
mu echı g'i meeru mu  
eze-iphe-ọma.

**3** Ome gube Chipfu edobeje  
iphe-eji, onyemonye eme;  
?bu onye gege adu ike  
pfuru l'atatiphu gube  
Nnajjuphu?

**4** Obenu le gubedua aguje nvu.  
O bürü iphe ono meru g'o  
gude a nodu atsu  
ngu ebvu.

**5** Mu no kwaberu Chipfu;  
teme obu mu nodu  
elekwapho enya iya.

O bürü l'opfu iya be mu  
daru ngaberu.

**6** Obu mu no ele enya  
Nnajjuphu leghata  
g'onye-nche anoduje  
ele ge nchi bohu-kebe;  
mbu l'obu mu ka ele  
enya Chipfu eme le ge  
ndu nche anoduje  
eleberu enya nchi-abohu.

**7** Jiko Ízurelu; g'enya unu  
duro l'eka Chipfu no;  
kеле Chipfu bu onye  
eyeje obu yegharu iya eka;  
teme o nodu agbafutaje  
nemadzu l'iphe-eji iya g'o ha.

**8** O bürü yebedu l'onwiya  
a-gbafutakota ndu Ízurelu  
l'iphe-eji, ẹphe meshiru.

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*Ebvü, aaguje mè a -nòdu  
eje Jierúsalemu; onye  
deru iya nụ bụ Dévidi*

- <sup>1</sup> Mu te egudedu obu mu eku  
onwomu; jiko Chipfu;  
ophu mu aradu ẹnya k'etsetse.  
Mu ta ayojedu ọshi l'iphe,  
parụ ẹka;  
ophu mu ejejedu ekobe ẹka  
l'iphe, mu asụdu.
- <sup>2</sup> Iphe, mu mechiaru bụ lẹ  
mu tọru nwéhu woru  
obu mu dobekpóeopho  
nwadoo.
- Ọo gę nwata, a mifuru ọnụ  
l'era anòduje nwapyaa  
lę mgboru ne iya;  
bükpoeopho g'obu mu  
nọ l'ime mu.
- <sup>3</sup> Jiko unubę ndu Ízurelu;  
g'ẹnya unu dunu l'ẹka  
Chipfu nọ;  
shita nta-a jasụ lę  
tuutuutuu lę mịimiimii.

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*Ebvü, aaguje mè a -nòdu  
eje Jierúsalemu*

- <sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; nyatanụ Dévidi  
yee iphe-ehuka, ọ nọ jegbabę.  
<sup>2</sup> O gürü ẹnwa; ria nte l'iphu

Chipfu; mbụ ria angụ  
l'iphu Okalibe kẹ Jiékópu  
sụ:

<sup>3</sup> “Mu te eyedu ishi l'ulo mu;  
ophu mu abyadụ abahụ  
eka mu azeje azee.

<sup>4</sup> Mu ta abyadụ ekwe ge  
mgbenya shisweta mu  
enya;  
mbụ lẹ mu ta abyadụ  
ekwe ge mgbenya mia  
mu eka l'enya;

<sup>5</sup> jasụ mu ahụma eka mu  
a-chotaru Chipfu g'o buru;  
mbụ eka Okalibe kẹ  
Jiékópu e-buru.”

<sup>6</sup> Anyi númeru l'o no lẹ Ifurata.  
Anyi tüğbua je ahụma  
iya l'oma eğu  
Kiriyatu-Jiarimu.

<sup>7</sup> Unu g'anyi jenụ l'ulo-ekwa  
Chileke.

Unu g'anyi jenụ apfukube  
iya baarụ iya ejá.

<sup>8</sup> Gbalihunụ jiko Chipfu;  
bya l'okpoku ngu;  
gụ l'okpoko ọgbandzu  
ngu ono, egoshi ike  
ngu ono.

<sup>9</sup> Gẹ ndu-uke ngu yenaa  
apfubekoto g'uwe.

Ndu dürü ngu nsọ agụa  
ebvu ehu-ütso.

10 Gudenü iswi ęhu Dévidi,  
 bụ onye-ozi ngu nyata  
 onye ono, i wuru  
 manụ l'ishi gude mee ya;  
 ọ bürü eze ono.

11 Chipfu riburu Dévidi angụ;  
 mbụ angụ, keru jingujingu,  
 ọ tọ byadu emebyi  
 emebyi.

Ọ suru iya: “Ọ onye lanụ  
 lẹ ndu bụ oshilokpa  
 ngu bẹ mu e-me g'o nödu  
 l'aba-eze ngu.

12 Ọ -bürü l'ünwu ngu doberu  
 ogbandzu mu l'ephe;  
 byaeme iphe,  
 mu tñru l'ekemu;  
 ọ ya bụ; ünwu phë  
 anowaro l'aba-eze ngu  
 jasụ l'ojejoje.”

13 Chipfu gudewaa ęka iya  
 hota Zayonu;  
 kele ęka ono dù iya ree  
 k'eburu; noo kele ọ suru:

14 “Ọ ęka-a bẹ mu e-me ọkpoku  
 mu jasụ lẹ tuutuutuu  
 lẹ mịimiimii;  
 teme ọ bürü ęka-a bẹ  
 mu e-dobe aba-eze mu sụgaru;  
 noo kele ọ g'o dù mu  
 ree bụ ono.

15 Mu a-goru ọnụ-oma nụ iya  
 g'o nweru iphe nweru

k'etsutsu iya.

Ndibe iya ndu ọphu daru  
ükpa bẹ mu a-nodu  
azụ-ji ẹpho.

<sup>16</sup> Ndu uke Chileke nkiya bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
mu adzota ọkpobe adzota;  
mbụ lẹ ndu dụru Chipfu  
nsọ a-noduepho agụ  
ebvu ẹhu-ụtso.

<sup>17</sup> O bụru eka ono bẹ mu  
a-gbẹ mee g'onye ike dụ  
shi l'ọnụ-ulo Dévidi fụta;  
teme mu anwụru ọku  
ye l'orokwu onye mu  
wụru manụ l'ishi gude  
mee ya; o bụru eze.

<sup>18</sup> Mu e-me g'iphere dụ  
ndu ọhogu iya ọkpobe  
adudu;  
obenu lẹ yębedua bẹ<sup>2</sup>  
mu e-kpube okpu-eze,  
a-nodu eke paapaapa.”

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*Ebvu, aaguje mẹ a -nodu  
eje Jierúsalemu; onye  
deru iya nụ bụ Dévidi*

<sup>1</sup> Lewaro g'o dụ-be ree bya adụ  
ùbvù l'enyia;  
kẹ g'unwunna bukobe  
tugba bụru nanụ.

<sup>2</sup> O duepho g'okpobe manụ,  
eshi mkpọ, a wụru

Eronu l'ishi;  
 o shi iya l'ishi sofuta iya  
 l'éjí-agba;  
 gbaa ya gorogoro sofuta  
 l'igburonu uwe iya.

- <sup>3</sup> O dukwapho g'eka iji,  
 shi l'úbvú Hamonu  
 akwa l'eli úbvú Zayonu.  
 Oo l'echilabó ndu dù nno  
 bẹ Chipfu agojeru ọnu-ọma  
 nkiya nụ;  
 mbụ ọnu-ọma ọphu bụ  
 ndzụ ojejoje.

