

## **Iyyoba Maxaafa Gaatha Qofa**

Iyyoba maxaafan be7iya taarikey, daro waayenne metoy gakida issi xillo asa taarike. Iyyobinne iya laggeti he waayiya gaason bantaw si7etidaba ginxon qoncisia heedzu odata be7oos.

Iyyoba laggeti Iyyoba gakida metuwaba, benipe eriya banta ammanuwa wogan zempidi qofa immoosona. Hessa gisho, enti, “Xoossay xillo asas lo77oba immees; shin iita asi seerees. Iyyoba ha waaye ubbay gakiday, I nagara oothida gishosa” yaagosona. Iyyobi geeshshinne xillo asi gidida gisho, hessa mela seeri bessiya ase gidenna. Gidoshin, hessa mela waayey iya ayis gakidaako Iyyobi eranaw danda7ibeenna. Iyyoba ammanoy qaaxonna ixikoka, suure pirda immidi, bana la77a kessana melanne beni iya de7uwako zaarana mela, minthidi Xoosse woossis.

Xoossay oychida oyshaas Iyyobi zaaro immanaw danda7onna ixikoka, iya ammano minotetha nashshidi, ba wolqaanne cincatetha malaalsiya ogen qoncisis. Hessafe guye, Iyyobi Xoossay gita gideysanne cinca gideysa eridi, minotethinne hanqoy kumida qaalata odetida gisho qiirotidi maarota oychis.

Wursethan Iyyobi beni de7uwako simmidaysanne iya aquwa kaseysafe dako darsidaysa odees. Iyyoba laggeti iya gakida metoy awura yidaako entaw geliboonna gisho, Xoossay enta bolla hanqetis. Meeze ammano

qofape aathidi Xoossay gita gideysa eriday Iyyoba xalaala.

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### *Iyyoba Paacetetha*

<sup>1</sup> Uxe biittan Iyyoba geetetiya issi asi de7ees; I borey bayna asi, suure asi, Xoosse yayyiyanne iitabaape haakida asi.

<sup>2</sup> Iyaw laapun adde naytinne heedzu macca nayti de7oosona.

<sup>3</sup> Iyaw laapun mukulu dorsati, heedzu mukulu gimaleti, ichashu xeetu waatha boorati, ichashu xeetu macca haretinne daro aylleti de7oosona. Doloha bagga biittan de7iya asa ubbaafe I aadhida dure asi.

<sup>4</sup> Iya adde nayti banta son son gibira giigisidi, banta heedzu micheta xeegidi issife moosonanne uyoosona.

<sup>5</sup> Gibira gallasati poletiya wode Iyyobi ba nayta xeegisidi, “Ooni eri ta nayti banta wozanan Xoosse baaddidi nagara oothonna aggokona” gidi wonta guura dendidi, entana geeshshanaw ba nayta issuwa issuwa sunthaa xeegidi xuussa yarsho yarshees. Iyyobi hessa ubba wode oothees.

*Iyyoba Koyro Paacetetha*

<sup>6</sup> Issi gallas kiitanchoti Godaa sinthan bentanaw yidosona; Xalaheyka qassi entara yis.

<sup>7</sup> Goday Xalahiyako, “Neeni awupe yadii?” yaagis.

Xalahey, “Taani sa7a ubban yaanne haanne yuyashe gam7as” yaagidi zaaris.

<sup>8</sup> Goday Xalahiyako, “Yaatin, neeni ta aylliya Iyyoba loytha be7adii? Sa7a bolla iya melaa borey bayna asi, suure asi, Xoosse yayyiyanne iitabaape haakida asi baawa” yaagis.

<sup>9</sup> Xalahey zaaridi, “Tuma Iyyobi Xoossas coo yayyii?

<sup>10</sup> Iyanne iya soo asaa, iyaw de7iyaba ubbaa neeni dirada naagabikii? I oothiya ooso ubbaa neeni anjida gisho iya mehe wudey biitta ubbaa bolla daris.

<sup>11</sup> Shin neeni ne kushiya yeddada, iyaw de7iya aquwa ubbaa shociyako, tuma I nena som7on baaddana” yaagis.

<sup>12</sup> Goday Xalahiyako, “Ero lo77o, iyaw de7iyaba ubbay ne kushena, shin iya bochofa” yaagis. Hes-safe guye, Xalahey Godaa sinthafe keyidi bis.

<sup>13</sup> Issi gallas Iyyoba adde naytinne macca nayti banta bayra ishaa son moosonanne woyne ushshi uyoosona.

<sup>14</sup> Issi kiitetida asi Iyyobako yidi, “Nuuni boorata waaxidi goyishin, haretika nu matan mishin,

<sup>15</sup> Saaba biitta asati akeekona yidi ola kes-sidi, ubbaa bongidi ekidosona; qassi aylletaka mashshan wodhidosa. Yaatin, taani ta xalaala attada ha hanidaba new odanaw yas” yaagis.

<sup>16</sup> I burroo odishin hara asi yidi, “Salope tami wodhidi dorsatanne heemmeyisata mis. Yaatin, taani ta xalaala attada ha hanidaba new odanaw yas” yaagis.

<sup>17</sup> I burroo odishin hara asi yidi, “Kaldaaweti heedzu cugan shaaketidi yidi, nuna olidi gimaleta ubbaa eki bidosona; aylletaka mashshan wodhidosona. Yaatin, taani ta xalaala attada ha hanidaba new odanaw yas” yaagis.

<sup>18</sup> I burroo odishin, hara asi yidi, “Ne adde naytinne macca nayti banta bayra ishaa son misheenne woyne ushshi uyishee de7ishin,

<sup>19</sup> wolqaama gotey akekona mela biittafe dendidi, keethaa shocin, keethay enta bolla kundidi nayta wodhis. Yaatin, taani ta xalaala attada ha hanidaba new odanaw yas” yaagis.

<sup>20</sup> Hessafe guye, Iyyobi dendidi, kayos ba ma7uwa pheedhis; ba huuphiya buluusis; biittan gufannidi goyinnishe,

<sup>21</sup> “Taani ta aaye ulope kallo yeletas;  
hayqasheka taani kallo baana;  
Goday immis; Goday zaaridi ekis;  
Godaa sunthay galatetto” yaagis.

<sup>22</sup> Ha ubbanka Iyyobi nagaraa oothibeenna;  
Xoossa bolla iitaba odetibeenna.

## 2

### *Iyyoba Nam7antho Paacetetha*

<sup>1</sup> Hara gallas kiitanchoti Godaa sinthan bentanaw yidosona; Xalaheyka qassi entara issife iya sinthan bentanaw yis.

<sup>2</sup> Goday Xalahiyako, “Neeni awupe yadii?” yaagis.

Xalahey Godaako, “Taani sa7a ubban yaanne haanne yuuyashe gam7as” yaagis.

<sup>3</sup> Goday Xalahiyako, “Neeni ta aylliya Iyyoba loythada be7adii? Sa7a bolla iya mela borey bayna asi, suure asi, Xoosse yayyiyanne iitabaape haakida asi baawa. Gaasoy bayna taani iya dhaysana mela ne tana denthethinka ha77i gakanaw I ba suuretethan minnidi eqis” yaagis.

<sup>4</sup> Xalahey zaaridi, “Ne shempoy atto” asi geysada asi ba shempuwa gisho baw de7iyaba ubbaa immees.

<sup>5</sup> Shin, “Neeni ne kushiya yeddada iya asatethaa bochiyako, I nena tuma som7on baaddana” yaagis.

<sup>6</sup> Goday Xalahiyako, “Ero lo77o, iya wodhopafe attishin, iya bolla ne koydaba oothanaw danda7aasa” yaagis.

<sup>7</sup> Hessafe guye, Xalahey Godaa sinthafe keyidi, Iyyoba tohope huuphe gakanaw iita madunthan kaa7etana mela oothis.

<sup>8</sup> Iyyobi bido bolla uttidi kon7an bana goodis.

<sup>9</sup> Iya machiya, “Ha77i gakanawuka neeni ne suuretetha mintha oykadii? Xoossa baaddada hayqaaga” yaagasu.

<sup>10</sup> Iyyobi zaaridi, “Neeni eeya maccasada waanada odetay? Nuuni Xoossaafe lo77oba eki gam7idi, iitabay gakiya wode ekokoyee?” yaagis.

Ha waaye ubban Iyyobi Xoossa bolla iitabaa odetibeenna.

### *Heedzu Iyyoba Laggeta*

<sup>11</sup> Heedzu Iyyoba laggeti, Temaana biittafe Elfaazi, Shuuha biittafe Beldadoosinne Na7ima biitta asi gidida Soofari Iyyoba bolla gakida

metuwa si7ida wode iyaw qadhetanawunne minthethanaw issife iyako yidosona.

<sup>12</sup> Enti iya haahon eqidi xeelliya wode I Iyyoba gideysa eribookona. Guyepe iya gideysa erida wode banta qaala dhoqu oothidi yekidosona; banta ma7uwa peedhidi, banta huuphen baana qolidosona.

<sup>13</sup> Enti iyara laapun gallasinne laapun qamma biittan uttidosona. Enti iya waayey keehi daro gideysa be7ida gisho oonika iya odisibeenna.

### 3

#### *Iyyoba Haasaya*

<sup>1-2</sup> Hessafe guye, Iyyobi ba doona dooyidi, ba yeletida gallasaa haysada yaagidi baaddis.

<sup>3</sup> “Taani qanthatida qammaynne  
yeletida gallasay baadetidaba gido!

<sup>4</sup> He gallasay dhuman laameto!  
Salo Xoossay he gallasaa qopofo;  
iya bolla poo7oyka poo7opo.

<sup>5</sup> Sakana dhuminne caagani iya goozo;  
iya shaarrii kammo;  
iya poo7uwa dhumi qoso.

<sup>6</sup> He gallasaa qamma sakana dhumi oyko.  
Laytha giddon de7iya gallasatan taybetofo;  
ageenata taybonka gelopo.

<sup>7</sup> He qammay mayno;  
ufaysa ililsi iyan si7etofo.

<sup>8</sup> Leewataane\* denthanaw danda7eysatinne  
gallasata baaddeysati he gallasaa baaddo.

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\* **3:8 Leewataane:** Haathan de7iya wolqaama do7a.

- <sup>9</sup> He qamman bakali poo7opo;  
     poo7o naagidi demmofo;  
     wonta xalqey iyaw dolopo.
- <sup>10</sup> He gallasay taani ta aaye ulon qanthatonna  
         melanne  
         ha waayiya be7onna mela ashshiboona gisho  
         baadetidaysa gido.
- <sup>11</sup> “Taani ta aaye ulon haatha gidida gidarkina!  
         Ta aaye ulope yeleta wodhida mela hayqida  
         gidarkina!
- <sup>12</sup> Ta aayiya tana ayis ba ki7on ekadesha?  
         Ba dhanthaaka tana ayis dhanthadesha?
- <sup>13</sup> He wode taani hayqidaba gidiyako,  
         ha77i taani shempada dhiskana shin!
- <sup>14</sup> Ha77i laaletida bessata bantaw keexida,  
         ha sa7aa kawotaranne zoreysatara,  
<sup>15</sup> enta keethan worqaynne biray kumida ha-  
         laqatara  
         issife duufon zin7anashin!
- <sup>16</sup> Woyko bosha gididi yeletida na7ada,  
         gallasa poo7o be7iboona yooga na7ada biitta  
         giddon ayis qosetabikina?
- <sup>17</sup> Duufon iitati banta iita ooso aggoosona;  
         yan daaburanchoti shempoosona.
- <sup>18</sup> He bessan qasho asati shempidi ufaytoosona;  
         enta un7etheyisata waasuwa yan si7okona.
- <sup>19</sup> Gitinne guuthi yan de7ees;  
         aylletika aylletethafe yan la77a keyoosona.
- <sup>20</sup> “Meton de7eysatas,  
         shempoy cametidaysatas,  
         poo7oy ayis imetidee?

- <sup>21</sup> Hayqo amotidi demmonaysatas,  
qottidi wothida shalope aathidi koyeysatas,  
de7oy ayis imetidee?
- <sup>22</sup> Duufo gakiya wode ufayteysatas,  
de7oy ayis imetidee?
- <sup>23</sup> Ogey dhayida uraas,  
Xoossay iya yuushuwa dirida uraas,  
poo7oy ayis imetidee?
- <sup>24</sup> Ooley taw kathi gidis;  
ta waasoy goggiya haathi gidis.
- <sup>25</sup> Taani yayyidabay ta bolla gakis;  
taani dagammidabay taw hanis.
- <sup>26</sup> Taw metope attishin,  
saroy, wopinne shempoy baawa" yaagis.

## 4

### *Elfaaza Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Temaanape yida Elfaazi zaaridi,
- <sup>2</sup> "Issi asi xaltaamidi neera odetiko neeni lancanee?  
Shin haasayonna agganay oonee?
- <sup>3</sup> Heko, neeni darota tamaarsadasa;  
argaacida kusheta minthethadasa.
- <sup>4</sup> Ne qaalay dhubetidaysata koolidi essis;  
daaburida gulbatata minthis.
- <sup>5</sup> Shin ha77i metoy nena gakin ufaysi qanxadasa;  
un7i nena teqin dagammadasa.
- <sup>6</sup> Ne Xoossaas yayyeysi nena ammanthidi wothibeennee?  
Ne suure hemethay new ufaysi gidibeennee?
- <sup>7</sup> "Ane qopa; geeshsha asi gididi dhayday oonee?  
Suure asi gididi shonetidi dhayday oonee?"

- <sup>8</sup> Ta be7idaysada, iitatethi goyidi meto zereysati,  
      iya zaaridi buucana.
- <sup>9</sup> Enti Xoossaafe keya shempon punetidi dhayana;  
      iya hanquwa lacuwan meetetana.
- <sup>10</sup> Iitati gudiya gaammo mela xaaggoosona;  
      shin enta achay meqeretis.
- <sup>11</sup> Shankatidi miyaba dhayida gaammoy  
      hayqeysada,  
      enta naytika laaleteysada iitata nayti laale-  
      tana.
- <sup>12</sup> “Issi gallas issi xuuray taako yis;  
      he xuura kalkashan ta si7as.
- <sup>13</sup> Wolqaama dhiskoy ase oykida wode  
      un7ethiya qamma amuho giddon,  
      <sup>14</sup> yashshinne kokorsi tana oykis;  
      ta meqethati kokoridosona.
- <sup>15</sup> Carkoy ta som7uwa baqidi aadhis;  
      ta dagammin ta asatethaa ikisey eqis.
- <sup>16</sup> I ta sinthan eqis;  
      shin I aybeko shaakada erabike.  
Hessafe guye, si77i gida bessafe  
      haysada giya girsa si7as.
- <sup>17</sup> ‘Hayqiya asi Xoossaa sinthan xillo gidanaw  
      danda7ii?  
      Woyko asi bana medhidaysa sinthan geeshshi  
      gidanaw danda7ii?
- <sup>18</sup> Xoossay ba aylletan ammanetonaba gidiko,  
      ba kiitanchotanka bala demmiyaba gidiko,
- <sup>19</sup> Yaatin, urqa keethan de7eysati,  
      enta de7uwa baasoy biitta gididaysati,  
      guxunepe eeson hayqeysati waananee?
- <sup>20</sup> Wonta bentidi omarsi hayqoosona;

oonika hassayonna merinaw dhayoosona.  
**21** Dhishey shodetida dafkaane mela  
 cincatethi bayna hayqoosona.’ ”

## 5

- 1** “Iyyoba, new koyana asi de7iko ane xeega!  
 Kiitanchotape oodeko ne xeellanee?”
- 2** Eeya uraa lancey wodhees;  
 akeeki bayna uraa qanaatey dhaysees.
- 3** Eeya uray minnidi de7ishin be7as;  
 shin qoponna iya keethay baadetis.
- 4** Iya nayti saroy bayna daana;  
 pirda dabaaban entaw eqiya asi bayna gisho  
 enti qohetana.
- 5** I shiishida kathaa koshatida asay maana;  
 hari attoshin aguntha giddon dolidaysaka ag-  
 gokona.  
 Saamotidaysati iya shaluwa ekanaw amot-  
 toosona.
- 6** Metoy sa7ape keyenna;  
 waayey biittafe dolenna.
- 7** Tami pinxidi wodheysada,  
 asi metos yeletis.
- 8** “Ta nena gidiyako ta Xoossako shiiqana;  
 ta mootuwaka iya sinthan wothana.
- 9** I taybetonna malaatata,  
 pilgetonna wolqaamabata oothees.
- 10** Ira biittan bukisees;  
 goshsha gadiyas haathe yeddees.
- 11** Kawushata dhoqu dhoqu oothees;  
 kayoteyisata minthethidi ufaysees.
- 12** Enta qofay poletonna mela,

- genanchota halchuwa hada oothees.
- <sup>13</sup> Cincata enta gene oosuwan oykees;  
     genanchota maquwa aathidi yeggees.
- <sup>14</sup> Gallasay entaw dhuma gidana;  
     seeta gallas dhuman hemetiya asada  
     tattafana.
- <sup>15</sup> Manqota enta morketa mashshafe ashshees;  
     enta wolqaamata kushiyape wothi ekees.
- <sup>16</sup> Hessa gisho, manqotas ufaysi de7ees;  
     geellatethi si77i oothees.”
- <sup>17</sup> “Xoossay seeriya asi anjetidaysa;  
     hessa gisho, Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossa seera  
     kadhopa.
- <sup>18</sup> I menthees, shin zaaridi koolees;  
     I madunxisees, shin iya kushey dhallees.
- <sup>19</sup> Usupun qommo qohotape I nena ashshana;  
     laapunthoy nena bochenna.
- <sup>20</sup> Kosha laythi hayqope,  
     ola wode mashshafe nena ashshees.
- <sup>21</sup> I nena iita inxarsafe naagana;  
     boshi gakiya wode yayyaka.
- <sup>22</sup> Bosha bollanne kosha bolla ne miicana;  
     bazzo do7atas yayyaka.
- <sup>23</sup> Ne goshsha biittan shuchi deenna;  
     bazzo do7atara ne saron daana.
- <sup>24</sup> Ne dunkaaney saro gideysa ne erana;  
     ne daraa ne xomoosiya wode aybika pacenna.
- <sup>25</sup> Ne yeletay daranaysanne  
     ne kochay maata mela gidanaysa ne erana.
- <sup>26</sup> Kathi wode naagidi caketeyksada,  
     neeni cimateethi kaallada duufo baana.
- <sup>27</sup> “Iyyoba, nuuni hessa ubbaa pilgidi xeellida.