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*Ebvu, aaguje mẹ a -nodu  
 eje Jierúsalemu*

- <sup>1</sup> Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja unubẹ<sup>1</sup>  
 ndu-ozí Chipfu g'unu ha;  
 unubẹ ndu anoduje  
 ejeru Chipfu ozi l'ulo  
 nkiya l'enyashi.  
<sup>2</sup> Unu palia ẹka unu imeli l'ulo,  
 dù nsọ kẹ Chipfu;  
 kele iya ekele!  
<sup>3</sup> Gẹ Chipfu, bụ onye meru  
 igwe mee mgboko gbẹ<sup>2</sup>  
 lẹ Zayonu goru ọnu-ọma  
 nụ ngụ.

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- <sup>1</sup> Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.  
 Unu tua Chipfu ẹpha.

Unu tua ya ẹpha; unubẹ ndu  
ejeru Chipfu ozi;  
<sup>2</sup> mbụ unubẹ ndu eje ozi  
l'eze-ulo Chipfu;  
mẹ l'ọma-unuphu Chileke  
anyi.

<sup>3</sup> Unu tua Chipfu ẹpha kélé  
Chipfu dù ree.

Unu gúa ebvü gude tua ya  
ẹpha; kélé oo iphe,  
gbaru nụ bụ ono;  
<sup>4</sup> kélé Chipfu hótawaru  
Jiékópu g'o búru nkiya;  
mbụ l'ọ hatawaru  
Ízurélu g'o búru ndu o nwe  
enwenwe gedegede kpo.

<sup>5</sup> O doru mu ẹnya lẹ Chipfu  
parụ eka;  
mbụ lẹ Nnajíuphu anyi  
tükorus agwa l'ophu  
kakóta shii.

<sup>6</sup> Oo iphe, dù Chipfu ree bẹ  
oomeje l'imigwe mẹ  
l'eliphe l'ophu.

O búkwárupho iphe,  
dù iya ree bẹ oomeje  
l'ime eze-ẹnyimu mẹ  
l'ime ogbumini,  
dù iya nụ.

<sup>7</sup> Igwe -nódu erwu  
erwurwu bẹ oomeje  
g'o shi l'eka igwe  
beru ali beru wata

erwurwu.

Ọ nodu emeje g'egbigwe  
 daa m'o nodu edze mini;  
 teme ọ nodu emeje ge  
 pherephere shi le  
 mkpuru eka ọ tu-chiru  
 iya wata ezizi.

<sup>8</sup> Iphe, bükpoo (okpara,  
 no le Ijiputu be o  
 chigbushiru;  
 mbụ iphe, bu okpara  
 le nemadzụ yele  
 iphe-edobe.

<sup>9</sup> Iphe-ohumalenyia;  
 waa iphe, du biribiri  
 be o mekotaru unube  
 ndu Ijiputu.

Ono bụru iphe, o gude  
 hụa Fero yee  
 ndu-ozzi iya ahùhù.

<sup>10</sup> Ohamoha,  
 du igwerigwe be o  
 chitsushiru;  
 bya egbushikwapho ndu  
 eze, okpehu du.

<sup>11</sup> O gburu Sihonu,  
 bu eze ndu Amoru;  
 bya egbua Ogu,  
 bu eze ndu Beshanu;  
 bya egbushikwapho eze  
 ndu Kénanu g'ephe  
 hakota.

<sup>12</sup> O woru ali phẹ washiaru

ndu nkiya, bụ Ízurēlu;  
g'ọ bụru okiphe phẹ.

<sup>13</sup> Ẹpha gube Chipfu anoje  
ojejoje.

Ọphu a byadu azoha ngu  
azoha;  
e -shi l'ogbo sweru ogbo;  
<sup>14</sup> kеле Chipfu a-harụ ndibe  
iya enge;  
shi nno dügen ndu ejeru iya  
ozi obu.

<sup>15</sup> Agwa ndu oholozi bugbaa  
mkpola-ododo yẹe  
mkpola-ochaa,  
 bụ iphe, nemadzụ gude  
eka mee.

<sup>16</sup> Ephe nweru ọnụ;  
ophu ephe epfudu opfu.

Ephe nweru ẹnyá;  
ophu ephe aphụdu  
iya ụzo.

<sup>17</sup> Ephe nweru nchi;  
ophu ephe anụdu iya iphe;  
teme ophu ọ dudu unme ndzụ,  
nọ phẹ l'ime.

<sup>18</sup> Ndu agwọ phẹ nụ a-duepho  
g'ephe dù;  
mékpo ndu dakoberu  
phẹ nụ.

<sup>19</sup> Unubẹ ndibe Ízurēlu;  
unu tua Chipfu ẹpha.

Unubẹ ndibe Eronu;  
unu tua Chipfu ẹpha.

**20** Unubẹ ndibe Lívayi;  
     unu tua Chipfu ẹpha.  
 Unubẹ ndu atṣụ Chipfu ebvu;  
     unu tua Chipfu ẹpha.  
**21** G'a gbékwa lẹ Zayọnu  
     tua Chipfu ẹpha;  
     mbụ onye ono,  
     bu lẹ Jierúsalemu ono.  
 Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.

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- 1** Unu kele Chipfu ekele;  
     kélé ọ bụ onye ọma.  
 N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
     l'ojejoje.
- 2** Unu kele Chipfu ọphu kakọta  
     agwa l'ophu shii.  
 N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
     l'ojejoje.
- 3** Unu kele Nnajịuphu ndu bụ  
     nnajịuphu l'ophu.  
 N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
     l'ojejoje.
- 4** Kele onye bụ yébedua  
     kpoloko emeje  
     iphe-ọhumalenya,  
     parụ eka.  
 N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
     l'ojejoje.
- 5** Onye bụ mmamiphe iya bẹ o  
     gude mee eligwe.  
 N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
     l'ojejoje.

**6** Mbụ onye woru mgboko-a  
l'ophu phuşhi l'eli mini.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

**7** O bụru iya meshiru eze  
iphe-a, emeje g'iphóró du-a,  
düğbaa biribiri-a.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

**8** O meru ẹnyanwu g'o chije  
l'eswe.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

**9** O mee ọnwa; waa kpokpode  
g'ephe chije l'enyashi.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

**10** Unu kele onye chigbushiru  
ndu shi bụru ọkpara  
lẹ Ijiputu.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

**11** Onye dufutaru ụnwu  
Ízurelu l'echilabọ phe.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

**12** O bụru l'ike ọkpu iya bẹ o  
gude dufuta phe.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

**13** Unu kele onye bụ iya  
kekaharụ Eze-ẹnyimu  
Uswe-uswe ẹbo.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

<sup>14</sup> Onye duru ndu Ízuręlu  
ghabua ya ębo.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

<sup>15</sup> O kpota Fero yẹe ndu ojogu  
iya l'ophu kporu ye lę  
Eze-enyimu  
Uswe-uswe ono.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

<sup>16</sup> Unu kele onye bụ iya  
duru ndibe iya ije  
l'echięgu.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

<sup>17</sup> Onye chigbushiru ndu  
eze, ọkpehu dugbaa.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

<sup>18</sup> Onye gbushikwarupho  
ndu eze, a maru ępha phę.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

<sup>19</sup> O gburu Sihönü,  
bụ eze ndu Amoru.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

<sup>20</sup> Ọ bya egbua Ọgu,  
bụ eze ndu Beshanu.

N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
l'ojejoje.

- 21** O woru ali phę nü onye  
      ozo g'ọ bürü okiphe iya.  
N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
      l'ojejoje.
- 22** Qo onye-ozi iya, bu Ízurelu  
      bę ọ nṣuru iya.  
N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
      l'ojejoje.
- 23** Qo ya nyatarụ anyibe ndu  
      adudu iphe, anyi bu.  
N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
      l'ojejoje.
- 24** Q bya anafuta anyi l'eka  
      ndu achị anyi lę njo.  
N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
      l'ojejoje.
- 25** Q bya abükwaru iya pho  
      azükota iphemiphe,  
      nọ ndzụ.  
N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
      l'ojejoje.
- 26** Unu kele Chileke  
      k'imigwe ekele.  
N-yemobu iya anoje jasụ  
      l'ojejoje.

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- 1** Anyi rwuru l'aguga ẹnyimu  
      Bábilonu.  
Anyi noshia anqo kwaa  
      ekwa;  
      eka anyi nyatarụ Zayonu.
- 2** Anyi woru une anyi kobe

l'ekali-oshi wilo l'eka ono;  
 3 kèle anyi rwuru eka ono;  
 ndu kpuru anyi lẹ ndzụ  
 sụ g'anyi gütaru phẹ  
 ebvu.

Ndu ono, eme anyi omeliwe  
 ono sụ g'anyi metaru  
 phẹ emereme.

Ęphe sụru anyi: “Unu chonaa  
 ebvu ndu Zayonu  
 nanụ gụarу anyi!”

4 Ole ?denu g'anyi e-shi pata  
 ebvu, e gude ekutse  
 Chipfu je aguaha l'ali  
 ndu ọhozo?

5 O -buru lẹ mu zoharu  
 gube Jierúsalemu;  
 g'eka-ütara mu zohakwa  
 iphe, o maru ememe.

6 G'ire nyakukwari mu l'akpo;  
 m'o bürü lẹ mu ta  
 anyataduru ngu;  
 mbụ m'o bụkpodaa gube  
 Jierúsalemu bẹ mu meru  
 mkpukpu, emeje g'ehu  
 kachaa mu atsọ ụtso.

7 Gube Chipfu; nyatakwa iphe,  
 ndu Edomu meru mbokwu,  
 Jierúsalemu daru!

Ęphe tükoru tüşhia uzu sụ:  
 “Unu tsukposhia ya.

Unu tsukposhia ya tsurwua  
 eka a türü ọkpa iya.”

<sup>8</sup> Gube nwada Bábilonu;  
 iphe, swiru ngu nụ bükwa  
 ola-l'iswi.  
 Ehu-ütso bę a goru nụ onye  
 a-pfụ ngu ugwo iphe,  
 i meru anyi-a;  
<sup>9</sup> mbụ onye a-nata ngu ụnwu,  
 i nwürü k'òphúú kua  
 pyaapyaa lę mkpuma.

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### *Ebvü, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu; mu e-gude obu  
 mu g'o ha jaa ngu ajaja.  
 Mu a-nodu l'iphu agwa gúa  
 ebvu gude tua ngu ẹpha.  
<sup>2</sup> Mu a-gha iphu l'uzo  
 eze-ulø ngu, dù nsø baarù  
 ngu ejá.  
 Mu e-tu ngu ẹpha kélé i bụ  
 onye n-yemobu;  
 bya abụru onye apfushije  
 ike l'iphe, i pfuru;  
 kélé i meru ẹpha ngu yęe  
 opfu ngu;  
 ẹphe kakota iphemiphe l'eli.  
<sup>3</sup> Mu rakuru ngu; i za mu ẹnu.  
 I meru ọkpehu nụ mu;  
 bya emee mu; mu nyaaha ñdú.  
<sup>4</sup> Iphe, bükpo eze  
 ụnwu-eliphe l'ophu a-ja ngu  
 ajaja gube Chipfu;

m'ephe nüma opfu,  
shi ngu l'önü.

<sup>5</sup> Ephe e-gude uesto kę Chipfu  
ono gúa l'ebvu;  
kélé o-gbu-nwíinwii kę  
Chipfu paru eka.

<sup>6</sup> A makwarü-a lę Chipfu nö  
l'ephekerephe;  
obenu l'enya iya adujeele-a  
l'eka ndu lwazeru nü nö;  
mbụ lę ndu eku onwophé  
bę oogbeje üzenya maru.

<sup>7</sup> O to dudu m'obeta  
mu je aghajaa echilabó  
iphe-ehuka;  
l'i kpuchièle mu-a;  
o to dudu iphe, eme mu nü.  
Iimachije eka nwuphu ndu  
gude əhu-eghu achị mu lę  
njo azu.

O bürü ékutara ngu ono bę<sup>8</sup>  
iigudeje dzoo mu.

<sup>8</sup> Iphe, bükpo iphe,  
Chipfu kweru ukwe lę ya  
e-me be oo-mekotaru mu.  
Gube Chipfu; n-yemobu  
ngu anoje jasü l'ojejoje.  
Jiko be buhakwa ozi ono,  
i gude l'eka eje ono.

## 139

*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nu onye-ishi ebvu*

- 1** Gube Chipfu; i vochawaru  
mu obu.  
Nta-a be i mawaru ge mu gbaru.
- 2** I maru teke mu no anoo;  
maru teke mu gbeshiru  
agbeshi.  
Iinoduje uzenya maru iphe,  
mu arı l'obu mu.
- 3** Iimajeru teke mu agbeshi eje  
iphe;  
waa teke mu ze azee.  
Iphe, bu uzo mu l'ophu  
dokotaru ngu enya.
- 4** Qobujeru; opfu -bya eshi mu  
l'onu futa;  
l'i makotawaru iphe,  
mu abya epfupfu gube Chipfu.
- 5** I no-pheru mu mgburugburu  
iphu l'azu.  
I wowaru eka ngu byabé mu  
l'ishi.
- 6** Amama ono, i maru mu egube  
ono dukwa mu oke biribiri;  
bya apaa mu ephekerephe  
k'ophu uche mu te erwudu iya.
- 7** ?Bu awe be mu a-nođu,  
bu eka Unme nkengu anođu?  
?Bu awe be mu a-gbaru laa,  
bu eka i ti humaduru mu?
- 8** Mu -pheru lashia l'imigwe  
be i noワaa l'eka ono.  
Teke mu jeru je agbaa  
iphe-azee l'alı-maa zee

bẹ i nökwa iya phọ.

<sup>9</sup> Mu -chịta ñkù nchi-abóhu  
kpube onwomu;  
gude iya phee pherwua  
eka ẹnyimu so-beru gbúru;  
<sup>10</sup> mbükponu l'eka ono bẹ<sup>i</sup>-nöduelekwa-a edu mu;  
teme ékutara ngu egudele  
mu-a gudeshia mu ike.

<sup>11</sup> Teke mu súru lẹ mu maru-a  
l'ochii e-domi mu-a;  
l'iphóró a-búru-a ẹnyashi  
nö-phee mu mgburugburu;  
<sup>12</sup> l'i bya egoshi l'ochii ono  
ta abudu ochii l'eka i nö.  
Enyashi ono taa búkpodaru  
ngu nü ochii.

Enyashi ono a-nöduele-a  
echi swachaswacha  
g'echi-eswe;  
kéle gubedua bẹ ochii  
duele-a g'iphóró.

<sup>13</sup> Kéle iphemiphe, nö mu l'ime  
ehu bụ ngu meru iya;  
teme o buru ngu dzepfuru  
mu nanụ teke mu nö l'ephō  
ne mu.