Hessi tuma gidiya gisho akekada eka"  
yaagis.

## 6

### *Iyyoba Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Hessafe guye Iyyobi zaaridi,
- <sup>2</sup> Ta waayeyenne ta azzanoy ubbay  
mizaanen liketidi be7etyako,
- <sup>3</sup> Abba gaxan de7iya shafiyape aadhidi deexana;  
Hessa gisho, ta qaalay nena malaalsenashin.
- <sup>4</sup> Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossaa dongeti tana caddi-  
dosona;  
ta asatethay enta yiishsha uyees;  
Xoossaa daganthoy ta bolla salpis.
- <sup>5</sup> Harey woyko boori maati de7ishin waassiyee?
- <sup>6</sup> Mal7onna kathi maxiney gelonna meetetiyee?  
Woyko phuuphulle haathi mal7iyee?
- <sup>7</sup> Hessa mela kathi tana suukeyenna;  
hessa mela kathi ta miiko tana sakees.
- <sup>8</sup> Ta woosa Xoossi si7iyako aybee?  
Ta amuwaka taw kunthiyako aybee?
- <sup>9</sup> Xoossaa shene gidin I tana mentherethiyako,  
I ba kushiya yeddidi tana dhaysiyako,
- <sup>10</sup> Ta Geeshsha Xoossaa qaala kaddaboonna gisho,  
waayey darikoka ufaysan ta gupana.
- <sup>11</sup> Ta paxa daanaw taw ayba wolqi de7ii?  
Taw ayba ufaysi de7ishin danda7iyana?
- <sup>12</sup> Ta wolqay shucha meleyee?  
Woyko ta ashoy naase birata meleyee?
- <sup>13</sup> Taani tana maaddanaw ayba wolqi taw de7ii?  
maado demmanaw xeelliya bessika baawa.

- <sup>14</sup> Meton de7iya asi Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossas  
 yayyeysa aggikoka,  
 iya laggeti iyaw keehatethi bessanaw  
 koshshees.
- <sup>15</sup> Shin ta ishati hinte iri bukonna wode meliya  
 shaafa mela tana cimmeeta.
- <sup>16</sup> Balgo ageenan ha shaafay shachan kumees.
- <sup>17</sup> Shin boney gakiya wode shachay til7ees;  
 shaafayka melees.
- <sup>18</sup> Caana mehe laaggishe biya zal7anchoti,  
 haathe koyanaw banta ogiyape gaxa keyidi,  
 mela biittan toylatishe dhayoosona.
- <sup>19</sup> Teema biitta zal7anchoti haathe koyoosona;  
 Saaba biitta oge asati ufaysi qanxokona.
- <sup>20</sup> Enti ammanetidi koyidi dhayida gisho yiloti-  
 dosona,  
 he bessaa gakidi yeellatidosona.
- <sup>21</sup> Hinteka taw he shaafata mela gidideta;  
 tana gakida metuwa be7idi yayyideta.
- <sup>22</sup> Hanoshin ta hintena, “Taw issiba immite”  
 woyko, “Hinte shaluwara tana wozite” gadinaa?
- <sup>23</sup> “Tana ta morketa kushepe ashshite”  
 woyko, “Qadhey bayna asaa kushepe tana  
 wozite” gadinaa?
- <sup>24</sup> “Ta si77i gaana; hinte tana tamaarsite;  
 ta ay balidaako ane tana bessite.
- <sup>25</sup> Tuma odi cammikoka eketees!  
 shin hinte oday aybiska maaddenna.
- <sup>26</sup> Hinte ta haasaya carko mela hada ootheeta;  
 Yaatin, ufaysi qanxidaysas taw ay zaaro im-  
 manaw koyeetii?

- <sup>27</sup> Aawi bayna na7a bolla saama yeggeeta;  
hinte laggiya bayzanaw washiseeta.
- <sup>28</sup> Ane shama ayfen tana xeellite;  
ta hinte sinthan wordotiyana?
- <sup>29</sup> Hayyana, ane zaarethidi qopite;  
taani xillo ta bolla coo pirdofite.
- <sup>30</sup> Ta inxarsan wordoy de7ii?  
Ta doonay wordonne tumaa shaakanaw  
danda7ennee?"

**7**

- <sup>1</sup> Asa de7oy sa7a bolla wolqaama baaxe giden-neyee?  
Iya laythay une oothiya asa de7o mela giden-neyee?
- <sup>2</sup> Wulliya awa amotiya gaacha mela,  
woyko ba damooziya ekanaw naagiya oosanchoda,
- <sup>3</sup> hessada taw mela ageenati  
meto qammati imetidosona.
- <sup>4</sup> Taani zin7iya wode awude barkandinasha gayis;  
Shin qammay taw aduqees;  
sa7i wontana gakanaw hiixan shireta shireta  
wodhayis.
- <sup>5</sup> Ta asatethay guxuntis;  
ta madunthay giishshi goggees.
- <sup>6</sup> Ta laythay dorze mooqepa aadhidi ellesees;  
ufaysi baynashin ta laythay wurees.
- <sup>7</sup> Abeeti Xoossaw, ta laythay issi shempo mela  
gideysa qopa!  
Ta ayfey zaaridi keehaba be7enna.
- <sup>8</sup> Ha77i be7ey zaaridi be7enna;  
tana koyana shin zaari demmenna.

- <sup>9</sup> Shaari laaletidi dhayeyada,  
duufo wodhiya asi simmidi keyenna.
- <sup>10</sup> Ba soo simmidi yeenna;  
iya eriya asayka dogees.
- <sup>11</sup> “Hessa gisho, ta si<sup>77</sup>i giike;  
ta ayyaana un<sup>7</sup>etetha odana;  
ta shempuwa cametethaa gisho zuuzumana.
- <sup>12</sup> Hessa mela neeni tana ayis naagay?  
Ta new abba woyko abban de<sup>7</sup>iya iita do<sup>7</sup>a  
gadiyee?
- <sup>13</sup> ‘Ta hixay tana minthethana;  
ta arsay tana zuuzunthafe shempisana!’ gada  
qopas;
- <sup>14</sup> Shin neeni tana amuhon yashisaasa;  
qoncethan tana daganthaasa.
- <sup>15</sup> Taani ha waayey kumida asatethaa tookada  
daanape,  
suletada hayqiyako dosayis.
- <sup>16</sup> Taani ta de<sup>7</sup>uwa shaatettas; daanaw koyke;  
ta laythay issi shempo mela gidiya gisho tana  
aggarki.
- <sup>17</sup> Ne iya gitayada xeellanaw asi aybee?  
Ne iyaw qopanaw asi aybee?
- <sup>18</sup> Wonta wonta ne iya xomoosasa;  
woden woden ne iya paacasa.
- <sup>19</sup> Ne ta bolla ayfe woheysa aggikii?  
Cuchu mittiya wode taw immikii?
- <sup>20</sup> Abeeti ase kaalleyso,  
ta nagaraa oothin nena ay qohidee?  
Ne ayis tana cadda oykay?  
New ta tooho gidadinaayee?
- <sup>21</sup> Ta naaqua wa ayis aggikii?  
Ta nagara ayis atto giikii?

Ta duufo geliya wodey gakis;  
 ne tana koyana, shin hizape demmaka"  
 yaagis.

## 8

### *Baldadoosa Haasaya*

- 1 Shuha biittafe yida Beldadoosi zaaridi,
- 2 "Neeni hessa awude gakanaw odetay?  
 Ne doonape keya qaalay wolqaama gote  
 mela.
- 3 Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay xillo pirdennee?
- 4 Ne nayti Xoossa bolla nagaraa oothida gisho,  
 I enta enta nagaraa gisho seeris.
- 5 Shin neeni Xoossaako simmiko,  
 Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossa woossiko,  
- 6 neeni geeshshinne suure gidiko,  
 I ne gisho dendidi nena maaddana;  
 I kase ne de7uwa zaaridi woytana.
- 7 Ne doomethay guutha daanikoka,  
 ne wursethay daro aadhidi darana.
- 8 Kase yeletaa ane oycha;  
 nu mayzati ay tamaaridaako pilgada demma.
- 9 Nuuni zine nayta aybaka eroko;  
 nu ha sa7an de7iya laythay kuya mela.
- 10 Enti nena tamaarseynne new odehy,  
 banta wozanan wothidabaape gidenneyee?
- 11 Carey bayna bessan palki dolanaw danda7ii?  
 haathi bayna bessan mayrey cil7anaw  
 danda7ii?
- 12 Burroo diccidi qanxetonna de7ishe,  
 cil7o maatapeka eeson melees.
- 13 Xoossa dogiya asaa ubbaa wursethay hessa  
 mela;

- Xoosse eronna asaa ufaysay dhayana.
- <sup>14</sup> I ammanetiyabay meqiyaba;  
    I ceeqetiyabayka shango haada mela.
- <sup>15</sup> I ba shango haada bolla zempana, shin eqenna;  
    I iya oykana, shin duuxi wodhana.
- <sup>16</sup> I awa wode haathe uyidi cil7iya atakilte mela;  
    ba xaphuwa biitta ubban yeddida mitha  
        mela.
- <sup>17</sup> Ba xaphuwa keelan yeddees;  
    gita shucha bolla ba xaphuwa xaaxees.
- <sup>18</sup> Shin I ba bessaafe shodetiko,  
    he bessay, ‘Ta nena be7abike’ yaagana.
- <sup>19</sup> Iita asata ufaysay hessa mela;  
    harati yidi enta bessaa oykana.
- <sup>20</sup> “Xoossay borey bayna asaa yeggi aggenna;  
    iita ootheyisata maaddenna.
- <sup>21</sup> I zaaridi nena miichananne ililsana.
- <sup>22</sup> Nena ixeyesati yeella ma7ana;  
    iitata keethay dhayana” yaagis.

## 9

*Iyyoba Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyobi zaaridi,
- <sup>2</sup> “Ee, hinte geysi tuma gideysa ta erayis;  
    shin asi Xoossa sinthan waanidi xillo gi-  
        danaw danda7ii?
- <sup>3</sup> Iyara ooni palamanaw danda7ii?  
    I oychiya mukulu oyshatape issuwaka  
        zaaranaw danda7enna.
- <sup>4</sup> Xoossay cincanne wolqaama;  
    iyara egetanaw danda7ey oonika baawa.
- <sup>5</sup> Qoponna de7ishin dereta enta bessaafe diggees;

- ba hanquwan aathidi yeggees.
- 6** I biitta iya bessaafe qaathees;  
     biitta tuuqetaka yiggees.
- 7** Away keyonna mela oothees;  
     xoolintoti poo7onna mela diggees.
- 8** I barka salota miccis;  
     abba hobbiya bolla hemetees.
- 9** Xoossay Biire, Ooriyoona, Pilaadisa geetetiya  
     xoolintotanne,  
     dugeha baggara de7iya xoolinto koceeta med-  
     his.
- 10** I asi pilgid eranaw danda7onna gitabata,  
     taybetonna malaalsiyabata oothees.
- 11** I ta matara aadhiya wode ta be7anaw  
     danda7ike;  
     I taako shiiqiya wode eranaw danda7ike.
- 12** I bonqiko digganaw danda7ey oonee?  
     ‘Waatay?’ yaagidi iya oychanay oonee?
- 13** Xoossay ba hanquwa teqenna;  
     Ra7aabaa geetetiya do7a maaddeysati  
     iya tohuwa garsan kundoosona.
- 14** Yaatin, iya oysha zaaranaw,  
     iyara mootetanaw taani oonee?
- 15** Taani xillo gidikoka,  
     pirdiya Xoossay tana maaranaada  
     woossanaape attishin,  
     taani iyaw zaaro immike.
- 16** Ta iya xeegin, I taw koyaakoka,  
     tana si7ees gada ammanike.
- 17** Tana gotten mentherethees;  
     gaasoy bayna ta madunthaa darsees.
- 18** Tana shempo diggees;  
     ta de7uwa camethees.

- <sup>19</sup> Wolqaba gidiko, I wolqaama.  
 Xillo pirdaba gidiko, iya pirda keethi shiis-hanay oonee?
- <sup>20</sup> Taani tana xillo giikoka ta doonay tana bala kessees;  
 tanan borey baawa ta giikoka ta inxarsay tana geella kessees.
- <sup>21</sup> Taani borey bayna asi gidikoka tabaa qopike;  
 taani ta de7uwa kadhayis.
- <sup>22</sup> Xoossay borey baynaysanne iita issife dhaysees;  
 ta dummatethi baawa gey hessa gishosa.
- <sup>23</sup> Gadoy gelidi asaa qoponna wodhiya wode,  
 I xillo asaa waayan miicees.
- <sup>24</sup> Ha sa7ay iita asaa kushen wodhiya wode,  
 I pirdeyisata ayfiya goozees.  
 Hessa ubbaa oothey iya gidonna ixiko, hari oonee?
- <sup>25</sup> Ta de7o laythati woxiya uraape aadhidi elle-soosona;  
 enti lo77oba be7onna piradhidi dhayoosona.
- <sup>26</sup> Ta de7o laythay palka wogoloda woxees;  
 arganthi miyaba oykanaw salope duge paalleysada paallees.
- <sup>27</sup> 'Ta zuuzuntha dogana;  
 som7o tukeysa aggada poo7isana giyako,'
- <sup>28</sup> Neeni tana geeshshi goonnaysa taani eriya gisho,  
 tana gakana waaye ubbaa taani yayyayis.
- <sup>29</sup> Yaatin, taani bala gideysi attonna ixiko,  
 coo mela ayis daaburayna?
- <sup>30</sup> Taani ta asatethaa hari attoshin saamunan meecetiyakoka,  
 ta kushiya dummabaara meecetiyakoka,

- <sup>31</sup> ta ma7oyka tana shaatettana gakanaw,  
neeni tana urqa ollan holana.
- <sup>32</sup> Ta iyaw zaaro immanaw Xoossay ta mela ase  
gidenna;  
gidiyako nu nam7ay daynna sinthan eqana.
- <sup>33</sup> Shin nu nam7aa bolla ba kushe wothidi,  
nuna sigethiya asi nu giddon de7eerenne!
- <sup>34</sup> Iya teemoy tana daganthonna mela,  
issi asi Xoossaam xam7aa taape digereneshin!
- <sup>35</sup> Yaaniko, taani iyaw yayonna odetana;  
shin ha77i taani danda7ike.

## 10

- <sup>1</sup> Tana duussi shaattis!  
Hessa gisho, ta zuuzumanaape attishin, si77i  
giike;  
ta shempuwa seela kessana.
- <sup>2</sup> Taani Xoossaako haysada gaana;  
ta bala taw odape attishin, ta bolla pirdofa.
- <sup>3</sup> Neeni iitata qofaa ufaysan ekashe,  
tana un7ethanaw bessii?  
ne kushen medhida uraa kadheysi wogee?
- <sup>4</sup> Ne ayfey asa ayfe meleyee?  
neeni asi xelleyesa xeellayee?
- <sup>5</sup> Ne de7o laythay asa de7o laytha meleyee?
- <sup>6</sup> Yaatin, ta bala ayis koyay?  
Ta nagaraa ayis kaallay?
- <sup>7</sup> Taani bala gidonaysanne  
ne kushepe tana oonika ashshanaw  
danda7onnaysa ne eraasa.
- <sup>8</sup> Tana ne kushey giigisidi medhis;  
shin ha77i he kushey simmidi tana menthees.
- <sup>9</sup> Neeni tana biittafe medhidaysa hassaya

- Yaatin, ha77i tana zaarada baana oothanaw koyay?
- 10 Tana maathada ta aaye ulon tigidaynne meqa maathada Irkisiday nena gidikii?
- 11 Neeni tana ashonne goga mayzadasa; shayaninne meqethan waaxadasa.
- 12 Neeni taw de7onne merinaa siiqo immadasa; ne naagoy tana paxa wothis.
- 13 Shin neeni he wodepe doomada ne wozanan tana qohanaw qopada de7eysa ta erayis.
- 14 Ta naaquwa ne be7aasa; ta nagara oothiko seeronna aadhaka.
- 15 Taani balikoka tana ayye!  
Ta xillo gidikoka ceeqetanaw danda7ike.  
Ne tana yeella mayzadasa;  
waayen wothadasa.
- 16 Ta otoriko tana gaammoda shankatada oykaasa;  
tana qohanaw ne malaalsiya wolqaa zaara zaara bessaasa.
- 17 Neeni ta bolla ooratha markata ehaasa;  
ne hanquwa ta bolla darsaasa;  
tana olanaw ooratha olanchota giigisaasa.
- 18 Yaatin, tana ta aaye ulope ayis kessadii?  
Oonika tana be7onna hayqidaako taw lo77oshin!
- 19 Taani medhetonna attidaako,  
woyko ta aaye ulope keyashe duufo gelidaako lo77oshin!
- 20 Ta guutha de7o laythay wurees gidenneyee?  
Ha guutha laythan ufaytana mela tana ag-garki!
- 21 Ta simmonna bessaa boonna de7ishin,

leelida dhuma biitta gakonna de7ishin,  
<sup>22</sup> iya poo7oy dhuma gidida bessaanne  
 hayqoy kawotida bessaa,  
 maari bayna bessaanne leelida dhuma biitta  
 boonna de7ishin,  
 tana aggarki!"

## 11

### *Soofara Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Na7ima biittafe yida Soofari zaaridi,
- <sup>2</sup> "Ha hada haasaya ubbaas zaaro immiya asi baawee?  
 Woyko hessa odida uray tuma gidanaw danda7ii?
- <sup>3</sup> Ne hada oday ase si77i oothiya daanii?  
 Ne qelqisiya wode nena seeriya asi baawee?
- <sup>4</sup> Neeni, 'Ta timirtey tuma;  
 taani Xoossaa sinthan geeshshi' " gaasa.
- <sup>5</sup> Xoossay new odiyako,  
 ba doona dooyidi odetiyako aybe!
- <sup>6</sup> Cincatethas daro ogey de7iya gisho,  
 Xoossay new cincatetha xuura qoncisiyako aybe!
- He wode ne seeretida seeray,  
 besseysafe guutha gideysa eranashin.
- <sup>7</sup> "Ciimmo gidida Xoossaa xuuraa eranaw danda7ay?  
 Woyko Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossaba pilgada gakanaw danda7ay?
- <sup>8</sup> Enti salotape dhoqa; ne ay oothanaw danda7ay?  
 Enti Si7oolepeka aadhida ciimmo; ne eranaw danda7aka.
- <sup>9</sup> Xoossaa cincatethay biittafe dalgees;

- abbafeeka aadhidi ciimmotees.
- <sup>10</sup> I yidi nena qasho keethan yeggiyako,  
          pirda keethi shiishiko, iya digganay oonee?
- <sup>11</sup> Xoossay pathonna asaa erees;  
          iitabaa be7iya wode si77i gidi aggenna.
- <sup>12</sup> Eeya asi cinca gideysafe,  
          wora harey ase gididi yeletanaysi mata.
- <sup>13</sup> Neeni ne wozanaa suure oothiko,  
          ne kushiya iyako micciko,  
          <sup>14</sup> nagaraa ne kushepe haassiko,  
          ne keethan iitabay doonna mela oothiko,
- <sup>15</sup> He wode neeni dhoqu gada yeelli bayna ubbaba  
          be7an;  
          yashshi bayna minnada eqana.
- <sup>16</sup> Neeni ne metuwa ubbaa dogana;  
          goggidi aadhida di7oda zaara hassayaka.
- <sup>17</sup> Ne de7oy seeta gallasa awape aadhidi poo7ana;  
          ne de7uwa dhumay wonta xalqeda poo7ana.
- <sup>18</sup> New ufaysi de7iya gisho neeni hirgonna daana;  
          Xoossay nena naagiya gisho wopu gada  
          daana.
- <sup>19</sup> Neeni yashshi bayna dhiskana;  
          daro asay nenan nashetanaw koyana.
- <sup>20</sup> Shin iitati meto be7ishe akeekokona;  
          iyape baqatidi attanaw danda7okona;  
          Enta ufaysay hayqo” yaagis.

## 12

### *Iyyoba Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyobi haysada yaagidi zaaris.
- <sup>2</sup> Ee, hinte tumaka ase;  
          cincatethi hintera hayqana!
- <sup>3</sup> Shin taka hintedda akeeki de7iya asi;

- taani hintefe guuxike;  
 Ha hinte odetidaba eronnay oonee?
- <sup>4</sup> Taani Xoossaa woossin I tana si7ida asi gidikoka,  
 ha77i ta laggetas miichas attas;  
 taani xillonne borey bayna asi gidikoka  
 qelqisethas attas.
- <sup>5</sup> Metootidi be7iboona asi hara asa meton miicees;  
 hinte kundanaw gandigariya asi sugeeta.
- <sup>6</sup> Bonqeyisata keethay saro de7ees;  
 Xoossaa yiloyeysati hirgi bayna de7oosona;  
 banta wolqaa bantaw xosse oothosona.
- <sup>7</sup> Ane meheta oycha; enti nena tamaarsana;  
 Woyko salo kafota oycha; enti new odana.
- <sup>8</sup> Woyko sa7a medhetethatas oda; enti nena  
 tamaarsana;  
 abba molotika new odana.
- <sup>9</sup> Godaa kushey hessa oothidaysa eronnay oonee?
- <sup>10</sup> De7oy de7iya medhetethi ubbaynne  
 asa shempoy iya kushena.
- <sup>11</sup> Inxarsi kathi shaakidi ereysada,  
 haythi oda shaakidi erenneyee?
- <sup>12</sup> Cincatethi dondzida asaa matan deneyee?  
 daro laythi de7ida asaa matan akeeki ben-  
 teneyee?
- <sup>13</sup> Cincatethinne wolqi Xoossasa;  
 zoreynne akeeki iya matan bentees.
- <sup>14</sup> Xoossay laallidaba zaari keexanay oonee?  
 I qachida uraa birshanay oonee?
- <sup>15</sup> Xoossay ira teqiko biittay melees;  
 ira bukisiko di7oy biitta dhaysees.
- <sup>16</sup> Minotethinne xoonoy Xoossasa;

cimeteysinne cimmeysi nam7ayka iyape  
garsan de7ees.

- <sup>17</sup> Zoreysatape cincatethaa qaari ekees;  
halaqataka eeya kessees.
- <sup>18</sup> I kawota araatape wothidi aylle kessees.
- <sup>19</sup> Kahinetape bonchuwa qaari ekees;  
adussa wode xapho yeddida wolqaamata  
shiri yeggees.
- <sup>20</sup> Ammanetida zoreyisata si77i oothees;  
cimatapeka akeeka yegisees.
- <sup>21</sup> Bonchetidaysata kawushshees;  
minota danco bilisees.
- <sup>22</sup> Dhuman de7iya xuura qonce kessees;  
leelida dhumaa poo7o kessees.
- <sup>23</sup> Xoossay kawotethata gitayees; zaaridi dhay-  
sees;  
Kawotethata dalgisees; zaaridi laallees.
- <sup>24</sup> Alamiya kawota akeeka diggees;  
ogey bayna mela biittan toylatana mela  
oothees.
- <sup>25</sup> Poo7oy bayna dhuman tattafoosona;  
mathotida asada gandigaroonosa.

## 13

- <sup>1</sup> Ha ubbaa ta ayfey be7is;  
ta haythay si7idi akeekis.
- <sup>2</sup> Hinte ereysa taka erayis;  
taani hintefe guuxike.
- <sup>3</sup> Shin taani Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossara odetanaw  
koyayis;  
taani ta metuwaba iyara mootetanaw amot-  
tayis.
- <sup>4</sup> Shin hinte wordon kammeyisata;

- hinte ubbayka pathonna aakimeta.
- 5 Hinte si77i gidaba gidiyako,  
cinca gidi bentanashin!
- 6 Ha77i ta mootuwa si7ite;  
ta doonape keya palama hayzite.
- 7 Hinte Xoossa gisho wordo odeteetii?  
Iya gisho gidi cimon odeteetii?
- 8 Hinte iya maaddiyabay de7ii?  
Woyko iyaw xabaqa eqidi mootetetii?
- 9 I hintena pilgi xeelliya gido hintefe lo77oba dem-  
manee?  
Hinte ase cimmeysada iya cimmanaw  
danda7eetii?
- 10 Hinte geeman asa som7o be7idi maaddiko,  
I tuma hintena seerana.
- 11 Iya bonchoy hintena daganthennee?  
Iya teemay hintena yashshennee?
- 12 Hinte odida leemisoy bidinthia mela  
pathonnaba;  
hinte mootoy biittafe medhetida gondalle  
mela.
- 13 Ane si77i giite; ta odetana;  
hizape hanidabay hano.
- 14 Taani tanatethaa ayis meton yeggiyana?  
Ta de7uwa ayis ta kushen oykiyana?
- 15 Xoossay tana wodhikoka taani iya danda7an  
naagana;  
taani ta metuwa iya sinthe shiishana.
- 16 Nagaranco asi iya sinthe shiiganaw  
danda7onna gisho;  
ooni eri ta xaalatethay atotethas gaaso gi-  
danaw danda7ees.
- 17 Ta haasaya akeekidi si7ite;  
ta oday hinte haythan gelo.

- 18 Ha77i taani ta metuwa eka shiiqas;  
I taw pirdanaysa erayis.
- 19 Tana mootana asi de7ii?  
De7iko taani si77i gada hayqana.
- 20 Xoossaw ne taw ha nam7ubata ootha;  
yaatiko ta ne sinthafe geemmike.
- 21 Ne seera kushiya taape dentha;  
tana dagantheysa agga.
- 22 Hessafe guye, tana xeega; ta koyana;  
Woyko ta odana, ne taw zaara.
- 23 Ta balaynne nagaray aapunee?  
Ane ta naaqwanne ta nagaraa tana bessa.
- 24 Neeni ayis ne som7uwa taape genthay?  
ne morkeda ayis tana taybay?
- 25 Carkoy efiya kaliya ayis un7ethay?  
melida punuwa ayis yedethay?
- 26 Neeni ta bolla xaafida mootoy camo;  
ta na7atetha balaka aggabaaka.
- 27 Neeni ta tohuwa duxadasa;  
ta tanguwa ubbaa wochaasa;  
ta tohoy yedhiyasuwa kaallasa.
- 28 Hessa gisho, taani wooqida mithada;  
bili mida afilada wurayis.

## 14

- <sup>1</sup> “Maccasape yeletida asas laythi qanthi;  
ika qassi meton kumis.
- <sup>2</sup> Ciishshada bentidi ellesidi qoqofetees;  
kuyada gam7onna eeson aadhees.
- <sup>3</sup> Yaatin, neeni hessa mela asi kaallayee?  
pirdas ne sinthe shiishayee?
- <sup>4</sup> Tunabaape geeshhaba kessanaw danda7ey  
oonee?

- Oonika baawa.
- <sup>5</sup> Asi daana laythas zawi de7ees;  
 I daana ageena neeni tayba wothadasa;  
 neeni wothida zawape aadhey oonika baawa.
- <sup>6</sup> Une oothiya asi ba oosuwa polidi shempeysada,  
 I shempana mela ne ayfiya iyape denthada  
 iya aggaaga.
- <sup>7</sup> Qanxetida mithas ufaysi de7ees;  
 zaaridi aacees;  
 ooratha tashe kessidi diccees.
- <sup>8</sup> Mithaa xaphoy biitta garsan cimikoka,  
 durumay biittan wooqikoka,  
<sup>9</sup> haathe demmidi aacees;  
 ooratha dolada tashe kessees.
- <sup>10</sup> Shin asi hayqees; hessi iyaw wursethi;  
 iya shempoy keyape guye I awun de7ii?
- <sup>11</sup> Abbaa haathi meleysada,  
 shaafa haathi wureysada,  
<sup>12</sup> hessada asika hayqees; simmidi dendenna;  
 saloti aadhana gakanaw asi baarkenna;  
 ba dhiskuwafeka dendenna.
- <sup>13</sup> Neeni tana duufon genthidaako aybe!  
 Ne hanqoy aadhana gakanaw qottidaako  
 aybe!  
 Ne taw qamida he gallas tana hassaydaako  
 aybe!
- <sup>14</sup> Asi hayqiko simmidi de7on daanee?  
 Ta shempiya wodey yaana gakanaw,  
 ha meto wode ubbaa danda7an naagana.
- <sup>15</sup> He wode ne tana xeegana takaa koyana;  
 ne medhida tana be7anaw laamotiya wodey  
 yaana.
- <sup>16</sup> He wode neeni tuma ta tanguwa wochana;

- shin ta nagaraa kaallaka.
- <sup>17</sup> Ta balay ogoron yiicetana;  
ta nagaraa neeni kammana.
- <sup>18</sup> Zumi woddeysada,  
zaalli dhoqalleteysada,  
<sup>19</sup> haathi shucha xapho bookeysada,  
di7oy biitta meeccidi efeysada,  
neeni asa ufaysi dhaysaasa.
- <sup>20</sup> Neeni iya merinaw xoonasa; I simmenna;  
iya malaa laammada ne sinthafe diggaasa.
- <sup>21</sup> Iya nayti bonchetiko I erenna;  
enti kawuyiko I be7enna.
- <sup>22</sup> Shin iya asatethaa seelay iya xalaalas si7etees;  
I ba xalaalas yeekees” yaagis.

## 15

### *Elfaaza Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Temaan biittafe yida Elfaazi haysada yaagis;
- <sup>2</sup> “Cinca asi carkoda oyketonnaba odeetii?  
Woyko doloha bagga carkuwan ba uluwa coo  
kunthii?
- <sup>3</sup> Pathonna qaalan zuuzumii?  
Woyko gatey bayna odan mootetii?
- <sup>4</sup> Neeni Xoossas yayyeysa aggadasa;  
harati Xoossaa goyinnona mela dhubbadasa.
- <sup>5</sup> Ne iitatethay ne odan eretees;  
shin ne cinca oday nena genthees.
- <sup>6</sup> Ne doonay ne bolla pirdees tana gidike;  
ne inxarsay ne bolla markatees.
- <sup>7</sup> “Asape koyro yeletiday nenee?  
Neeni dereti medhetanaape kase yeletadii?
- <sup>8</sup> Neeni Xoossaa xuura duulatan de7ay?

- asa cincatethi ne xalaalas de7iyee?
- <sup>9</sup> Nuuni eronnabay neeni eriyabay aybee?  
Nuus geemmidi new qoncida ayba cincatethi  
de7ii?
- <sup>10</sup> Ne aawape bayratiya asati,  
cimidi puulumida asati nuura de7oosona.
- <sup>11</sup> “Xoossay new immida minthethoy gidenneyee?  
nuuni kahaamatehaba odida qaalay  
guutheyee?
- <sup>12</sup> Ne wozanay nena ayis wora efii?  
Ne ayfey ayis dereeqidi xeellii?
- <sup>13</sup> Yaatada neeni Xoossa bolla hanqetadasa;  
iita qaala ne doonape kessadasa.
- <sup>14</sup> Asi Xoossa sinthan geeshshi gidanaw danda7ii?  
Woyko maccave yeletida asi xillo gidanaw  
danda7ii?
- <sup>15</sup> Xoossay ba kiitanchotan ammanetena;  
hari attoshin saloti iya sinthan geeshshi gi-  
dokona.
- <sup>16</sup> Iitanne tuna gidida asi,  
nagara haathada uyaa asi waanidi ammane-  
tanee?
- <sup>17</sup> “Ane si7a, qoncisada ta new odana,  
taani be7idaba ubbaa new odana.
- <sup>18</sup> Cincati banta aawatape ekidaysa,  
ta new genthonna odana.
- <sup>19</sup> Biittay enta xalaalas imetis;  
hara biitta asi entara walaketibeenna.
- <sup>20</sup> Ase un7ethishe de7iya iita asi,  
ba de7o laytha ubban waayetishe de7ees.
- <sup>21</sup> Daganthiyabay iya haythan si7etees;

- I saro de7ayis gishin dhayseysati iya bolla  
keyana.
- <sup>22</sup> Dhumape kessi ekoy iyaw hanenna;  
iya qaaday mashshan dhayo.
- <sup>23</sup> Iya ahay anko quma gidana;  
baw dhuma gallas matatidaysa I erees.
- <sup>24</sup> Metoynne un7i iya bolla yaana;  
olanaw keyida kawo mela iya bolla goobana.
- <sup>25</sup> Hessika I ba kushiya Xoossaa bolla denthida  
gishosa;  
Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossaa bolla xaalida  
gishosa.
- <sup>26</sup> I eqetanaw minonne dalga gondalle oykis;  
otoron Xoossaako hordofees.
- <sup>27</sup> “Iya kilahoy muumida gisho,  
iya xeessay kumida gisho,  
<sup>28</sup> I laaletida katamatan,  
kaysa keethaninne,  
kundanaw gakida keethan de7ees.
- <sup>29</sup> I ba duretethan daro gam7enna;  
iya zaway aakenna.
- <sup>30</sup> Dhumape kessi ekenaw danda7enna;  
tashiya tami labida mithadanne  
carkoy ciishsha qoqofida mithada gidana.
- <sup>31</sup> Pathonnaban ammanetidi bana cimmofo;  
iyape aykoka demmonna attana.
- <sup>32</sup> Wodey gakonna iya ubbay melidi  
tasheyka aaconna mitha mela gidana.
- <sup>33</sup> I teeronna qawu7e de7ishe qoqofetiya woyne  
mela;  
ciishshan de7ishe qoqofetiya shamaho mela.
- <sup>34</sup> Xoossas yayonna asaa kochay dhayana;

wodhaafen keexetida keethay taman meetetana.