<sup>14</sup> Iphe, mu ekele ngu ekele  
iya bụ l'i meru mu l'uzo,  
dụ ebvu bya adụ biribiri.

Iphe, doru mu ẹnya  
rengurengu bụ l'ozi,  
iijeje dù biribiri.

15 Okpu okpu, nō mu l'ēhu g'ọ  
 ha ta adudu ophu e domiru  
 ngu edomi teke ono,  
 eeme mu l'ochii ono.

Teke mu nō l'ime ẹpho;  
 e mengashia mu dzepfua mu;  
 mu bṣru nanụ-a;  
 16 bẹ i gudehawaa ẹnya  
 ngu hụma ogwe mu ophu  
 adukpodaa g'e mewaru iya.

Ujiku ole, a tuburu lẹ mu  
 a-nō l'eliphe-a bẹ e  
 dekotahawaru l'ekwo ngu;  
 tēme mu bebe nō g'ọ ka  
 mma l'ọo ujiku ono nanụ.

17 Egube g'oriri, ijeriu mu  
 dụ-bekwanụ mu mkpa;  
 gube Chileke.

A -chikobe iya bẹ ọ pakwarụ  
 ẹka apaa.

18 O -bṣru gẹ mu wata iya  
 agugu bẹ ọ kakwa ejia,  
 nō l'alị l'ọtu.

Mu -shikpo lẹ mgbenya tehu;  
 mu -tehushia mu lẹ ngu  
 anodukwa g'anyi nō.

19 Gube Chileke;  
 ọ dụ mu g'a sụ l'i tukoru  
 ndu ẹjo-iphe gbushia.

Unu parụ mu haa;  
 unubẹ ndu ono,  
 egbu ọchi anoduje agụ  
 g'onye mini agụ ono.

- 20 Ndu ono anoduje achịru  
gube Chileke ejo idzu;  
teme ẹphe nodu achị ngu  
lẹ njọ;  
bya eku ngu oku-eswe.
- 21 Iphe, bụ ndu kporu gube  
Chipfu ashị bẹ mu  
kpokwarupho ashị;  
teme iphe, bükpoo ndu  
kwolihuru etso ngu opfu  
bẹ mu anoduje  
akpọ-yiru ukuvu.
- 22 Ẹphe dù mu ashị mebyi  
adụdu;  
mbụ lẹ mu agukobeje  
phẹ lẹ ndu ọhogu mu.
- 23 Vochanaa ọkpoma mu jiko  
Chileke;  
maru iphe, dù mu l'obu.  
Hụnaa mu ama maru g'oriri  
mu gbaru.
- 24 Lenaa mu ẹnya maru;  
?o dürü eka uzo  
kposwehuru mu?  
O -buru l'o dürü;  
jiko dumphutanu mu azụ  
l'uzo ndzụ ojejoje.

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru  
nụ onye-ishi ebvu*

- <sup>1</sup> Nafutanu mu l'eka ndu  
ejo-iphe jiko Chipfu.

Letanụ mu ẹnya gẹ mu  
 ta adaba l'eka ndu emeje  
 nemadzụ mkpawere.

<sup>2</sup> Ndu buepho ejo-iphe bẹ ẹphe  
 anoduje achị idzu iya  
 l'ime obu phẹ;  
 bya abuerupho ọgu bẹ ẹphe  
 anoduje akpali  
 mbóku-mbóku.

<sup>3</sup> Ire phẹ bẹ ẹphe emeje  
 l'ootsu nkọ g'ire ejo agwo.  
 Opfu, eshije phẹ l'ọnụ nodu  
 egbu egbugbu g'eru ogiji.

<sup>4</sup> Gudeshinaa mu jiko Chipfu;  
 gẹ mu ta adaba l'eka  
 ndu ejo-iphe.

Phufunu mu l'eka ndu emeje  
 nemadzụ mkpawere;  
 mbụ ndu acho uzo,  
 ẹphe e-shi chikota mu ọkpa!

<sup>5</sup> Ndu eku onwophe  
 gbabewaru mu ónyà.

Ẹphe gebecharu ugbu  
 phẹ kwabepu mu;  
 bya atụa igbudu dokaa l'iphe,  
 bükpoo uzo, mu eshi eshishi.

<sup>6</sup> Gube Chipfu; iphe,  
 mu epfuye bụ l'oo ngu  
 bụ Chileke mu.

Jiko Chipfu; nümanu mkpu  
 ono, mu echi sụ g'i  
 menaarụ mu eze-iphe-ọma ono.

<sup>7</sup> Gube Chipfu, bụ Nnajịuphu

anyi;  
 gube onye ike du;  
 bya aburu onye adzoje  
 mu nụ;  
 gube onye egbobutajẹ́  
 ishi mu mẹ́ a -nodu alwụ́ ọgu;  
<sup>8</sup> be mekwarụ́ ndu ẹjo-iphe  
 iphe ono, agụ́ phẹ́ nụ́ ono;  
 jiko Chipfu.

B'ekwekwa g'ídzù, ẹphe achị́  
 jee g'ẹphe achị́ iya.

Ọdumeka bẹ́ ẹphe a-watakwa  
 eku onwophe.

<sup>9</sup> G'iphe, e-rikpute ndu ono,  
 kepheru mu  
 mgburugburu ono  
 ishi bükwaru iphe-ehuka,  
 ẹphe gude ire phẹ́  
 kpatarụ́ onwophe.

<sup>10</sup> G'icheku-óku, ata pfúpfupfu  
 bükwaru iphe, aa-zübe  
 phẹ́ l'ishi.

G'a pakwarụ́ phẹ́ chie echie  
 l'oku, enwu  
 phoophoophoo;  
 mbụ́ l'ime nsu,  
 ẹphe ta abyadụ́ afutaba afuta.

<sup>11</sup> Gẹ́ ndu njọ-opfu ta  
 angukwaru anguru l'alị-a.

G'ejio-iphe chikwa nta ndu  
 mkpawere ono.

<sup>12</sup> Mu maru-a lẹ́ Chipfu ahajẹru  
 onye ụkpá enge;

tëme ọ nödu emeje g'ikpe  
 kalëru onye adüdu g'ọ  
 dù iya.

- <sup>13</sup> Gẹ mu gbukwaa ya tororo;  
 ndu pfüberekoto e-kelekwa  
 ngu ekele;  
 tëme ọ bụru l'iphu ngu bẹ  
 ndu obu phẹ gürü ìphóró  
 e-buru eburu.

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*Ebvü-oma, Dévidi deru*

- <sup>1</sup> Gùbe Chipfu; mu araku ngu.  
 Gbanaaru mu mkpu  
 egwegwa.  
 Nümanu olu mu mẹ mu  
 raku ngu.

- <sup>2</sup> G'epfupfu, mu epfu anụ ngu  
 shikwa ngu mkpọ  
 g'ùnwù-isensu.  
 G'eka, mu chiliru imeli epfu  
 anụ ngu dùkwa ngu g'anụ,  
 e gburu wotaru ngu  
 l'uzenyashi.

- <sup>3</sup> Yenu ndu nche g'ephe chee  
 onu mu nche;  
 jiko Chipfu.

Jiko chenu ogbogboromọnú  
 mu nche.

- <sup>4</sup> Te ekwekwa g'obu mu  
 ghaaru eme ejo-iphe iphu;  
 mbụ gẹ mu tsoru ndu  
 ejo-iphe wata eme ejo-ememe;

ophu mu etsokwaru phẹ  
ria iphe,  
ẹphe kwakoberu mu shi  
nno rirwụa onwomu.