<sup>35</sup> Enti iitatethi qanthatidi meto yeloosona;  
enta uluwan geney kumis” yaagis.

## 16

### *Iyyoba Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyobi haysada yaagidi zaaris;
- <sup>2</sup> “Taani hessa mela haassaya daro si7as;  
hinte minthethoy tana salethis.
- <sup>3</sup> Go77i bayna hinte odaas wursethi baawee?  
taara hintena hessada palanthiya gaasoy aybee?
- <sup>4</sup> Hinte ta bessan, taani hinte bessan gididaba  
gidiyako,  
taani ta huuphiya qaathashe,  
ha77i hinte giyaba ubbaa hinte bolla loythada  
gaanashin!
- <sup>5</sup> Ta zoriyan ta hintena minthethanashin!  
Ta doonape keyiya oday hintena  
minthethanashin!
- <sup>6</sup> “Shin ta haasaykoka ta sahoy decenna;  
ta si77i gada danda7ikoka taape kichenna.
- <sup>7</sup> Abeeti Xoossaw, ne tana ta asatethafe kessadasa;  
ta keethaa asa ubbaa dhaysadasa.
- <sup>8</sup> Shuuqida ta gogay taw marka gidis;  
ta gilqatethay tana nagaranco kessis.
- <sup>9</sup> Xoossay hanqetidi ta asatethaa qanxerethis;  
tana ixidi ba acha ta bolla garcis;  
ta morkey ba ayfiya ta bolla kessis.
- <sup>10</sup> Asay ta yuushon shiiqidi tana qelqisidosona;  
tana leqidi baqidosona.

- <sup>11</sup> Xoossay tana nagarachotas aathidi immis;  
iitata kushen tana yeggis.
- <sup>12</sup> Taani kase saro de7as;  
shin Xoossay tana tincherethis;  
ta mirgaciya oykidi tana mentherethis;  
cache loohisiya malla oothis.
- <sup>13</sup> Iya tooranchotि banta dongen tana teqidosona;  
qadhey bayna ta kilahuwa muxerethidosona;  
ta ciyaa sa7an gussidosona.
- <sup>14</sup> I tana zaari zaari madunxisis;  
olanchoda toollidi caddis.
- <sup>15</sup> Taani kayo ma7o ma7as;  
ta wolqay wurin baanan uttas.
- <sup>16</sup> Yeehon ta som7oy gabbis;  
ta ayfey zo77is.
- <sup>17</sup> Shin he ubban ta balidabay baawa;  
ta geeshsha wozanan woossayis.
- <sup>18</sup> Biittaw, tana gakida qohuwa kammofa;  
ta waasoy shempiya soo demmofo.
- <sup>19</sup> Heko ta markay salona;  
ta xabaqay bollana.
- <sup>20</sup> Ta laggeti tana kadhidi xeelloosona;  
ta ayfey Xoossa sinthan afuthi tigees.
- <sup>21</sup> Ase asara sigethiya asi de7eysada,  
tana Xoossara sigethiya asi de7idaba  
gidernishin.
- <sup>22</sup> Ta laythay wurana hanees;  
guutha wodepe guye ta simmonna soo baana.

**17**

- <sup>1</sup> Ta shempoy keyees;  
ta laythay qaammis;  
taw duufoy giigis.

- <sup>2</sup> Ta bolla qelqiseysati ta yuushuwan de7oosona;  
enti tana yiloyida mela aysidosona.
- <sup>3</sup> Abeeti Xoossaw, neepe hari tana maaddey bayna  
gisho,  
ne taw waase gida.
- <sup>4</sup> Enti akekona mela enta qofaa gordadasa;  
Hessa gisho, ne entaw xoono immofa.
- <sup>5</sup> Miishe demmania gidi,  
ba laggeta aathidi immiya uraa nayta ayfey  
qooqana.
- <sup>6</sup> Xoossay tana asas miichas aggis;  
asi cuttishe aadhiya asi gidas.
- <sup>7</sup> Ta daro kayotida gisho ta ayfey eeyis;  
ta asatethay laafidi eesho gidis.
- <sup>8</sup> Keeha asati tana be7idi dagammidosona;  
suureti Xoossaa ammanonayisata bolla yiloti-  
dosona.
- <sup>9</sup> Gidoshin xilloti banta ogiyape deshokona;  
suureti wolqa guji guji boosona.
- <sup>10</sup> Shin zaaridi ubbay taako haa yiite!  
ta hinte giddofe issi cinca asi demmike.
- <sup>11</sup> Ta de7o laythay wuris;  
ta halchoy hada gidis;  
ta wozanaa amoy coo attis.
- <sup>12</sup> Ta laggeti qamma gallas goosona;  
dhuma be7ishe 'Poo7ana hanees' yaagosona.
- <sup>13</sup> Ta ufaysan naagiya keethay duufo;  
ta hiixa dhuman hiixayis.
- <sup>14</sup> Duufoko, 'Ne ta aawa' yaagana;  
guxuneko, 'Ne ta aayo woyko ta micho' yaa-  
gana.
- <sup>15</sup> Yaatin, taw ay ufaysi de7ii?  
taw ufaysi gidiyaba ooni demmanay?

**16** Ta ufaysay taara duufo bandee?  
 Nu issife biittan duge gelanee?” yaagis.

## 18

### *Baldadoosa Haasaya*

- 1** Hessafe guye, Shuuha biittafe yida Beldadoosi zaaridi,
- 2** “Iyyoba, ne odaas wursethi baawee?  
 Ane akeeka; nu odiyaba si7a.
- 3** Ne nuna ayis miizi oothay?  
 Ayis nuna tulle kessay?
- 4** Ne hanqetada nena qohaasa;  
 Ne hanquwan biittay kallo attanee?  
 Woyko zaallay ba bessaafe qaaxennee?
- 5** Nagaranchota xompey to7ana;  
 iya tama lacoy dhayana.
- 6** Enta keethan de7iya xompey dhayana;  
 enta poo7oyka dhumana.
- 7** I tangiya tangoy qaammees;  
 iya iita qofay iya zaaridi mees.
- 8** Iya hemethay iya xihen gelsees;  
 iya tohoti gitetana.
- 9** Xihey iya ginde oykana;  
 diizi iya qaaxo diggana.
- 10** Yurde wodoroy sa7an iyaw geemmi uttees;  
 I hemetiya ogiyani gitey de7ees.
- 11** Dagami iya teqidi oykees;  
 iya guyera kaallidi iya yedethees.
- 12** Iya wolqaa koshi wursis;  
 dhayoy iya miyen naagees.
- 13** Hargey iya laafethees;  
 hayqoy iya mokidi ekees.

- <sup>14</sup> Hirgi bayna de7iya ba keethaafe goodetees;  
enti iya hayqo geetetiya kawako efoosona.
- <sup>15</sup> Iya keethay taman oyketana;  
I de7iyaswan diinney laaletana.
- <sup>16</sup> Garsara xaphoy melana;  
bollara haythi qoqofetana.
- <sup>17</sup> Iya qopiya asi biittafe dhayana;  
iya sunthay sa7an hassayetonna attana.
- <sup>18</sup> I poo7ope dhuman goodettana;  
alamiyape dhayana.
- <sup>19</sup> Iyaw na7i woyko kochi dhayana;  
I de7ida bessan issi asi paxa attenna.
- <sup>20</sup> Wuloha bagga asay, iya gakida metuwan  
dagammidosona;  
doloha bagga asay yashshan kokoridosona.
- <sup>21</sup> Iita asaa wursethay awudeka hessa mela;  
Xoossaa eronna asaa qaaday hessa mela"  
yaagis.

## 19

### *Iyyoba Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyobi zaaridi haysada yaagis;
- <sup>2</sup> Hinte tana awude gakanaw madunxiseetii?  
Awude gakanaw hinte qaalan tana caddetii?
- <sup>3</sup> Hinte tana tammu toho cayideta;  
tana kawushishe yeellateketa.
- <sup>4</sup> Tuma ta balidaba gidiko,  
ta balay tana oychana.
- <sup>5</sup> Hinte hintena dhoqu dhoqu oothidi,  
ta kawusha tana mootanaw go7etiko,
- <sup>6</sup> ha metuwa ta bolla ehiday Xoosse  
gideysanne

- ba gitian tana gelsiday iya gideysa erite.
- <sup>7</sup> Ta qohetas gada waassin, tana alley baawa;  
 ta qaala dhoqu oothada waassinka tana si7ey  
 baawa.
- <sup>8</sup> Ta kanthada boonnada Xoossay ta ogiya diris;  
 ta hemetiya ogiya dhuman gordis.
- <sup>9</sup> Ta bonchuwa taape qaaris;  
 ta kallachaa ta huuphepe ekis.
- <sup>10</sup> I tana mentherethi yeggis;  
 ta ufaysa xaphora shonetida mitha mela  
 oothis.
- <sup>11</sup> Iya hanqoy ta bolla eexi keyis;  
 I tana morkeda taybees.
- <sup>12</sup> Tana olanaw ba tooranchota kiittees;  
 enti tana olanaw miixa keexidi,  
 ta dafkaaniya yuushuwan uttidosona.
- <sup>13</sup> Xoossay ta ishata taape haassis;  
 tana ereysati taw allaga gididosona.
- <sup>14</sup> Ta dabboti taape haakidosona;  
 ta laggeti tana dogidosona.
- <sup>15</sup> Ta son moketiya imathati tana dogidosona;  
 ta macca ayllieta tana oge asada xeellidosona.
- <sup>16</sup> Ta aylliya ta xeegin taw koyenna;  
 ta woossin taw ero geenna.
- <sup>17</sup> Ta machiya ta doona peenuwa shaatetasu;  
 ta ishati tana uufidosona.
- <sup>18</sup> Hari attoshin guutha nayti tana kadhoosona;  
 tana be7idi leqoosona.
- <sup>19</sup> Ta mata laggeti ubbay tana uufoosona;  
 ta doseysati taw zoko zaaridosona.
- <sup>20</sup> Ta meqethay ta gogaara oyketis;  
 taani hayqa kichada attas.

- <sup>21</sup> Ta laggeto, Xoossa kushey tana dechida gisho,  
taw qadheterketi.
- <sup>22</sup> Xoossay tana yedetheysada, hinte tana ayis  
yedetheetii?  
ha77i gakanaw hinte tana waaysidaysi giden-  
nee?
- <sup>23</sup> “Ha77i gakanaw ta odetida qaalay mazgabeti-  
daako,  
maxaafan xaafetidaako ta dosayis shin.
- <sup>24</sup> Merinaw daana mela maarisaninne  
irsaasen zaalla bolla woocetidi xaafetida  
gideerenne!
- <sup>25</sup> Tana Wozidaysi de7on de7eysanne  
wursethan biitta bolla I eqanaysa ta erayis.
- <sup>26</sup> Ta gogay meetetidi wurikoka,  
taani ta ashuwape shaaketada Xoossa  
be7anaysa erayis.
- <sup>27</sup> Hara asi gidonna taani ta huuphen,  
ta ayfen iya be7ana;  
ta wozanay he qamma laamotees.
- <sup>28</sup> “Ha metuwas gaasoy iya,  
nu iya waati yedethino gidi hinte qopiya  
gidiko,
- <sup>29</sup> Mashshas yayyite!  
Xoossa hanqoy mashshara yaana;  
pirdi de7eysa erite” yaagis.

## 20

### *Soofara Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Na7ima biitta asi gidida Soofari haysada  
yaagidi zaaris;

- <sup>2</sup> “Ne oday tana lancisida gisho,  
ta ellesada ne odaas zaaro immana.
- <sup>3</sup> Ne oday ta bonchuwa qaariya gisho,  
ta akeekay new zaaro immana mela tana den-  
thethes.
- <sup>4</sup> Asi biitta bolla de7ida wodepe doomidi,  
benipe hanidaba eraasa.
- <sup>5</sup> Iita asa ceeqoy qantha wodesa;  
Xoossaa eronna asaa ufaysay guutha wodesa.
- <sup>6</sup> Iita asa otoroy salo gakanaw dhoqu giikoka,  
iya huuphey shaara gakidi bochikoka,  
<sup>7</sup> I baana mela pitetidi dhayana;  
Iya kase eriya asay ‘I awun de7ii?’ yaagana.
- <sup>8</sup> Elmoda paallidi dhayana; simmidi bentenna;  
qamma amuhoda coo dhayana.
- <sup>9</sup> Iya kase be7ida ayfeti zaaridi iya be7okona;  
I ba de7iya bessaafe tim7i gidi dhayana.
- <sup>10</sup> Aaway bonqi ekida miishe,  
iya nayti banta kushen guye zaaran.
- <sup>11</sup> Iya meqethaa kumida na7atetha wolqay  
iyara issife biittan zin7ana.
- <sup>12</sup> “Iitatethi iya doonan mal7iko,  
I ba inxarsaafe garsan qosiko,  
<sup>13</sup> wuronnaada ba doonan oykidi,  
wothi aggiko,  
<sup>14</sup> iya uluwan camo gidana;  
wodhiya shoosha marze gidana.
- <sup>15</sup> Iita asi mitida shaluwa zaari cuttana;  
iya uluwan de7iya ubbaa Xoossay  
cooshshana.
- <sup>16</sup> Iita asi miyabay iyaw marze gididi,  
iya wodhana.

- 17 Eessinne maathi haathada goggishin,  
I be7onna attana.
- 18 Ba daabura ayfiya moonna haras immana;  
zal7idi wodhisida wodhiyan ufaytenna.
- 19 Hessi haniday I manqota un7ethida gishonne  
hara asi keexida keethaa bonqida gishosa.
- 20 “Iya iita amoy shempo diggis;  
shiishida shaloy iya ashshanaw danda7enna.
- 21 Iya shaloy wuriya gisho,  
iya duretethay gam7enna.
- 22 Iyaw aqoy kumidi de7ishin,  
metoy akeekona iya bolla gaki wodhana.
- 23 Iya uloy kaalliya wode,  
Xoossay wolqaama hanquwa iya bolla gus-sana.
- 24 Birata mashshafe I baqatana;  
shin naase birata dongey iya caddana.
- 25 He dongey iya zokora kanthi keyana;  
phooliya xeeray iya tiriya kanthi aadhana;  
dagami iya wozanaa waabaqisana.
- 26 I shiishida aqoy sakana dhuman dhayana;  
asi oythiboonna tami iya maana;  
iya keethan attida shalo ubbaa xuuggana.
- 27 Saloti iya nagaraa qoncisana;  
sa7ika iyaw morke gidana.
- 28 Xoossaan hanqo gallasan,  
iya keethaanne iyaw de7iyaba di7oy efana.
- 29 Xoossay geellatas wothida qaaday,  
iita asaas giigisida gatey haysa” yaagis.

- <sup>1</sup> Yaatin Iyyobi haysada yaagidi zaaris;  
<sup>2</sup> Ane ta oda akeekidi si7ite;  
     hessi hinte tana minthethida mela gido.  
<sup>3</sup> Taani issi toho odetana mela taw wode immite;  
     taani haasaya simmiko tana qelqisite.  
<sup>4</sup> Taani mootetey asara gidenna.  
     Yaatin, danda7ay wuriko hessi malaalsiyee?  
<sup>5</sup> Ane tana xeellidi malaaleetite;  
     hinte kushiya hinte doona bolla wothite.  
<sup>6</sup> Ta hessa qopiya wode tana daganthees;  
     ta asatethay kokorees.  
<sup>7</sup> Iita asati ayis paxa de7oona?  
     Enta laythay ayis aduqii?  
     Enta wolqay ayis dari dari bidee?  
<sup>8</sup> Enta naytinne nayta nayti,  
     diccishininne injen de7ishin enti ayis  
     be7oona?  
<sup>9</sup> Enta soy hirgi bayna saro de7ees;  
     Xoossaam xam7ay enta gakenna.  
<sup>10</sup> Enta miizati biraysi ekidi koxokona;  
     yelishe awucayokona.  
<sup>11</sup> Banta nayta dorsaa wudedaa kessoosona;  
     enta nayti duroosona.  
<sup>12</sup> Karaabo baqishe diithi diixishe,  
     suusul7e punnishe ufaysan yexoosona.  
<sup>13</sup> Enti banta de7o laytha injen de7idi,  
     duufo sarora boosona.  
<sup>14</sup> Gidoshin, enti Xoossaako “Nuupe haaka!  
     Nuuni ne ogiya eranaw koyoko” yaagosona.  
<sup>15</sup> “Nu iya goyinnanaw Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay  
     oonee?  
     Nu iya woossidi ay go7etanee?” yaagosona.

- 16 Enti duretetha banta minotethan demmida  
goosona;  
shin taani enta qofaa ekike.
- 17 “Hanoshin, iita asaa xompey to7ii?  
Entana boshi gaki erii?  
Xoossay ba hanquwan enta seeri erii?
- 18 Carkoy enta kaleda efida wodey,  
Gotev enta baanada denthida wodey de7ii?
- 19 Hinte, ‘Xoossi aawata bala gisho enta nayta  
seerees’ yaageeta.  
Ane Xoossay nagaranchota enta huuphen  
seero;  
yaatiko enti banta naaqua erana.
- 20 Nagaranchoti banta seera bantaw eko;  
Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossa hanqoy enta bolla  
wodho.
- 21 Asi hayqidaape guye,  
ba naytabaa ay erii?
- 22 “Dhoqa bessan de7eyisata pirdiya Xoossa,  
eratethi tamaarsanaw danda7iya asi de7ii?
- 23 Issi issi asi kumetha wolqaynne saroy de7ishin,  
inje duussu de7ishe hayqoosona.
- 24 Enta asatethay orde shin,  
enta meqethaa kolizey shica de7ishin  
hayqoosona.
- 25 Shin harati lo77oba be7onna,  
meton un7etidi kayotida mela hayqoosona.
- 26 Nam7ayka hayqidi biittan moogetosona;  
enti guxuntoosona.
- 27 “Hinte tana qohanaw qopidi,

hinte wozanan qopida qofaa ta loythada erayis.

<sup>28</sup> Hinte, 'He gita uraa keethay awunee?  
Iita oothiya uray de7iya soy awunee?'  
yaageeta.

<sup>29</sup> Oge asata oychibeketii?  
Enta markatethaa ammanibeketii?  
<sup>30</sup> Enti, 'Iita asay dhayo gallas qohetokona;  
Xoossaa hanqoy qonciya gallas enti attana'  
yaagosona.

<sup>31</sup> Iita asi iya iitatethaa gisho kaccanay oonee?  
Iya oosuwa gisho iya seeranay oonee?

<sup>32</sup> I hayqin, iya aha duufo efoosona;  
iya duufoy bonchon naagetees.

<sup>33</sup> Zangaara biittay iyaw injetees;  
daro asay iya sinthan boosona;  
tayboy bayna asay iya kaalloosona.

<sup>34</sup> Yaatin, hinte tana pathonna qaalan waati  
minthethanee?  
Hinte ta oyshaas zaariya zaaro ubbay wordo"  
yaagis.

## 22

### *Elfaaza Haasaya*

<sup>1</sup> Hessafe guye, Temaana biittafe yida Elfaazi  
haysada yaagidi zaaris;

<sup>2</sup> "Asi Xosse go77anaw danda7ii?  
Hari attoshin cinca gidikoka,  
bana go77anaape attishin, Xosse go77enna.

<sup>3</sup> Neeni xillo gidiko hessi Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoos-saa ufaysiyee?  
Ne ogey borey baynaba gidiko hessian I ay  
wodhe demmii?

- <sup>4</sup> “I nena seereynne pirdey,  
    Neeni iyaw yayya gishoyee?
- <sup>5</sup> Ne iitatethay daro gidenneyee?  
    Ne nagaraas zawi baawa gidennee?
- <sup>6</sup> Gaasoy bayna ne ishata waase xeegisadasa;  
    asaa ma7uwa qaara ekada enta kallo yed-  
        dadasa.
- <sup>7</sup> Saamotidaysata haathe ushshabaaka;  
    koshatidaysata kathi muzabaaka.
- <sup>8</sup> Neeni wolqaama, durenne  
    bonchetida asi gidada de7ashe,
- <sup>9</sup> Am7eta mela kushe yeddadasa;  
    yi7otas wolqa dhaysadasa.
- <sup>10</sup> Ne yuushoy gitetiday,  
    akeekona yashshi nena kokorsey hessasa.
- <sup>11</sup> Ne be7onna mela dhumiday,  
    qassi kixa haathan ne muuketiday hessasa.
- <sup>12</sup> “Xoossay dhoqa saluwan uttidi,  
    dhoqan de7iya xoolintota duge xeellees.
- <sup>13</sup> Shin neeni, ‘Xoossi ay erii?  
    Sakana dhumaagiddora kanthidi,  
        pirdanaw danda7ii?
- <sup>14</sup> Salo gufanthro bolla I simeretiya wode,  
    I be7onna mela sikutida shaaray iya goozees’  
        yaagasa.
- <sup>15</sup> Nagaranchoti hemetida beni ogiyara  
    baanaw qofaa qachadii?
- <sup>16</sup> Entaw wodey gakonna de7ishin hayqidosona;  
    enta de7o baasoy di7on meecetidi dhayis.
- <sup>17</sup> Enti Xoossaako, ‘Nuupe haaka!  
    Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay nuus ay oothanaw  
        danda7ii?’ yaagidosona.

- 18 Gidikoka, enta keetha lo77oban kunthiday  
Xoossa;  
Hessa gisho, iita asaa qofaa ta ekike.
- 19 “Iita asati seeretiya wode,  
xilloti ufaytoosona;  
suure asati haysada yaagidi, enta bolla  
qelqisoosona.
- 20 ‘Nu morketi dhayidosona;  
enta duretethay tamas attis’ yaagosona.
- 21 “Iyyoba, ha77ika Xoossara giiga;  
iyara saro de7a;  
yaatiko neeni anjetana.
- 22 Iya timirtiya si7a;  
iya qaala ne wozanan wotha.
- 23 Neeni Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossaako simmiko;  
new sa7i simmana;  
iita ooso ubbaa ne soope digga;
- 24 Ne worqaa sa7an hola;  
ne Ofira worqaa shaafan yegga.
- 25 Yaatiko Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay,  
new worqanne dooretida bira gidana.
- 26 He wode ne Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossan ufay-  
tana;  
yeellatonna Xoossako pude xeellana.
- 27 Neeni iya woossana, I nena si7ana;  
ne qangetha iyaw gathana.
- 28 Ne qopidabay poletana;  
ne hemetiya ogey poo7o gidana.
- 29 Xoossay otoreyisata kawushshees;  
shin ashketa ashshees.
- 30 Ne kushey geeshshi gidiko,

bala asay ne gaason maarota ekananne attana” yaagis.

## 23

### *Iyyoba Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyobi haysada yaagidi zaaris;
- <sup>2</sup> Hachika ta cametada zuuzumayis;  
ta ooley mino gidikoka  
iya kushey ta bolla deexeysa aggibeenna.
- <sup>3</sup> Iya demmana bessaa ta erida gidarkina;  
I de7iya bessaa ta gakarkina!
- <sup>4</sup> Taani ta metuwa iya sinthan wothanashin!  
Ta doona mooton kunthanashin!
- <sup>5</sup> I taw zaaranay aybeko eranashin,  
I ay giyako be7anashin!
- <sup>6</sup> I ba gita wolqan taara eqetanesha?  
Akay, I tana si7ana.
- <sup>7</sup> Yan suure asi iyara mootetanaw danda7ees;  
ta daynnay tana merinaw shatinthana.
- <sup>8</sup> Shin taani doloha biiko I yan deenna;  
taani wuloha biiko iya yan demmike.
- <sup>9</sup> I pudehan oothiya wode taani iya be7ike;  
dugeha bagga simmiya wode taani iya demmike.
- <sup>10</sup> Shin I ta tanguwa ubbaa erees;  
I tana paaciya wode taani worqada geeyada keyana.
- <sup>11</sup> Ta tohoy iya tanguwa kaallidi bees;  
iya ogiyape haddirsi ushachi simmabike.
- <sup>12</sup> Iya doonape keyiya kiitaape taani shaaketabike;  
iya qaala ta wozanan wothas.

- <sup>13</sup> Xoossay laametenna;  
 Iyara egetanay baawa,  
 I koydaba oothees.
- <sup>14</sup> I ta bolla qopidaysa polis;  
 hessa mela hara daro halchoti iyaw  
 de7oosona.
- <sup>15</sup> Hessa gisho, iya sinthan eqanaw daro  
 yashshees;  
 hessa ubbaa qopiya wode kokorayis.
- <sup>16</sup> Xoossay ta wozanay doccana mela oothis;  
 Ubbaa danda7iya Xoossay tana daganthis.
- <sup>17</sup> Sakana dhumay ta som7uwa goozi koka,  
 tana he dhumay haasaya diggibeenna.

## 24

- <sup>1</sup> Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay pirda wode ayis  
 qanxennee?  
 Iya ereysati he wodiya ayis coo naagonna?
- <sup>2</sup> Iita asati zawan de7iya shuchaa denthoosona;  
 kaysi ehida dorsata yan heemmoosona.
- <sup>3</sup> Yi7o nayta hareta bonqoosona;  
 am7e booraaacos oykidi ekoosona.
- <sup>4</sup> Manqota shaatetidi ogepe gooddosona;  
 banta sinthafe qosetana mela oothosona.
- <sup>5</sup> Bazzon de7iya wora hare mela,  
 manqoti banta naytas miyaba koyishe  
 daaburoosona.
- <sup>6</sup> Enti hara asa gaden kathi cakoosona;  
 iita asaa woyne gaden budhe maxoosona.
- <sup>7</sup> Enti qamma kallo aqoosona;  
 meegos bolla yeggiyabay entaw baawa.
- <sup>8</sup> Zuma bolla bukiya iran enti suuruxoosona;

- geliya bessi dhayidi shucha hom7on  
aqoosona.
- <sup>9</sup> Aawi bayna na7a aaye ki7ope dafi ekoosona;  
manquwa na7aacos oykoosona.
- <sup>10</sup> Manqoti ma7o dhayidi kallo hemetoosona;  
enti bantaw koshatishe hara asa mirqe  
tookosona.
- <sup>11</sup> Enti bantaw saamotishe,  
zayte kessanaw hara asa gaden shamaho ayfe  
maxoosona;  
woyne ushsha gum7anaw woyne ayfe  
qoroosona.
- <sup>12</sup> Kataman kataman hayqana haniya asay  
oolosona;  
deshetidi madunxida asay maado koyidi  
waassoosona;  
shin Xoossay enta metuwa xeellenna.
- <sup>13</sup> Poo7o ixiya asati,  
iya ogiya eronna asatinne;  
iyan eqona asati de7oosona.
- <sup>14</sup> Sa7i qammiya wode shempo wodheysi dendidi,  
manqotanne metootanchota wodhees;  
qammi qassi kaysos boosona.
- <sup>15</sup> Laymatiya asi sa7i lem7anaysa naagees;  
oonika be7onna mela ba som7uwa kammees.
- <sup>16</sup> Kaysoti qamma keethe bookidi kaysotanaw  
geloosona;  
shin gallas qosetidi pee7osona.
- <sup>17</sup> Daganthiya dhumara enti dabbotiya gisho,  
sakana dhumay entaw seeta gallasa mela.
- <sup>18</sup> “Shin iita asati haatha goponto mela;  
enta laata biittay baadetidaysa;  
oonika enta woyne gade beenna.

- <sup>19</sup> Shachi maayin, haathi melidi dhayeyada,  
nagaranchoti hayqidi biittafe dhayoosona.
- <sup>20</sup> Yelida aayeti enta dogana;  
Guxuney enta ashawa maana;  
iita asay hassayetokona;  
mithada meqana.
- <sup>21</sup> Enti na7i bayna mayntha maccasa  
naaqidosona;  
am7eta qadhetonna ixidosona.
- <sup>22</sup> Xoossay ba wolqan minota dhaysis;  
entaw sa7i injetida daanikoka,  
kundonna attokona.
- <sup>23</sup> Xoossay enti saro daanada oothikoka,  
enta ogiya wochees.
- <sup>24</sup> Iita asati guutha wodes dhoqu dhoqu goosona;  
shin ellesidi sharaafada shullidi dhayoosona;  
kathada caketoosona.
- <sup>25</sup> Hessi hanenna gidi kaddiya asi de7ii?  
taani odida qaala wordo gaana asi de7ii?"  
yaagis.

## 25

### *Baldadoosa Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Hessafe guye, Shuuha biittafe yida Beldadoosi  
haysada yaagidi zaaris;
- <sup>2</sup> "Xoossay haareysanne yashsheysa;  
I dhoqa saluwa sarotethan haarees.
- <sup>3</sup> Iya olanchota taybanaw danda7iya asi de7ii?  
Xoossa poo7oy gakonna bessi de7ii?
- <sup>4</sup> Yaatin, asi Xoossaa sinthan xillo gidanaw  
danda7ii?  
Maccasape yeletida asi geeshshi gidanaw  
danda7ii?

- <sup>5</sup> Xoossa sinthan ageenika kumetha poo7o gi-denna;  
iya sinthan xoolintotika geeshshi gidokona.
- <sup>6</sup> Yaatin, Xoossa sinthan wooqanne guxune gi-dida  
asi ay mela laafee?” yaagis.

## 26

### *Iyyoba Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyobi haysada yaagidi zaaris;
- <sup>2</sup> “Neeni wolqi baynaysa ayba maaddadii?  
Daaburanchuwa waata ashshadii?
- <sup>3</sup> Cincatethi pacidaysas ay zore immadii?  
Ay mela eratethi qoncisadii?
- <sup>4</sup> Neeni ha qaala odetana mela nena maaddiday oonee?  
Ne odan mela nena denthethiday oodde ayyaanee?” yaagis.

### *Baldadoosa Haasaya*

- <sup>5</sup> Beldadoosi zaaridi, “Hayqida asaa ayyaanati,  
garsan haatha giddon de7eysati kokoroosona.
- <sup>6</sup> Xoossa sinthan Si7oooley qonce;  
aybika iya genthanaw danda7enna.
- <sup>7</sup> Xoossay pudeha salota coo miccis;  
sa7aa kaqoy bayna bessan kaqis.
- <sup>8</sup> I shaaratan haathe kunthees;  
haatha deexuwan shaarati daaketokona.
- <sup>9</sup> I ba shaara miccidii,  
kumtha ageena kammees.
- <sup>10</sup> Poo7o dhumape shaakanaw,  
abba gaxan Xoossay zawa wothis.

- <sup>11</sup> I hanqetiya wode,  
salo tuuqeti dagaman kokoroosona.
- <sup>12</sup> Ba wolqan abba si77i oothees;  
ba cincatethan Ra7aaba geetetiya do7aa  
dhaysees.
- <sup>13</sup> I ba shempuhan salota geeshshees;  
iya kushey xongetiya shooshaa caddees.
- <sup>14</sup> Haysati Xoossay oothiya oosotape guuthata;  
nu iya kalkashaa xalaala si7oos;  
iya wolqaa deshuwa akeekanaw danda7ey  
oonee?” yaagis.

## 27

### *Iyyoba Haasaya*

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyobi kaallidi haysada yaagis;
- <sup>2</sup> “Suure pirdaa tana diggidi,  
ta de7uwa camo oothida,  
Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossan taani caaqayis.
- <sup>3</sup> Ta shempoy de7ishin,  
ta siidhey shempishin  
<sup>4</sup> ta doonay wordo odetenna;  
ta inxarsay cimo odetenna.
- <sup>5</sup> Hinte oday like gada ta erike;  
hayqana gakanaw ta tana suure geysa aggike.
- <sup>6</sup> Ta xillotethaa mintha oykanaape attishin, ag-  
gike;  
ta de7ida laytha ubban ta kahay tana  
mootenna.
- <sup>7</sup> “Ta morketi nagaranchoda,  
taara eqeteysati bala gido.
- <sup>8</sup> Xoossay enta shempuwa entafe ekiya wode,  
enta laytha qaamisiya wode,

- iitatas de7iya ufaysay aybee?
- <sup>9</sup> Enta bolla metoy gakiya wode,  
Xoossay enta waasuwa si7ii?
- <sup>10</sup> Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossan enti ufaytanee?  
Enti ubba wode Xoossa xeegeanee?
- <sup>11</sup> “Taani hintena Xoossa wolqaaba tamaarsana;  
Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossa qofaa ta hintefe  
qottike.
- <sup>12</sup> Hinte ubbay hessa be7ideta;  
yaatin, haysa mela coo haasaya ayis ode-  
teetii?
- <sup>13</sup> Xoossay iita asatas giigisida qaaday,  
Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossaafe ekiya woytoy  
haysa.
- <sup>14</sup> Enta nayti ay darikoka olan wurana;  
enta kochay miyaba dhayidi koshatana.
- <sup>15</sup> Hessafe attidaysati gadon wurana;  
enta am7eti entaw yeekokona.
- <sup>16</sup> Iita asati bira biittada shiishikoka,  
ma7o urqada shiishidi doorikoka,  
<sup>17</sup> enta bira xillo asati shaaki ekana;  
enta ma7uwa geeshshati ma7ana.
- <sup>18</sup> Enti keexiya keethati shango haada melanne  
gaabba mela laaletana.
- <sup>19</sup> Iita asati dure gididi hiixan zin7oosona;  
shin enti dhiskofe barkiya wode aykoyka  
baawa.
- <sup>20</sup> Dagami di7o haathada qoponna enta bolla  
yaana;  
gamma gotey enta denthidi efana.
- <sup>21</sup> Doloha carkoy enti de7iyasuwape pitidi efana.
- <sup>22</sup> Enti kessi ekanaw baqtishin,

qadhey bayna enta bolla wodhana.