<sup>5</sup> G'onye pfüberekoto chia  
mu rọ iphe.

Ọo-dụ mu rọ g'ọ bụ iphe-ọma  
bẹ o meru mu.

G'ọ baarụ mu rọ mba.

Ono a-gbẹro dù mu g'ọ bụ manụ,  
eshi mkpọ bẹ ọowu  
mu l'ishi.

Ishi mu bẹ oo-gbẹnu  
atso ntụmatu.

Obenu lẹ mu anodujeephə epfu  
anụ ngu sụ g'i mee g'ejo  
idzu ndu ejo-iphe ta vu.

<sup>6</sup> Ndu-ishi phẹ bẹ ee-nwufu  
lẹ m kpakpọnụ eka  
ẹphe degeru.

Ọo ya bụ gẹ ndu ejo-iphe  
amaru l'iphe,  
mu pfuru bẹ mu pfuru  
nhamụnha.

<sup>7</sup> Ephe asụ: “Ọo g'aakoje ọkoro  
gbubashịa ali-a;  
 bụ g'a tükashiru ọkpu anyi  
nanụ nanụ l'ọnụ ilu.”

<sup>8</sup> Obenu lẹ mbédúa bụ l'eka  
ị nọ bẹ mu daberu ẹnya  
gube Chipfu,  
 bụ Nnajịuphu anyi.

Ọo l'ime ngu bẹ mu gbabarụ

- je anodu ezeru ndzụ.  
 Jiko te enwukwaru mu  
 haaru ọnwu.
- <sup>9</sup> Menaan ḡe mu ta adalahụ l'onyà,  
 ẹphe gbaberu mu;  
 mbụ l'igbudu,  
 ndu ẹjo-iphe t̄uru doberu mu.
- <sup>10</sup> Ḡe ndu ẹjo-iphe dalahukwa  
 l'ugbu, ẹphe geberu.  
 Ḡe mb̄edua ghata ph̄e g'o t̄o  
 dù iphe, e-me mu nụ.

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*Évù, Dévidi kwaru teke o  
 no l'ogba epfu anụ Chileke*

- <sup>1</sup> Mu chiru mkpu chishia ya  
 ike chiku Chipfu.  
 Iphe, mu chidoru mkpu ono  
 bụ g'o meeru mu  
 eze-iphe-oma.
- <sup>2</sup> Mu woru iphe, atsụ mu  
 l'ehu woru dooru iya;  
 mbụ lę mu woru iphe-ehuka,  
 mu eje g'o ha dokotaru iya.
- <sup>3</sup> Teke ike abvükpowá mu  
 abvübvu bụ gübuedua  
 aboru mu uzo.  
 L'uzo, mu eshikpoo eshishi  
 bę ndiphe gbakaerupho  
 ónyà ḡe mu nmalahụ.
- <sup>4</sup> Lenaa ẹnya l'ekutara mu;  
 h̄uma l'o t̄o dùdu onye

akpa mu ishi.  
 Mu te nwedu ẹka bụ:  
 mu -gbabata iya;  
 mu anodu iya zee ndzụ;  
 noo kеле ọ to dudu onye  
 akpa ndzụ mu ishi.  
<sup>5</sup> Ọ bụru gube Chipfu bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
 mu chikuru lẹ mkpu.  
 Mu sụru-a: “Qo l'ime ngu  
 bẹ mu anoduje ezeru ndzụ;  
 teme ọ bụru ngu bụ  
 okiphe nkemu l'alị ndu  
 nọ ndzụ.”  
<sup>6</sup> Ngabenu nchị nüma mkpu,  
 mu echi;  
 kèle ọ dürü iphe,  
 atsushikpo mu l'ehu ike.  
 Jiko nafutanu mu l'eka  
 ndu achị mu lẹ njo;  
 kèle ẹphe ka mu ọkpahu.  
<sup>7</sup> Gbafutanu mu lẹ mkporo-a,  
 mu nọ-a;  
 k'ophu mu e-kele ngu  
 ekele iya.  
 Qo ya bụ gẹ ndu pfuberekoto  
 anó-phee mu mgburugburu;  
 noo kèle i nwụbenukaru  
 mu ẹnya.

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*Ebvu-oma, Dévidi deru*

<sup>1</sup> Gube Chipfu;  
 nümanu epfupfu, mu epfu

anụ ngu.

Ngabẹnu nchị nụma mkpu,  
mu echi sụ g'i meeru  
mu eze-iphe-ọma.

Eshinu ị bụ onye pfuberekoto  
bya aburu onye apfushije  
ike l'iphe, i pfuru;  
jiko zanụ mu ẹnu!

<sup>2</sup> Jiko te ekpeshinu mübe  
onye-ozị ngu ikpe;  
kele ọ tọ dudu nemadzụ,  
dzụ ndzụ, pfuberekoto  
l'iphu ngu.

<sup>3</sup> Onye ọhogu mu chịru  
mu gude;  
bya echita mu tụa l'alị;  
bya emee mu;  
mu nọdu l'eka gbakotaru  
Ọchii g'akahụ maa,  
nwụhuru le ndiche.

<sup>4</sup> Noo g'o gude ike wata  
mu abvụbvụ.

Obu wata mu akụ photophoto.

<sup>5</sup> Mu nyata g'o shi aduje  
teke ndiche.

Mu bya anọdu ngguingguji  
rịaħaa iphe, bükpo iphe,  
i mekotaru anyi;  
bya elerwebaa ẹnya ree  
l'iphemiphe,  
i gude eka ngu mee.

<sup>6</sup> Mu chiliaru ngu eka mu labọ  
imeli.

Ẹgu ngu gụahaa obu mu  
g'egu-mini anọduje agụ  
ali-ọkponku-a.

<sup>7</sup> Zanụ mu ẹnu ẹgwegwa jiko  
Chipfu;  
kélé ike abvụwaa mu l'ele  
ẹnya ngu.

Be domikwaru mu iphu  
ngu edomi;  
ọdumeka bẹ mu a-dükwa  
gẹ ndu e liru l'ilu.

<sup>8</sup> O -rwutashịa echele gẹ<sup>7</sup>  
mu nümanu opfu,  
a-nodu akọru mu kẹ  
n-yemobu ngu;  
kélé ọo ngu bẹ mu dakoberu.

Jiko goshinụ mu ụzo,  
mu e-shije;  
kélé ọo l'eka i nọ bẹ obu  
mu nọ.

<sup>9</sup> Nafutanu mu l'eka ndu ọhogu  
mu phẹ jiko Chipfu;  
kélé ọo l'ime ngu bẹ mu  
domiru onwomu.

<sup>10</sup> Zia mu iphe, bụ uche ngu  
gẹ mu meje;  
kélé ọo ngu bụ Chileke mu.

Jiko gẹ Unme nkengu,  
bụ ọkpobe Unme ono  
dunaa mu shia ụzo,  
pfụru nhamụnha.

<sup>11</sup> Kebenu ndzụ mu l'ọma jiko  
Chipfu; g'epha ngu apfụru.

Gudenü apfübekoto  
 nkengu nafuta mu  
 l'iphe-ehuka-a, mu eje-a.  
<sup>12</sup> Gudenü kèle i yeru mu obu;  
 mee g'önü bürü ndu əhogu  
 mu kpürukudukuu.  
 L'i tuko ndu achị mu lẹ njo  
 g'ephe ha mee g'ephe  
 bürü mkpurupyata;  
 noo kèle mu bu  
 onye ejeru ngu ozi.