<sup>23</sup> Ba kushiya baqidi enta bolla qelqisana  
ba suyqethan enta sugi yeddana.

## 28

<sup>1</sup> “Bira bookidi kessiya bessinne  
worqaa seerisiya bessi de7ees.

<sup>2</sup> Birati biittafe keyees;  
naase birati shuchu seerisin keyees.

<sup>3</sup> Asay xompe ekidi dhumaah poo7isees;  
biitta gaathi gakanaw gelees;  
sakana dhuman he shuchaa koyees.

<sup>4</sup> Asay de7iya bessaafe haakidi,  
asa tohoy yedhi eronna soo gakidi,  
yan gita olla bookees.

Wodoron yaanne haanne kuullotishe,  
asaape koxetidi de7ees.

<sup>5</sup> Kathi biittafe mokees;  
shin iya giddoy taman seeridi,  
shireti shireti wodhees.

<sup>6</sup> He zaallafe sanpare geetetiya al7o shuchay key-  
ees;  
iya biittafe worqay bentees.

<sup>7</sup> He shuchaa bookiya bessa xiloy erenna;  
phircoyka be7ibeenna.

<sup>8</sup> Iita do7ati he bessaa yedhi erokona;  
gaammoy yaara aadhibeenna.

<sup>9</sup> Asi mino zaalla mentherethees;  
deriya bookidi xaphuwape aathidi yeggees.

<sup>10</sup> Zaalla lukidi kanthiya ogé kessees;  
he al7o shuchaa demmees.

<sup>11</sup> Haathi he bessaara goggonna mela zeeres;  
geemmidabata poo7o kessees.

- 12 "Shin cincatethi awupe bentanaw danda7ii?  
Akeeki de7iya awee?
- 13 Asi iya gatiya erenna;  
I de7on de7iya medhetethati de7iya biittan  
bentenna.
- 14 Abbaa ciimmoy, 'Cincatethi ta giddon baawa'  
yaagees.
- 15 Cincatethi worqan shametenna  
woyko biran bentenna.
- 16 Cincatethi Ofira worqan,  
margidenne sanpare geetetiya al7o shuchan  
shametenna.
- 17 Worqinne mastootey iyara liketenna;  
worqafe oosetida al7o miishen laametenna.
- 18 Cincatetha gatey zaagolepe,  
almaazepenne al7o shucha ubbaafe aadhees.
- 19 Toophaze geetetiya Tophe inqoy iyara  
liketenna;  
walahi bayna worqan I shametenna.
- 20 "Yaatin, cincatethi awupe yii?  
Akeeki awupe bentii?
- 21 De7on de7iya medhetetha ubbaafe geemmidi  
de7ees;  
salo kafoti iya demmokona.
- 22 Gadoynne hayqoy,  
'Nuuni cincatethaba haythan si7ida'  
yaagosona.
- 23 "Cincatethako efiya ogiyanne I de7iya bessaa  
erey Xoossaa xalaala.
- 24 Xoossay sa7aa gaxa ubbaa xeellees;  
salope garsan de7iyaba ubbaa be7ees.
- 25 Xoossay carkos wolqaa immida wode,

haatha makida wode,  
<sup>26</sup> iri bukana woga immida wode,  
 dadas oge wothida wode,  
<sup>27</sup> Xoossay cincatetha be7is;  
 be7idi bonchis; paacidi essis.  
<sup>28</sup> He wode Xoossay asako,  
 ‘Cincatethi Xoossas yayyeysa;  
 akeeki iitaape haakeysa’ yaagees” yaagis.

## 29

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyobi kaallidi haysada yaagis;
- <sup>2</sup> Ha77i ta de7iya duussay,  
 Xoossay beni tana naagida wodiyatho  
 gideerenne!
- <sup>3</sup> He wode iya xompey ta bolla poo7ees;  
 iya poo7uhan dhumaa kanthada bayis.
- <sup>4</sup> He wodey Xoossay ta keethaa anjin,  
 taani ta na7atetha wolqara de7ida wode.
- <sup>5</sup> He wode Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay taape  
 shaaketibeenna;  
 ta nayti ta yuushon de7oosona.
- <sup>6</sup> He wode taani ta kushiya maathan meeccayis;  
 shucha biittan toketida shamahoy,  
 shaafa haathada goggiya zayte immees.
- <sup>7</sup> Taani katamaa pirda keethaa bida wode,  
 shangotara issife uttayis.
- <sup>8</sup> He wode na7atethati tana be7idi oge yed-  
 doosona;  
 cimati tana bonchanaw dend eqidosona.
- <sup>9</sup> Halaqati oda aggaagidosona;  
 banta kushiya banta doona bolla  
 wothidosona.

- <sup>10</sup> He kataman de7iya gita asati si77i gidoosona;  
       enta inxarsay enta kottonuwa baqidi oykis.
- <sup>11</sup> Tabaa si7ida ubbay nashshees;  
       tana be7ida ubbay bonchees.
- <sup>12</sup> Hessi haniday,  
       taani manqota waasuwa si7ada ashshida gis-  
               honne,  
       yi7o nayta maaddida gishosa.
- <sup>13</sup> Hayqana haniya asati tana anjidosona;  
       am7eti ta maaduwan ufaytidosona.
- <sup>14</sup> Xillotethaa ma7oda ma7as;  
       suure pirdaa afilada ma7as;  
       barneexada wothas.
- <sup>15</sup> Taani qooqetas ayfe,  
       wobbetas toho gidas.
- <sup>16</sup> Manqotas aawa gidas;  
       oge asas xabaqa gidas.
- <sup>17</sup> Taani iitata gacuwa menthas;  
       enti bonqidaysa enta doonape yegisas.
- <sup>18</sup> Taani ta wozanan, “Ta laythay shafeda darin,  
       ta son bonchon hayqana” gada qopas.
- <sup>19</sup> Taani xaphuwa haathan yeddida,  
       tashiya bolla aki kumida mitha melashin!
- <sup>20</sup> Ta bonchetida mela de7as;  
       ta wolqay ubba wode oorathishin!
- <sup>21</sup> Ta haasaya wode si77i gidi si7ees;  
       ta zoriya ufaysan ekoosona.
- <sup>22</sup> Ta entana alliya gisho,  
       ta oda simmin taape guyera odiya asi baawa.
- <sup>23</sup> Goshshanchoy ira naageysada,

enti ta haasaya si7anaw hakankidi  
naagoosona.

<sup>24</sup> Enti hirgan de7ishin ta som7uwa pashkisayis;  
ta miichay enta minthethees.

<sup>25</sup> Taani enti daana ogiya doorada entaw halaqa  
gidas.

Ba olanchota giddon de7iya kawoda ta enta  
giddon de7as;  
enti azzaniya wode minthethas.

### 30

<sup>1</sup> Shin ha77i taape na7attiya asati tana  
qelqisoosona.

Enti ta dorsa wudiya heemmiya kanatara  
pee7onna mela  
taani diggida aawata nayta.

<sup>2</sup> Enta aawati wolqi ixidaysatanne  
gilqata gidiya gisho tana aykoka maaddi-  
bokona.

<sup>3</sup> Metoynne koshi un7ethin,  
biitta bazzo bidi xapho coommosona.

<sup>4</sup> Cumadhenne bonco maxidosona;  
mal7onna sankara xapho midosona.

<sup>5</sup> Asi waassishe kayso gooddeysada,  
entana asaa giddofe gooddidosona.

<sup>6</sup> Enti zangaaran, gongoloninne  
zaalla qophon de7idosona.

<sup>7</sup> Enti woran do7ada waassishe yuuyidosona;  
aguntha giddon shiiqidi issife de7idosona.

<sup>8</sup> Enti biittafe goodetidosona;  
sunthi bayna eeyata gididi de7idosona.

<sup>9</sup> Ha77i enta nayti tana yethan caddoosona;

- taani enta giddon hayses attas.
- <sup>10</sup> Enti tana shaatetidi taape haakoosona;  
yeellatonna ta som7on cuttoosona.
- <sup>11</sup> Xoossay ta wolqaa laafethidi tana kawushida  
gisho,  
enti tana qohanaw yeda para gididosona.
- <sup>12</sup> Seeri bayna diccida nayti ta bolla dendidosona;  
ta tohuwas xihe wothidosona;  
enti tana dhaysanaw teqidosona.
- <sup>13</sup> Enti ta ogiya gordidi tana dhaysanaw koy-  
oosona;  
enti hessa oothonna mela teqiya oonika  
baawa.
- <sup>14</sup> Olanchoti katama dirsaa menthidi geleysada,  
enti ta bolla yidosona.
- <sup>15</sup> Taani gita dagama dagammas;  
ta bonchoy carkoy efiyada bis;  
ta saro duussay shaarada dhayis.
- <sup>16</sup> Ta shempiya daro un7etasu;  
metoy tana cuucummidi oykis.
- <sup>17</sup> Qamma qamma sahoy ta meqetha coom-  
mees;  
seelay taw shempo immenna.
- <sup>18</sup> Xoossay ba gita wolqan ta ma7uwa shiishidi  
oykis;  
goodhe oykiya ma7oda tana cuullis.
- <sup>19</sup> Xoossay tana urqan holis;  
taani baananne bidinthe gidas.
- <sup>20</sup> Abeeti Xoossaw, taani neeko waassayis;  
shin neeni tana allabaka.  
Eqada nena woossas;  
shin neeni ta woosa si7abaka.

- <sup>21</sup> Neeni taw wozana mino gidadasa;  
ne gitā wolqan tana yedethaasa.
- <sup>22</sup> Neeni tana carkora denthada gooddadasa;  
goten tana harqadasa.
- <sup>23</sup> Asa ubbaas wursethi gidida,  
hayqos ne tana aatha immanaysa erayis.
- <sup>24</sup> Meqida asi, “Tana maaddarki” gidi waassin,  
iyaw qadhetonna asi de7ii?
- <sup>25</sup> waayen de7eysatas ta yekabikina?  
manqotas ta qadhetabikina?
- <sup>26</sup> Lo77oba demmana gada amotas shin iitabay  
gakis;  
Taw sa7i keehana gada naagas shin gallasi  
taw dhumis.
- <sup>27</sup> Ta wozanay hirga aggibeenna;  
taani wopa demmabike;  
un7a qammi ta bolla gakis.
- <sup>28</sup> Ta asatethay awa suulon gidonashin azzanon  
kareexis;  
taani deriya shiiquwan eqada maade koyayis.
- <sup>29</sup> Taani worakanatas isha,  
diidinthas lagge gidas.
- <sup>30</sup> Ta gogay kareexidi poqeti poqeti wodhees;  
ta asatethay mishan xuugtee.
- <sup>31</sup> Ta ufaysi qoncisiya diithinne suusul7ey,  
ha77i ta zelelsas gidis.

## 31

<sup>1</sup> “Geela7o xeellada amottonna mela,  
taani ta ayfiyara caaqetas.

<sup>2</sup> Bollan de7iya Xoossa matape asas imetida qaaday aybee?

Salon de7iya Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay asas  
immiya gishoy aybee?

<sup>3</sup> Iitata bolla boshi, bala ootheyisata bolla gadoy  
gakanaysi eretidaba gidenneyee?

<sup>4</sup> Xoossay ta ogiya ubbaa be7eneyee?  
ta tanguwa ubbaa taybeneyee?

<sup>5</sup> “Taani wordon de7idaba gidiko,  
ase cimmidaba gidiko,

<sup>6</sup> Xoossay tana like mizaanen mazzano;  
yaatidi ta xillo gideysa be7o.

<sup>7</sup> Ta hemethay ogepe keydaba gidiko,  
ta wozanay ta ayfey xeellidaba amotidaba  
gidiko,  
ta kushey nagaran tunidaba gidiko,  
<sup>8</sup> ta dolay shodetidi dhayo;  
ta zeridaysa hari mo.

<sup>9</sup> Ta wozanay hara maccas amotidaba gidiko,  
woyko taani ta shooruwa machiw geedid-  
aba gidiko,

<sup>10</sup> ta machiya hara asas gaacco;  
iira hara addey aqo.

<sup>11</sup> Hessi yeellayiya naragaras koshshiya  
gita pirda.

<sup>12</sup> Ha nagaray tamada xuuggiyaba gidiya gisho,  
ta aquwa ubbaa dhaysanashin.

<sup>13</sup> “Ta adde woyko ta macca aylleti abeeti gin,  
entaw pirdonna ixidaba gidiko,

<sup>14</sup> Xoossa sinthan ta pirdas shiiqiya wode waana-  
nee?

I tana oychiya wode taani woyga zaaranee?

- 15 Tana medhida Xoossay enta I medhibeneyee?  
 Nuna ubbaa nu aaye ulon medhiday issi iya  
 gidenneyee?
- 16 “Taani manqoti woossidaba diggidaba gidiko,  
 woyko am7eta minthethonna aggidaba  
 gidiko,  
 17 yi7o nayti mela aqiya wode be7ashe, taani  
 tarka midaba gidiko,
- 18 Taani enta ta na7atethafe doomada enta  
 aawada dichas;  
 ta yeletoosope doomada am7eta maaddas.
- 19 Ma7oy dhayin meegoy wodhiya uraa,  
 woyko kallo de7iya metootanchuwa be7ada,  
 20 ta dorsata ikisepe oosetida ma7o mayzin,  
 tana anjona biday de7iko,
- 21 Taani mooton enta shatimmanaysa erada,  
 yi7o nayta naaqidaba gidiko,  
 22 ta qesey kuriyape me77o;  
 ta kushey hashiyape kareti wodho.
- 23 Xoossaan hanquwa yayyida gisho  
 hessa oothanaw danda7ike.
- 24 “Taani worqan ammanetidaba gidiko,  
 woyko walahi bayna worqaa ‘Ta ceeqoy nena’  
 gidaba gidiko,
- 25 Ta duretetha darotethan,  
 ta kushey demmida wodhen ufaytidaba  
 gidiko,
- 26 Awa phoolethi be7ada,  
 woyko ageena lo77otethi xeellada,  
 27 ta wozanay geeman enta nashshibeenna,  
 woyko ta enta yeerada goyinnabike.

- <sup>28</sup> Hessi pirda ehiya nagara gidiya gisho  
Xoossaa kaddas guussu.
- <sup>29</sup> “Ta morketa kundethan ufaytabike;  
enta gakida metuwan hashshu gabike.
- <sup>30</sup> ‘Ta morkey dhayo’ yaaga baaddada,  
nagara oothabike.
- <sup>31</sup> Ta soo asay, ‘Iya son  
kathi midi kallonnay oonee?’ yaagidi marka-toosona.
- <sup>32</sup> Ta soy ubba wode dooya gidiya gisho,  
oge asi karen aqi erenna.
- <sup>33</sup> Harati ootheysada,  
ta nagaraa ta wozanan genthabike.
- <sup>34</sup> Asa pokos yayyada,  
enta boriyas dagammada,  
soo gelada qosetida wodey deenna.
- <sup>35</sup> “Tana si7iya asi de7eerenneshin,  
Ta oday tuma gideysa paramayis;  
Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay taw zaaro immo  
Ta morkey ba mootuwa xaafidi shiishin  
ta be7arkinashin.
- <sup>36</sup> Be7iyako woytoda goodhen aathada  
ma7anashin,  
Kallachada ta huuphen wothanashin!
- <sup>37</sup> Taani maati de7iya asada xoossaako shiiqada,  
ta oothidaba ubbaa iyaw qoncisanashin!
- <sup>38</sup> “Ta goshsha biittay ta bolla waassidaba gidiko,  
daasatika afuthan laakidaba gidiko,
- <sup>39</sup> he biittan kaxidaba miishe qanxonna ekid-  
aba gidiko,

woyko he biitta ooheyisata koshan wodhid-  
aba gidiko,  
**40** taw he biittan giste gisho agunthi,  
 banga gisho sharaafi dolo” yaagis.  
 Iyyoba oday hessian poletis.

## 32

### *Elihu Haasaya*

**1** Iyyobi, “Taani xillo asi” gida gisho, ha heedzu  
 asati iyaw zaaro imo aggaagidosona.

**2** Iyyobi Xoossaafe aathidi bana xillo oothida  
 gisho, Rama yarape gidida Buza biittafe yida  
 Barkela na7ay Elihuy Iyyoba bolla hanqetis.

**3** Enti iya coo bala gidi pirdidi, iyaw bessiya  
 zaaro immanaw danda7iboona gisho Elihuy ha  
 heedzu laggeta bollaka hanqetis.

**4** Elihuy entafe kaalotiya gisho enti ubbay  
 haasaya wursana gakanaw naagis.

**5** Ha heedzu asati Iyyobas bessiya zaaro im-  
 manaw danda7iboonaysa be7idi I daro yilotis.

**6** Buza biittafe yida Barkela na7ay Elihuy  
 haysada yaagidi haasaya doomis.

“Taani hintefe na7atayis;  
 hinte taape bayrateta;  
 Hessa gisho, taani ta qofaa hintew odanaw  
 yayyās.

**7** Taani, ‘Cimati odeto;  
 banta daro laythan demmida cincatethaa  
 tamaarsonna’ ” gada qopas.

**8** Shin asa giddon aqidi cincatethi immey,  
 Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossaa Ayyaana.

**9** Ase cinca oohey cimatethi gidenna,

woyko asas akeeka immey laytha darotethi  
gidenna.

- 10 Hessa gisho, si7ite;  
taka ta qofaa hintew odana.
- 11 Hinte haasaya wode,  
taani si77i gada hayzas;  
hinte odana qaala koyishin naagas.
- 12 Hinte geysa ubbaa wursada si7as;  
shin hintefe oonika Iyyoba bala gidi amman-  
thibena;  
hintefe oonika iya palamas bessiya zaaro im-  
mibeenna.
- 13 Iyyoba odaas kalsiya zaaro immanaw  
danda7ey,  
Xoossefe attishin, ase gidonna gisho,  
hinte, “Nuus cincatethi de7ees” goopite.
- 14 Iyyobi palamiday taara gidonashin hintera;  
taani hinte odada iyaw zaaro immike.
- 15 Enti dagammidi,  
gaanaba dhayida gisho,  
zaaro immanaw danda7ibookona.
- 16 Yaatin enti odetiyaba dhayidi si77i gidi eqiko,  
taani naaganaw koshshii?
- 17 Gidenna, taani odiyabay de7ees;  
taka ta qofaa qoncisana.
- 18 Ta odanabay daroy de7iya gisho,  
ta giddon de7iya ayyaanay tana oda gidi sug-  
ees.
- 19 Ta gaathay goozetida manaaceda,  
woyko mal7anto woyne ushshi kumida  
ogoroda  
dhuuqana hanees.

- <sup>20</sup> Ta odada kessanaw bessees;  
     ta doona dooyada zaaro immanaw  
     koshshees.
- <sup>21</sup> Ha odan taani oonaka maaddike,  
     woyko oonaka coo sabbike.
- <sup>22</sup> Ase coo sabbiyabay taw eretenna;  
     ta hessa oothiyako tana medhidaysi  
     pirdanashin.

**33**

- <sup>1</sup> Iyyoba, ha77i ta odaa si7a;  
     ta giyaba ubbaa hayza.
- <sup>2</sup> Taani ta doona dooyas;  
     ta qaalati ta inxarsaa xeeran de7oosona.
- <sup>3</sup> Ta qaalati ta wozana suuretetha qoncisosona;  
     ta ereysa ta inxarsay tumatethan odees.
- <sup>4</sup> Tana medhiday Xoossa Ayyaana;  
     Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossa shempoy taw de7o  
     immis.
- <sup>5</sup> Ne danda7iko taw zaaro imma;  
     nena giigisada taara palama.
- <sup>6</sup> Taani Xoossa sinthan ne mela;  
     taanika urqafe medhetas.
- <sup>7</sup> Neeni taw yayiya gaasoy baawa;  
     taani nena naaqike.
- <sup>8</sup> “Ne haasaya ubbaa taani si7ashe gam7as;  
     ne doonape keyida qaalata hayzas.
- <sup>9</sup> Taani geeshshinne borey bayna asi;  
     taani xillonne nagara oothaboonna asi.
- <sup>10</sup> Shin Xoossay tana seeranaw gaaso koyees;  
     I tana ba morkeda taybees.
- <sup>11</sup> Ta tohuwa duxis;  
     ta tango ubbaa I wochees” yaagadasa.

- 12 "Iyyoba, ne oday like gidenna;  
 ta new odayis, Xoossay asape aadhees.
- 13 'Xoossay asa odaas zaaro immenna' gada,  
 ayis iyara palamay?
- 14 Asi akekennafe attishin,  
 Xoossay dumma dumma ogera odees.
- 15 Asi qamma hiixan zin7idi,  
 dhisko eeyidi de7iya wode,  
 Xoossi amuhoninne qoncethan odees.
- 16 He wode asay si7anaada haythe dooyees;  
 ba seeran enta daganthees.
- 17 Yaatidi asi nagara oothonna mela teqees;  
 otoro asape diggees.
- 18 Xoossi ase dhayope ashshees;  
 hayqopeka naagees.
- 19 Asi hargetidi hiixan de7ishin,  
 iya meqethaa garsan qanxonna saho yeddidi  
 seerees.
- 20 Hessada hanidi hargida uray kathi ixees;  
 daro mal7o kathi iya shaatees.
- 21 Iya ashoy gilqidi wurees;  
 iya asatethay melin meqethi taybetees.
- 22 Iya shempoy duufoko,  
 iya de7oy hayqo kiitanchotako matees.
- 23 "Asas suure ogiya bessiya  
 mukulun taybetiya kiitanchotape  
 issoy iya maaddanaw danda7ees.
- 24 Iyaw qadhetidi, 'I duufo gelonna mela iya  
 ashsha;  
 taani iya woziyaba demmas;  
 iya aggaaga' yaagidi hayqos odees.
- 25 Hessa gisho, iya asatethay na7a asatethi gidana;

- iya yalagatetha wolqay iyaw simmana.
- 26** He wode I Xoossa woossana;  
 Xoossay iya woosa si7ana;  
 Xoossay iyaw iya xillotethaa zaariya gisho, I  
 ufaysan Xoossa goyinnana.
- 27** He wode asa sinthan I haysada yaagidi yexana;  
 ‘Taani nagaraa oothas; suureba geellayas;  
 shin Xoossay ta hanuwa taw qanxibeenna.
- 28** Ta duufon gelonna mela tana ashshis;  
 ha77i paxa de7ada poo77o be7ayis’ yaagana.
- 29** “Heko, Xoossi asas hessa ubbaa  
 zaari zaari oothees.
- 30** I de7o poo7o be7ana mela,  
 iya shempuwa duufope ashshees.
- 31** “Iyyoba, taani odeysa hayzada si7a;  
 ane ne si77i ga; taani odetana.
- 32** Ne odanaw koyaabay de7iko oda;  
 taani ne xillo gideysa be7anaw koyayis.
- 33** Atto giiko si77i gada, ta haasaya si7a;  
 ta nena cincatethi tamaarsana” yaagis.

## 34

- 1** Qassika Elihuy haysada yaagis;
- 2** “Hinteno, cincato ta haasaya si7ite;  
 hinteno, eranchoto tana hayzite.
- 3** Inxarsi mal7o kathi shaaki ereysada,  
 haythi oda shaakidi erees.
- 4** Ane nuuni suureba shaakidi,  
 lo77oba tamaaridi eroos.
- 5** “Iyyobi, ‘Taani xillo;  
 shin Xoossi tana suure pirdaa diggis.

- <sup>6</sup> Taani tuma shin wordancho gidas;  
     tanan bali baawa shin,  
     paxonna madunthi madunxisis' yaagis.
- <sup>7</sup> Iyyobada Xoossa bolla,  
     qelqisiya asi de7ii?
- <sup>8</sup> I iita ootheysatara laggetees;  
     nagaranchotara hemetees.
- <sup>9</sup> I, 'Asi Xoosse ufaysana gidi oothiyabay  
     aykoka maaddenna' yaagees.
- <sup>10</sup> "Hessa gisho, hinteno, akeekancho asato si7ite,  
     iita oosoy Xoossaafe,  
     Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossaafe bala oosoy  
     haako.
- <sup>11</sup> Xoossay asas iya oosuwada immees;  
     iya ogiyada iyaw qanxees.
- <sup>12</sup> Xoossay tuma iita oothenna;  
     Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay suure pirdaa geel-  
     layenna.
- <sup>13</sup> Sa7a bolla iyaw maata immiday oonee?  
     biitta ubbaa bolla iya shuumiday oonee?
- <sup>14</sup> Xoossay ba Ayyaananne ba de7o shempuwa  
     zaaridi baako ekiyako,
- <sup>15</sup> asho ma7ida ubbay issife dhayana;  
     asi biitta simmanashin.
- <sup>16</sup> "New akeeki de7iko haysa si7a;  
     ta haasaya hayza.
- <sup>17</sup> Suure pirdaa ixey haaranaw danda7ii?  
     Neeni xillonne wolqaama Xoossaaf pirday?
- <sup>18</sup> Xoossay kawotako, 'Hinte pathonayisata';  
     qassi biitta haareysatko, 'Hinte iita' yaagees.
- <sup>19</sup> Enti ubbay iya kushe oosota gidiya gisho,

- Halaqata som<sup>7</sup>o xeellidi maaddenna;  
dureta manqotape aathidi xeellenna.
- <sup>20</sup> Enti gidi bilahe akeekona hayqana;  
ubbay kokorishe dhayana;  
wolqaamati asa kushey bochonna kichana.
- <sup>21</sup> “Xoossay asa hemethaa xeellees;  
iya tango ubbaa wochees.
- <sup>22</sup> Iita ootheyisata,  
genthanaw danda<sup>7</sup>iya sakana dhumi baawa.
- <sup>23</sup> Asay iya sinthe pirdas shiiqana mela,  
Xoossay qaxaro immenna.
- <sup>24</sup> Oyshi bayna wolqaamata mentherethees;  
enta bessan harata shuumees.
- <sup>25</sup> I enta oosuwa eriya gisho,  
enta issi qamman maatape wothidi dhaysees.
- <sup>26</sup> Enta iitatethaa gisho,  
nagaranchota asa sinthan seerees.
- <sup>27</sup> Hessa I oothey,  
enti iya kaallonna ixida gishonne  
iya kiitaa aggida gishosa.
- <sup>28</sup> Enti manqota un<sup>7</sup>ethidi Xoossako waassana  
mela oothidosona;  
Xoossay manqota waasuwa si<sup>7</sup>is.
- <sup>29</sup> Xoossay si<sup>77</sup>i giiko iya oone mootanay?  
I ba som<sup>7</sup>uwa qosiko iya be<sup>7</sup>anay oonee?  
I asaapenne kawotethaafe bolla.
- <sup>30</sup> Hessi haniday geellay deriya haaronna  
melanne  
enta sinthan xihe wothonna melasa.
- <sup>31</sup> “Asi Xoossako yaagiyako Lo<sup>77</sup>o;

kase ta nagara oothidaba gidiko zaarada  
oothike.

<sup>32</sup> Ta be7onnaysa tana tamaarsa;  
nagara oothidaba gidiko zaarada oothike.

<sup>33</sup> Yaatin neeni paaxike gashe,  
ne doseysa mela Xoossay new woytaneyee?  
Hiza qofa qachanay nenape attishin, tana gidike;  
hessa gisho, ne ereysa taw oda.

<sup>34</sup> Akeeka asay haysada yaagosona;  
cincati yaagosona;

<sup>35</sup> ‘Iyyobi eri bayna odetees;  
Iya odan ayfey baawa.’

<sup>36</sup> Iyyobi iita asada zaaro immida gisho,  
wursethi gakanaw paacetida gideerenne!

<sup>37</sup> I ba nagaraa bolla geellatethi gujis;  
nu sinthan Xoossa bolla qelqisis;  
Xoossa bolla daro odetis” yaagis.

## 35

<sup>1</sup> Elihuy qassi haysada yaagis;

<sup>2</sup> “Iyyoba, neeni, ‘Taani Xoossa sinthan xillo’  
geysi likee?

<sup>3</sup> ‘Taani nagaraa oothonna aggada ay go7etiyana?  
ay wodhe demmanee?’  
yaagada ne Xoossa oychanaw danda7aasa.

<sup>4</sup> Taani newunne  
ne laggetas zaaro immana.

<sup>5</sup> Dhoqu gada salota xeella;  
neepe bollara de7iya shaara akeekada be7a.

<sup>6</sup> Ne nagara oothiko Xoossa aybin qohanee?  
Ne balay dariko hessi iyaw ay oothii?

<sup>7</sup> Ne xillo gidiko iyaw ay immanee?  
Woyko ne kushepe I ay ekanee?

- <sup>8</sup> Ne nagaraa oothiko ne mela ase qohaasa;  
qassi xillikoka ase go77aasa.
- <sup>9</sup> “Un77i dariya wode asay waassees;  
wolqaamata kushepe kessi ekiya asi koyidi  
wobbatoosona.
- <sup>10</sup> Shin oonika, ‘Qamma mazmure immiya,  
tana medhida Xoossay awun de7ii?
- <sup>11</sup> Do7atape aathidi tamaarseysi,  
kafotape aathidi cinca ootheysi awun de7i’  
yaagenna.
- <sup>12</sup> Enti waassoosona;  
shin Xoossay enta otoruwa gaason,  
entaw zaaro immenna.
- <sup>13</sup> Coo waasuwa Xoossi tuma si7enna;  
Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossay hessa hayzenna.
- <sup>14</sup> Neeni ta Xoossaa be7anaw danda7ike  
yaagikoka,  
ne mootoy iya sinthan de7iya gisho,  
ne iya danda7an naaganaw bessees.
- <sup>15</sup> Xoossay ase pirdonnabaanne  
nagara aggidi aadhana gada qopay?
- <sup>16</sup> Hessa gisho, neeni ne doona coo dooyasa;  
eri bayna haasaya darsaasa” yaagis.

## 36

- <sup>1</sup> Elihuy gujidi haysada yaagis;
- <sup>2</sup> “Xoossaa doona gidada ta new odiyabay de7iya  
gisho,  
guuthu danda7ada si7a.
- <sup>3</sup> Taani ta eraa haaho soope ehana;  
tana Medhidaysi xillo gideysa qoncisana.
- <sup>4</sup> Taani wordo haasayike;

kumetha eri de7iya asi neera de7eysa am-mana.

- <sup>5</sup> “Xoossay tuma wolqaama;  
shin Ioonaka kadhenna.  
I ba akeekan mino.
- <sup>6</sup> I iitati de7on daana mela oothenna;  
shin un7etidaysatas suure pirdees.
- <sup>7</sup> Xoossay ba ayfiya xillota bollafe denthenna;  
enta kawotara utisidi,  
merinaw dhoqu dhoqu oothees.
- <sup>8</sup> Shin asay santhalaatan qashetiko,  
woyko meto wodoron oyketiko,  
<sup>9</sup> I enta oosuwanne  
otoron oothida nagaraa enta bolla qoncisees.
- <sup>10</sup> Seera si7anaada enta haytha dooyees;  
nagarape simmana mela enta kiittees.
- <sup>11</sup> Enti si7idi iyaw kiitetiko,  
banta laytha saroninne ufaysan wursana.
- <sup>12</sup> Shin enti si7onna ixiko mashshan wurana;  
enti era dhayida gisho hayqana.
- <sup>13</sup> “Xoossaa ammanonna asati  
banta wozanan yilotida mela de7oosona;  
I enta pirdiya wode maade koyidi woos-sokona.
- <sup>14</sup> Enti oothiya tuna oosuwan dhayana;  
banta na7atethan hayqana.
- <sup>15</sup> Shin waayeteyisata enta waayiyape ashshees;  
enta metuwa baggara entaw odees.
- <sup>16</sup> “Xoossay nena meto wodorope,  
un7i bayna dalga bessi,  
dooretida kathi kumida gaytaako kessana.

- <sup>17</sup> Shin ha77i iitata bolla gakiya pirday ne bolla  
gakin;  
xillo pirdan oyketadasa.
- <sup>18</sup> Oonika nena duretethi bessidi cimmonna mela,  
wodhaafe daroy balethonna mela naageta.
- <sup>19</sup> Ne duretethay  
woyko ne dafetethay nena metope ashsha-  
nee?
- <sup>20</sup> Asay banta bessaafe dhayiya qammay,  
yaana mela amottofa.
- <sup>21</sup> Ha meto ubbay nena gakiday hessa gaasona;  
hessa gisho, iita oothonna mela naageta.
- <sup>22</sup> “Xoossay ba wolqan dhoqu dhoqu gis;  
iya mela astamaarey oonee?
- <sup>23</sup> Xoossa, ‘Haysa ootha’ gidi kuittey,  
woyko, ‘Nene iita ooso oothadasa’ yaaganaw  
danda7ey oonee?
- <sup>24</sup> Asay mazmuren sabbida iya oosuwa,  
neka mazmuren sabba.
- <sup>25</sup> Asa koché ubbay Xoossa oosuwa be7is;  
asay haahon eqidi xeellidosona.
- <sup>26</sup> Xoossay git! Iya gitatetha nu akeekanaw  
danda7oko;  
iya laytha darotethaa zawi baawa.
- <sup>27</sup> “Xoossay haathe abbafe pude salo efees;  
duge zaaridi ira oothidi bukisees.
- <sup>28</sup> He iray shaarape keyidi,  
asa bolla bukana mela oothees.
- <sup>29</sup> Xoossi shaara waatidi micciyako,  
Xoossay de7iya saluwan waanidi  
guummiyako,

- oonika erenna.
- <sup>30</sup> I ba yuushon wol7antha poo7uwa laallees;  
abba ciimmuwa waatidi kammiyako be7a.
- <sup>31</sup> Yaatidi Xoossay deriya aysees;  
kathaa darsidi immees.
- <sup>32</sup> I wol7anthi ba kushen oykees;  
ba mallida bessaa caddana mela kiittees.
- <sup>33</sup> Dadi dhuuqidi uushoy yaanaysa bessees;  
meheyka uushoy yaanaysa erees.