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*Ebvü, Dévidi deru*

<sup>1</sup> G'e tua Chipfu,  
 bu agbara-mkpuma  
 mu əpha.  
 Ọo yəbedua ezi mu  
 g'eka shihu mu ike l'ogu;  
 mbụ l'oo yəbedua  
 ezi mkpushi-eka mu  
 g'aalwuje ogu.  
<sup>2</sup> Chileke yeru mu obu;  
 teme ọ bürü onye mu  
 agbabaje l'ime iya je  
 edomia ndzụ mu.  
 Ọ bu onye egbobutajé mu nụ;  
 bya abükwarupho onye  
 adzoje mu nụ;  
 teme ọ nödu emeje  
 ünwü-eliphe g'ephe  
 nödu mu lẹ mkpula.  
<sup>3</sup> Gube Chipfu; ?bu gunu be

nemadzụ bụ kẹ g'i  
rivuje iya?

?Bụ gunu bẹ ụnwu-eliphe  
bụ kẹ g'i letajẹ phẹ ẹnya?

<sup>4</sup> Nemadzụ duepho g'udzu  
ọnua.

Eswe ndzụ iya aduje g'ibvù  
oshi, abujeru;  
o -kpoo ụpfu nwanshị  
l'a húma-buhu iya.

<sup>5</sup> Chijanaa igwe tarara  
jiko Chipfu.

Shi l'eka ono nyizeta bya  
apfuru l'eli úbvú;  
g'úbvú awata akpụ  
tütutuutuu.

<sup>6</sup> Tụnaa egbigwe gude chikashia  
ndu ọhogu mu achikashi.

Gbaa phẹ apfụ ngu gude  
mebyishia phẹ.

<sup>7</sup> Gbenu l'ephekerephe eka ono,  
i nọ ono machia eka  
dzota mu.

Nafuta mu l'echi  
asogaso-ẹnyimu;  
mbụ l'eka ndu shi ọhozo.

<sup>8</sup> Ndu bụ iphe,  
jiru phẹ ọnua pyimu bụ  
adzụ ụka;  
teme erekutara phẹ bürü iphe,  
ephe egudeje iya eme  
bụ ụghoshi.

<sup>9</sup> Mu a-gụ ebvu ọphúú nụ

- ngu gube Chileke.  
 O buru ogelenda,  
   a kparu l'udo iri be mu  
   a-ku gude guaru ngu  
   ebvu obu;  
<sup>10</sup> mbu gube onye emeje g'eze  
   lwua ogu lwu-kpee;  
   bya aburu onye anafutaje  
   onye-ozi iya,  
   bu Dévidi g'e te gude  
   ogu-echi nmagbua ya.
- <sup>11</sup> Jiko dzonaa mu!  
   Nafutanu mu l'eka ndu  
   ohozo;  
   mbu ndu bu iphe,  
   ejije phē onu pyimu bu  
   adzu uka;  
   tēme ékutara phē buru iphe,  
   ephe egudeje iya eme  
   bu ughoshi.
- <sup>12</sup> Mee g'unwu nwa nwoke,  
   anyi nwuru du g'iphe,  
   a kuru akuku teke ephe  
   bu nwata.
- G'ephe du g'iphe,  
   a kuru akuku,  
   e letaru enya mee g'o vu  
   okpobe evuvu.
- Tēme l'i mee g'unwu anyi  
   nwanyi du g'igbulu,  
   a kpuru; o nodu ama mma;  
   e gude iya mee unuphu  
   ibe eze;

o nodu ama ntumatu.  
<sup>13</sup> L'i mekwapho ge nri,  
 dulaje iche iche ji ọba  
 anyi ejiji.  
 Teme l'i mekwapho g'aturu  
 anyi zushia azuzu ike;  
 k'ophu oogudeje ụnubuku  
 aturu ka shii apha  
 g'apha l'egu adobeje iya.  
<sup>14</sup> Eswi anyi eshihujekwapho  
 ike vuje oke ivu.  
 Etsukposhi igbulo mkpukpu  
 anyi ta aduhedu.  
 Ọphu o duedu ndu  
 akpukwadu anyi le ndzụ;  
 ọphu o dukwa iphe,  
 e-me k'ophu aa-ra ejo  
 ekwa tsoru uzo ndu anyi.  
<sup>15</sup> Ehu-utso be a goru nu ndu  
 o du nno l'ibe phẹ.  
 Ehu-utso be a goru nu ndu  
 Chileke phẹ  
 bu Chipfu.

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### *Ebvu-ekele, Dévidi deru*

<sup>1</sup> Mu a-nodu ekutse gube  
 Chileke mu, bu eze.  
 Mu a-nodu etu ngu ẹpha jasụ  
 l'ojejoje.  
<sup>2</sup> Mu a-nodu etu ngu ẹpha  
 mbóku-mbóku.  
 Mu a-ja ngu ajaja jasụ

lẹ tuutuutuu lẹ  
mịimiimii.

- <sup>3</sup> Chipfu parụ eka;  
o bụru iya bẹ o gbaru  
g'a kachaa etu əpha.  
G'o habe shii ta adudu onye  
suru iya amaęberu.
- <sup>4</sup> Ogbo, nọn u a-nodu atujeru  
ogbo,  
etso phẹ nụ ọn u iphemiphe,  
iimekota.  
Ephe a-kojeru phẹ iphe,  
dụ biribiri, iimeje.
- <sup>5</sup> Ephe a-nodu atu ọn u  
g'iigbube nwijinwii  
waa g'akwabẹ ùbvù ngu  
habe shii.  
Mbędua a-nodu ngguingguji  
rịa g'iphe,  
iime dù-be biribiri.
- <sup>6</sup> Ephe a-nodu atu ọn u g'ike  
dụ-be l'ozi, dù biribiri, iiye.  
Mbędua atukwapho ọn u iphe,  
parụ eka iimekotaje.
- <sup>7</sup> G'ephe ha a-tuko pfukashịa  
g'i dù-be ree.  
Ephe abya egude ehu-ütso gúa  
apfubekoto ngu l'ebvu.
- <sup>8</sup> Chipfu bụ onye emeje  
eze-iphe-oma bya abụru  
onye aphuje obu-imemini.  
Ehu te eghujedu iya eghu  
egwegwa;

teme o nodu eyeje obu  
yegharu iya ẹka.

<sup>9</sup> Chipfu nwuberu onyemonye  
ẹnya.

Iphemiphe, o mekporu ememe  
bẹ oophujeru obu-imemini.

<sup>10</sup> Iphemiphe, i meru ememe  
a-nodu aja ngu ajaja  
gube Chipfu.

Ndu duru ngu nsọ a-nodu etu  
ngu ẹpha.

<sup>11</sup> Ephe a-tụ ọnụ g'eka i bụ eze  
dụ-be biribiri;  
bya atụa ọnụ g'okpehu ngu  
habe shii;

<sup>12</sup> k'ophu onyemonye  
a-makotaru iphe,  
paru ẹka iimeje;  
bya amakwarupho g'eka,  
i bụ eze dụ-be akpabiri.

<sup>13</sup> Ii-buru eze jasụ l'ojejoje;  
bya achịa; e -shi l'ogbo  
sweru ogbo.

Chipfu bụ onye apfushije ike  
l'iphemiphe, o kweru  
ukwe iya;  
teme o yekota iphemiphe,  
o meru ememe obu.

<sup>14</sup> Iphe, bukpo ndu abyà  
ada iko bẹ Chipfu abujeru  
agbarike phẹ;  
bya apalije ndu e wozeru ali.

<sup>15</sup> G'ephe ha atukoje ele ngu

enya l'eka;  
teme i nodu anujekwanu  
phę nri l'orwuberu iya.

- <sup>16</sup> Iisaje obochi-eka ngu  
gude mee g'ephō ji  
iphemiphe, nō ndzu.
- <sup>17</sup> Chipfu pfuberekoto  
l'iphemiphe, oome;  
teme o yee iphemiphe,  
o meru ememe obu.
- <sup>18</sup> Chipfu anoduje ndu rakuru  
iya nū ntse;  
mbu ndu gude ire-lanu  
raku iya.
- <sup>19</sup> Ndu atsū iya ebvu bę<sup>1</sup>  
oomejeru iphe, agu phę nū;  
teme o nodu anumaje mkpu,  
ephę echi je adzota phę.
- <sup>20</sup> Onyemonye yeru Chipfu  
obu bę qonoduje eche nche;  
obenu lę ndu ejo-iphe bę  
oo-mebyishikota.
- <sup>21</sup> Qnu mu bę mu e-gude etu  
Chipfu ępha.  
G'iphemiphe, o meru dobe  
lę mgboko kelejekwa  
iya ekele jasū lę tuutuutuu  
lę mijimiimii.

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- <sup>1</sup> Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.  
Obu mu; jiko jaa Chipfu ajaja.  
<sup>2</sup> Mu a-nodu aja Chipfu ajaja

jasụ gẹ mu a-nọ-beru.  
 Mu a-nodu agụ ebvu gude  
 etu Chileke mu ẹpha  
 jasuru asuru.

- <sup>3</sup> Ba kpokwaru obu yeru  
 ndu-ishi;  
 mbụ nemadzụ mmanụ,  
 ta adụdu ike adzota  
 ndzụ nemadzụ.
- <sup>4</sup> Ndu abụjeru; unme,  
 nọ phẹ l'ime -phefuwa;  
 ẹphe alaphu azụ je  
 abụru ejá.

Ọ bürü mbọku ono gedege  
 bẹ iphe,  
 ẹphe chiru idzu ememe  
 abvükotaje.

- <sup>5</sup> Ehu-ütso bẹ a goru nụ onye bụ  
 Chileke kẹ Jiékopu bẹ  
 eyejeru iya eka;  
 mbụ onye bụ eka obu iya  
 aduje bụ lẹ Chipfu,  
 bụ Chileke iya;
- <sup>6</sup> mbụ Chileke ono,  
 bụ onye meru igwe mee ali;  
 bya emee eze-enyimu;  
 waa iphemiphe, nọ iya nụ;  
 bya abụru onye apfushije  
 ike l'ire-lanụ jasụ l'ojejoje.

- <sup>7</sup> Ndu eeme ewere bẹ  
 oohajeru enge;  
 teme ọ nodu anuje ndu  
 ęgu agụ nri.

Chipfu emeje gę ndu a  
turu mkporo nweru  
onwophę.

<sup>8</sup> Chipfu emeje gę ndu  
atsụ ishi wata aphụ uzo.  
Ookulije ndu e wozeru ali;  
teme ọ nodu eyeje ndu  
pfuberekoto obu.

<sup>9</sup> Chipfu anođuje eche ndu  
lwarụ alwalwa nche.  
Ọ bürü iya egudeje ndzụ  
ndu enwedu nna yęe  
uwanyi, ji phę anođedu;  
obenu l'uzo ndu ejo-iphe  
bę oogbuchije.

<sup>10</sup> Chipfu a-buru eze jasụ l'ojejoje;  
mbụ lę Chileke kę gübę  
Zayonu a-bürü eze;  
e -shi l'ogbo sweru ogbo.  
Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.

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<sup>1</sup> Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.  
Agụ ebvu gude ekele Chileke  
anyi ekele du ree.  
Aja Chipfu ajaja bụ iphe  
ęhu-ütso; bya abürü iphe,  
rwuberu iya nụ.

<sup>2</sup> Oo Chipfu gude ęka iya  
akpụ Jierúsalemu.  
Nta-a bę o rwutawaru ndu  
Ízurelu, a kpuru lę ndzụ  
gude alwaphuta azụ.

<sup>3</sup> O bụ onye emeje gẹ ndu obu  
phẹ tsuru gwogiri-gwogiri  
nodu ndzụ;  
teme ọ nodu asachajẹ phẹ  
ónyá eka e mekarụ  
phẹ iphe.

<sup>4</sup> Oo ya gụru kpokpode ọgu  
maru ole, ọ gbaru g'ọ du;  
bya agukota phẹ ẹpha  
l'ehu l'ehu.

<sup>5</sup> Chipfu k'anyi parụ eka;  
teme ike iya bụru ike,  
nyíberu anyíbe.

Nkwamẹnya nkiya ta adụdu  
onye súru atụ ọnụ g'ọ  
habe shii.

<sup>6</sup> Oo Chipfu gude ndzụ ndu  
wozeru onwophẹ ali;  
obenu lẹ ndu ejo-iphe bẹ  
oochitajẹ tụa l'ali.

<sup>7</sup> Unu gunaa ebvu gude kele  
Chipfu ekele.

Unu gudenụ une kụaru  
Chileke anyi nkwa.

<sup>8</sup> Oo ya gude urwukpu  
kwechia akpaminigwe  
l'ophu.

Ọ nodu edzejeru eliphe mini;  
bya emeje g'eswa rwushia  
l'eli úbvú.

<sup>9</sup> Oo ya anụ iphe-edobe nri;  
bya abụru iya anuje ụnwụ  
okpoko-óhà nri m'ephe

- raa órà iya.
- 10 Ọ tọ bụdu ike, dù l'inya emeje  
g'ehu tsọo ya ụtso;  
ophu ọ bụdu apata-ókpa  
nemadzụ emeje g'ehu  
tsọo ya ụtso.
- 11 Ndu emeje g'ehu tsọo Chipfu  
ụtso bụ ndu atsụ iya ebvu;  
mbụ ndu bụ eka ẹnya  
phẹ aduje bụ lẹ n-yemobu  
Chileke.
- 12 Gube Jierúsalemu;  
janaa Chipfu ajaja.  
Tunaa Chileke ngu ẹpha  
gube Zayonu.
- 13 Kele ọọ ya emeje g'okpokuu  
ọnụ-abata ngu shihu ike;  
teme ọ nọdu agojeru ọnụ-oma  
nụ ndu nọ ngu l'ime.
- 14 Oomeje gẹ nchị dù doo  
l'oke alị ngu l'ophu;  
teme ọ nọdu egudeje  
okpobe ereshi azụ-ji  
ngu ẹpho.
- 15 Ọo iphe, ọ sụru g'o mee  
l'eliphe emeje.  
Opfu ngu abujeru; epfuzeta,  
iipfuzeta iya l'ọ tukọ  
mgboko l'ophu ngadzuru.
- 16 Ọ bụ onye ewojeru  
aka-mini-sunoo phushi  
g'onye phushiru ukpo;  
bya eworu ijimini

phekaa l'o dzuru ẹkameka  
g'onye phürü ntụ.

<sup>17</sup> Ookpotajé akamini jịa g'onye  
jíru ejá.

?Bu onye a-dụ ike nodu g'oyi  
akamini ono tsụa ya?

<sup>18</sup> Qlobule-a opfu-ọnụ bẹ<sup>1</sup>  
oopfuye;  
akamini ono adazehu.  
Oomeje gẹ pherephere  
wata ezizi.

Pherephere ono -ziahäephō;  
akamini ono adazehu wata  
asø asøso.

<sup>19</sup> Opfu iya bẹ o kpuhawaru  
goshi Jiékopu;  
mbụ l'ikpe, o kperu;  
yẹe iphe, ọ tọru ọkpa iya  
sụ g'e tsoje bẹ o  
kpuhawaru goshi Ízurelu.

<sup>20</sup> O tọ dudu ọhozo, o mejewaru  
egube ono.

Ndu k'ono ta amadụ ikpe,  
o kpewaru dobe.

Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.

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<sup>1</sup> Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.

Unu shi l'imigwe jaa Chipfu  
ajaja.

Unu nodu l'eka kachaa  
ephekerekhe jaa ya  
ajaja.

**2** Unubẹ ụnwu ojozi iya l'ophu;  
unu jaa ya ajaja.

G'iphe, bükpo ojogu imigwe  
l'ophu jaa ya ajaja.

**3** Unu jaa ya ajaja;  
unubẹ ẹnyanwu yee ọnwa.

Unu jaa ya ajaja;  
unubẹ kpokpode,  
egbu nwịinwii.

**4** Unu jaa ya ajaja;  
unubẹ akpaminigwe;  
mékpo unubẹ mini,  
nogharu akpaminigwe  
anogha.

**5** Unu tuko g'unu ha jaa Chipfu  
ajaja;  
kеле ọo ya sürü g'unu dù;  
unu dù.

**6** O bụru iya sürü unu l'ọwa-a  
eka unu a-nodugbaa  
baa.

O bụru eka o sürü g'unu  
nodu bẹ unu nogbaa.

Unu je a-nodu iya jasụ l'ojejoje.

Iphe ono, o toru ọkpaa iya  
ono ta abyadụ echihu  
echihu.

**7** Unu nodunu l'eliphe jaa  
Chipfu ajaja;  
unubẹ iphe, dugbaa biribiri,  
o meshiru dobe l'eze-ẹnyimu;  
waa ọphu nogbaa le  
mini-ime-alị.

- <sup>8</sup> Unu jakwapho Chipfu ajaja;  
 unubę egbigwe;  
 mę aka-mini-sunoo;  
 mękpoo urwukpu;  
 waa oke pherephere,  
 emeje iphe, o pfuru.
- <sup>9</sup> Unubę oke úbvú mę iphe,  
 bụ úbvú nshii; waa oshi-omı;  
 mękpoo oshi sida;  
 unu jakwaa ya pho ajaja.
- <sup>10</sup> G'anu-egbudu; mę iphe-edobe;  
 waa ụnwehu; mękpoo ẹnu,  
 ephe l'eli tükokwapho  
 jaa ya ajaja.
- <sup>11</sup> Unubę ndu eze, nō l'eliphe;  
 mę unubę iphe, bụ ọhamoha;  
 waa unubę ndu-ishii;  
 mę iphe,  
 bụ ndu eze mgboko l'ophu;
- <sup>12</sup> mę unubę ụnwokorobya;  
 waa unubę ụnwumgboko;  
 teme waa unubę ndu bụ  
 ọgerenya mę ụnwegirima;  
 unu jajékwa iya  
 pho ajaja.
- <sup>13</sup> Unu tuko g'unu ha jaa Chipfu  
 ajaja;  
 kélé oo əpha iya kpoloko  
 bụ əpha, kakota l'eli.  
 Ọdu-biribiri iya dagharu  
 mgboko l'ophu bya  
 adaghaa imigwe.
- <sup>14</sup> O meru g'onye ike dù fütaru

ndu nkiya.  
 Ọ bụru onye ono bẹ ndu  
 dụru iya nsọ,  
 bụ ndu Ízurelu anọduje  
 aja ajaja ono;  
 mbụ ndu ono,  
 dù iya l'obu ono.  
 Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.

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- <sup>1</sup> Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.  
 Unu gụa ebvu ọphúú nụ  
 Chipfu.  
 Unu gụa ebvu gude jaa ya  
     ajaja l'eka ndu dụru  
     iya nsọ dzuköberu.
- <sup>2</sup> Gẹ ndu Ízurelu tee ẹswa  
     l'eka onye meru phẹ nụ.  
 G'onye eze ndu Zayọnụ mee  
     g'ehu tsọ phẹ ụtso.
- <sup>3</sup> G'ephe tuko gude ete ebvu  
     jaa ẹpha iya ajaja.  
 Teme ẹphe egude nkwa yee  
     une gude gụa ebvu  
     nụ iya;
- <sup>4</sup> noo kélé Chipfu bẹ ndibe  
     iya dù l'obu.  
 Ndu wozero onwophẹ ali  
     bẹ ookpubeje ndzọta  
     g'okpu-eze.
- <sup>5</sup> Gẹ ndu dụru Chileke nsọ teje  
     ẹswa l'egube úbvú ọwa-a,  
     a kwabẹru phẹ-a.

Teme ẹphe agukwapho ebvu  
 ehu-ụtso m'ephe zé azee  
 l'iphe-azee phé.

<sup>6</sup> G'aja Chileke ajaja bürü iphe,  
 ẹphe a-kpuru l'önü.

Teme ẹphe atsua ogu-echi,  
 atsú akpatiphu labo l'eka;  
<sup>7</sup> gude iya je agwata ndu  
 ọhozo ụgwo iphe,  
 ẹphe meru phé;  
 bya egude iya nüa  
 ünwü-eliphe aphü.

<sup>8</sup> Teme ẹphe egudekwa iya  
 pho tüa ndu eze  
 phé egbirigba;  
 mbü tüa ndu nweru  
 enya mkporo.

<sup>9</sup> Oo ya bụ g'ephe eshi nno  
 meebekota iphe,  
 onye-ikpe deru l'ekwo  
 su g'ephe mee ndu ọhogu  
 phé ono.

Qwa-a bụ iphe, o gude kwabé  
 ndu dürü iya nsó  
 ono ùbvù.

Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.

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<sup>1</sup> Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.  
 Unu nödu l'ulo Chileke,  
 dù nsó jaa ya ajaja.  
 Unu nödu l'imigwe,  
 o gude ọkpehu iya mee

- jaa ya ajaja.  
<sup>2</sup> Unu jaa ya ajaja k'iphe,  
 parụ eka o meshigbaru.  
 Unu jaa ya ajaja;  
 kélé apa eka nkiya  
 nyíberu anyíbe.  
<sup>3</sup> Unu gbua opu gude jaa  
 ya ajaja.  
 Unu akpoo une yee ogelenda  
 gude jaa ya ajaja.  
<sup>4</sup> Unu kúa nkwa tee ebvu  
 gude jaa ya ajaja.  
 Unu kúa ogelenda phüa ụpyi  
 gude jaa ya ajaja.  
<sup>5</sup> Unu kúa eze ogena,  
 ada dunguu-dunguu  
 gude jaa ya ajaja.  
 Unu egude ogena,  
 ada gengugengu gude  
 jaa ya ajaja.  
<sup>6</sup> G'iphemiphe, bükpoo iphe,  
 atú unme tükó jaa  
 Chipfu ajaja.  
 Unu jaa Chipfu ajaja.

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