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- <sup>1</sup> “Iya uushuwan ta wozanay dirgees;  
ba bessan qaaxees.
- <sup>2</sup> Iya doonape keyiya qaala si7ite;  
dadada guummiya iya girsaa hayzite.
- <sup>3</sup> I salo garsan ba wol7antha laallees;  
biitta gaxape gaxa gakanaw kiittees.
- <sup>4</sup> Hessafe guye, iya guunthay si7etees;  
ba yashshiya girsaa sissee.
- Iya girsay si7etiya wode,  
ba wol7antha teqenna.
- <sup>5</sup> Xoossa malaalsiya ogen ba guuntha sissee;  
nuuni akeekanaw danda7onna gitaba I  
oothes.
- <sup>6</sup> I shachako, ‘Sa7an wodha’ yaagees;  
wolqaama iraako, ‘Buka’ yaagidi kiittees.
- <sup>7</sup> I medhida asa ubbay iya oosuwa erana mela,  
asay banta oosuwa aggana mela oothees.
- <sup>8</sup> He wode do7ati banta bessaa geloosona;  
banta gongoluwan qosetoosona.
- <sup>9</sup> Wolqaama goteypugehape dendees;  
irxa carkoy pudehape yees.
- <sup>10</sup> Xoossa de7o shempoy shachi medhees;

- dalga haathata shuchada minthees.
- 11 Shaari haathe tookana mela oothees;  
ba wol7antha shaara giddon laallees.
- 12 Shaarati iya kiitan biitta gaxaa yuuyosona;  
I kiittiya kiita ubbaa poloosona.
- 13 Xoossay ira bukisey biitta irxisanaasa,  
woyko asaa seeranaasa, woyko ba siiquwa  
bessanaasa.
- 14 “Iyyoba, hessa si7a;  
Xoossay oothiya malaalsiya oosuwa taki gada  
akeeka.
- 15 Xoossay shaarata waatidi kiittiyako,  
ba wol7antha waatidi wol7amisiyako eray?
- 16 Shaarati salon waanidi uttiyako,  
eran polo gidida Xoossay  
oothiya malaalsiya oosuwa neeni eray?
- 17 Dugeha carkoy carkidi biitta mishisiya wode,  
neeni wolqaama bazzo seelan til7ana.
- 18 Xoossay saluwa til7ida mastooteda micciya  
wode,  
neeni iya maaddanaw danda7ay?
- 19 Nuuni era pacä gidiya gisho,  
Xoossas woygidi odetaneko ne nuna  
tamaarsa.
- 20 Xoossara odetana gada taani oychanaw  
koshshii?  
tana dhaysana mela ta ayis iya denthethanee?
- 21 Carkoy salope shaara geeshshiya wode,  
salon phooliya awa oonika be7anaw  
danda7enna.
- 22 Pudeha baggara worqaa daaniya poo7oy ben-  
tees;  
Xoossay yashshiya teeman qoncees.

23 Ubbaa Danda7iya Xoossaako shiiqanaw  
danda7oko;  
iya wolqay gita.

I ba tuma pirdaaninne ba gita xillotethan  
ase qohenna.

24 Hessa gisho, asay iyaw yayyees;  
bantana cinca geyisata I kadhees” yaagis.

## 38

### *Xoossa Zaaruwa*

<sup>1</sup> Hessafe guye, Goday gote giddon gididi Iyyobas haysada yaagidi zaaris.

<sup>2</sup> Eri bayna odan  
ta zoriya dhumisey I hessi oonee?

<sup>3</sup> Ane addeda danceta;  
ta nena oychana, taw zaara.

<sup>4</sup> Taani alamiya medhiya wode neeni awun  
de7ay?  
Ane ne akeekiyako taw oda.

<sup>5</sup> Ne eriko, ha sa7aa dalgatethaas zawa wothiday  
oonee?  
Wadha wodoruwa sa7a bolla yeggiday  
oonee?

<sup>6</sup> Ha sa7aa tuussata kundonna mela minthidi oyki-  
day aybee?  
Ha sa7aa baasuwas koyro shuchaa wothiday  
oonee?

<sup>7</sup> Wonta bakalati issife yexiya wode,  
kiitanchoti ubbay ufaysan ilili giya wode ne  
eray?

<sup>8</sup> Abba haathi biittafe dhuuqidi keyiya wode,  
iya pengeta gordiday oonee?

- <sup>9</sup> Abbaa shaara mayzas;  
sakana dhuman gooziday tana.
- <sup>10</sup> Abbay kanthonna mela zawa medhiday,  
iyaw pengenne teqe wothiday tana.
- <sup>11</sup> “Haysa gakanaw ya;  
shin haysafe aadhofa;  
ne wolqaama hobbey hessian eqo” yaagiday  
tana.
- <sup>12</sup> Iyyoba, ne yeletoosope wonti wontana mela  
kiita eray,  
away dolana bessaa malla eray?
- <sup>13</sup> Wonta poo<sup>7</sup>oy biitta ubban poo<sup>7</sup>ana mela,  
iita asata qosetida bessaafe qonce kessana  
mela,  
neeni wonta kiitta eray?
- <sup>14</sup> Wonta poo<sup>7</sup>oy zumatanne zangaarata,  
dakoydi wothida ma<sup>7</sup>oy eqidi bentleysada  
bessees;  
oto bolla wothida maatamed a qoncees.
- <sup>15</sup> Iitata poo<sup>7</sup>oy eketana;  
enta makalla qesey meqana.
- <sup>16</sup> Ciimmo abba giddo gelada pultuwa be<sup>7</sup>adii?  
Woyko iya baasuwa gakada iya olla simere-  
tadii?
- <sup>17</sup> New hayqo pengeti bentidona?  
Woyko sakana dhumaan pengeta be<sup>7</sup>adii?
- <sup>18</sup> Sa<sup>7</sup>ay ay mela giteeko ne eray?  
Hessa ubbaa ne eriya gidiko taw oda.
- <sup>19</sup> Poo<sup>7</sup>oko efiya ogey awunee?  
dhumi awun de<sup>7</sup>iyako eray?

- 20 Poo7onne dhuma enta bessaa bessaa efanaw  
danda7ay?  
Enti de7iya bessaa efiya ogiya eray?
- 21 Neeni sa7i medhetiya wode yeletida gishonne  
daro laythi de7ida gisho hessa eronna ag-  
gaka!
- 22 Shachi minjetiya keethaa geladii?  
woyko shachi dooretida bessaa be7adii?
- 23 Taani enta meto wodes, ola wodesinne  
toora gallasas minja wothas.
- 24 Wol7anthi keya bessaa efiya ogey awun de7ii?  
Woyko doloha carkoy awupe keyidi carkii?
- 25 Iri wodhiya bessaa giigisiday,  
dadas oge kessiday oonee?
- 26 Asi doonna mela biittan  
ira bukisey oonee?
- 27 Melida mela biittay iran laakidi,  
purco maatay dolana mela oothiday oonee?
- 28 Iras aawi de7ii?  
Woyko aka yeliday oonee?
- 29 Shachas aayiya de7ay?
- 30 Haathay shuchada minthees;  
abba baasoy shachada uuketees.
- 31 Pilaadisa geetetiya xoolintota issife gathada  
qachanaw danda7ay?  
Ooriyoona geetetiya xoolintoti qashetida  
wodoruwa billanaw danda7ay?
- 32 Cugan cugan de7iya xoolintota enta woden  
woden kessanaw danda7ay?  
Biire geetetiya xoolintota enta naytara  
kaalethanaw danda7ay?

- <sup>33</sup> Saloti ay higgen aqiyako ne eray?  
 He higgey sa7aa haarana mela oothanaw  
 danda7ay?
- <sup>34</sup> Di7oy nena muukana mela ira bukisanaw,  
 ne qaala dhoqu oothada shaarata sissanaw  
 danda7ay?
- <sup>35</sup> Wol7anthi kiittanaw danda7ay?  
 Enti neeko yidi, “Heko, ay oothino?” goonna?
- <sup>36</sup> Wozanas cincatethi,  
 kahas akeeka immiday oonee?
- <sup>37-38</sup> Ba cincatethan shaarata taybanaw danda7ey  
 oonee?  
 Baana munuqidi, urqa kessidi minthanaw,  
 salo otota gedi oothidi haathe tiganaw  
 danda7ey oonee?
- <sup>39</sup> Shankatada macca gaammos miyaba eha eray?  
 koshatida gaammo marata muza eray?
- <sup>40</sup> Enti gongolon qoseti naagoosona;  
 bazzon zin7idi pee7osona.
- <sup>41</sup> Quuroti koshatidi daaburiya wode,  
 enta nayti miyaba demmanaw taako waas-  
 siya wode,  
 entaw miyaba immey oonee?
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- <sup>1</sup> “Woshi7ey awude yeliyako neeni eray?  
 Baachoti bannakidi banta marata yeliya  
 wode be7adii?
- <sup>2</sup> Enti ay mela ageena gam7iyako,  
 awude yeliyako ne eray?
- <sup>3</sup> Enti gulbatи eqetidi,  
 banta marata yeley awudeko eray?

- <sup>4</sup> Enta marati bazzon diccidi minnoosona;  
     banta aayeta aggidi boosona; nam7antho  
     guye simmokona.
- <sup>5</sup> “Wora haret i yeda daanada oothiday oonee?  
     Qashope enta birshidi yeddiday oonee?
- <sup>6</sup> Entaw bazzuwa de7iya bessi oothada immas;  
     maxine biittan enti daanada oothas.
- <sup>7</sup> Katama waasuwapa haakidi de7oosona;  
     laaggeysta qodethi si7okona.
- <sup>8</sup> Enti dereta bolla bantana heemmoosona;  
     yan miya purco maata qoroosona.
- <sup>9</sup> “Menthi new oothanaw ero gandee?  
     Woyko ne zadalon qamma aqandee?
- <sup>10</sup> Goyana mela ne iya waaxanee?  
     Woyko waaxada goyanaw danda7ay?
- <sup>11</sup> Neeni iya wolqaa minotethan ammanetanee?  
     deexo ooso I oothana mela iyaw yegga agga-  
     nee?
- <sup>12</sup> Neeni kathaa shaalen qolana mela,  
     woyko wudumman shiishana mela iya am-  
     manay?
- <sup>13</sup> “Yanchoy ba qefiya ellesada qaathawusu;  
     shin haatha kafoda piradhanaw danda7uku.
- <sup>14</sup> Yanchoy ba phuuphulliya biittan phuuphu-  
     lawusu;  
     shafen ho7ana mela aggaagawusu.
- <sup>15</sup> ‘Tohoy menthana,  
     bazzo do7ati yedhana’ gada qopuku.
- <sup>16</sup> Nayti babaa gidonnaada oothada entaw daro  
     iitawusu.

I daabura ubbay mela atteysi iw aykoka daanenna.

17 Hessada oothada iyo cincatethi diggidaynne akeeka dhaysiday tana.

18 Shin dendada iya woxiya wode, baara gaadetiya para bollanne paraawa bolla miiccawusu.

19 “Iyyoba, paratas wolqaa immiday, woyko parata morgen cimba mayziday nenee?

20 Parati booleda gupanaadanne garmamidi daganthanaada oothiday nenee?

21 Parati banta wolqan ammanetidi dhiskoosona; oletanaw ola demba gaallaboosona.

22 Yashshi erokona; enta aybika daganthenna; enta bolla mashsha shoddikoka guye simmokona.

23 Enta toggiya olanchoti oykida ola miisheti, phoolishe issoy issuwara gahetidi giiroosona.

24 Shin parati biitta kaashishenne yashisishe gaal-laboosona; Moyze girsi si7iya wode si77i gidi ekanaw danda7okona.

25 Moyzey punetiya wode ufaysan gar-mamoosona; ola peeno haahon ekoosona; toora mocona kiitaanne olanchota ceequwa si7oosona.

26 “Xiloy ba qefiya dugeha bagga miccidi, paallanaw danda7ey ne cincatethanee?

27 Arganthi pude keyidi,

- ba keethaa dhoqa dereta bolla keexey ne ki-  
itanee?
- <sup>28</sup> Arganthy aafu doonan ba keethaa keexidi  
de7ees;  
zaalla qophoti iyaw qol7a gididosona.
- <sup>29</sup> Yan uttidi baw miyaba wochees;  
iya ayfey haahon geeshshidi demmees.
- <sup>30</sup> Argantha nayti suuthi uyoosona;  
gawuxi de7iya bessan shiiqoosona” yaagis.

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- <sup>1</sup> Goday Iyyobako zaaridi yaagis;
- <sup>2</sup> “Iyyoba, asi Ubbaa Danda7iya Godaara moote-  
tidi, lathanaw danda7ii?  
Ane Xoossara mootetiya uray iyaw zaaro”  
yaagis.
- <sup>3</sup> Hessafe guye, Iyyobi zaaridi, haysada yaagis;
- <sup>4</sup> “Godaw, taani pathonna laafa asi;  
ta doona bolla kushe wothada si77i gaanape  
attishin,  
new ay zaaro immanaw danda7iyana?
- <sup>5</sup> Taani issi toho odas; shin taw zaariyaboy baawa;  
nam7antho odas haraa gujike” yaagis.
- <sup>6</sup> Hessafe guye, Goday gote giddon giddon gididi  
Iyyobako haysada yaagis.
- <sup>7</sup> Addeda ne xeessaa dancada dendada,  
ta oyshaas zaaro imma.
- <sup>8</sup> Ne tana bala asi kessana hanayee?  
New xillo gidanaw tana wordancho  
kessayee?
- <sup>9</sup> Xoossa wolqaa mela wolqi new de7ii?  
Xoossay guummeysada ne guummanaw  
danda7ay?

- <sup>10</sup> Hessa gidiko, ne bonchuwanne gitatetha ma7a;  
ne wolqaanne teemuwa gixa.
- <sup>11</sup> Ne hanquwa gussa;  
ane otoranchota xeellada kawusha.
- <sup>12</sup> Ane loytha xeellada otortiya ubbaa yeellaya;  
iitata ubbaa enti de7iya bessaafe dhaysa.
- <sup>13</sup> Enta ubbaa biittan mooga;  
duufon yeggada enta bolla gorda.
- <sup>14</sup> He wode ne wolqay nena ashshanaw  
danda7eysa  
ta markatana.
- <sup>15</sup> Taani nena medhidaada medhida Bihemoota  
geetetiya do7a be7a;  
I boorada maata mees.
- <sup>16</sup> Iya xeessan de7iya wolqaynne  
iya uluwa kammida shayaa minotethay daro.
- <sup>17</sup> Iya goynay zigada bollan qaaxees;  
iya gedaa xaphoti minon dooqetidosona.
- <sup>18</sup> Iya meqethay naase birata mela;  
iya geday birata kure mela.
- <sup>19</sup> Xoossay medhida medheta ubbaa garsan I aad-  
hees;  
taape attishin, hari iya xoonanaw danda7ey  
baawa.
- <sup>20</sup> Do7i gupiya derey,  
iyaw miyaba dolisees.
- <sup>21</sup> Mitha kuya garsan zin7ees;  
caren maqa giddon qosetees.
- <sup>22</sup> Mithati banta kuyan iya genthoosona;  
shaafaa gaxan dicciya mithati iya  
kammoosona.
- <sup>23</sup> Shaafay kixidi goggey wode dagammenna;

Yordaanose shaafay qoodhe gakanaw ku-mikoka I hirgenna.

<sup>24</sup> Iya ayfiya toysidi, iya oykanaw danda7iya asi de7ii?

Iya siidhiya lukidi oykanaw danda7ey oonee?

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<sup>1</sup> “Neeni Leewataane geetetiya abba do7aa manx-aqon oykanaw,

woyko iya inxarsaa wodoron ancafaw danda7ay?

<sup>2</sup> Iya siidhiya lukada dafo aathanaw danda7ay?

Woyko iya gacuwa wospen lukanaw danda7ay?

<sup>3</sup> I nena, ‘Hayyana tana aggarki’ yaagidi woossii?

Woyko new mal7o qaala odii?

<sup>4</sup> Ne iya merinaw aylle oothada haarana mela, I new ero gidi caaqanee?

<sup>5</sup> Asi kafo loohiseysada ne iya loohisanaw danda7ay?

Woyko iya qachada ne macca naytara kaa7ana mela oothanee?

<sup>6</sup> Molo zal7anchoti iya gatiya bolla palamona?

Woyko iya qanixerethidi bayzoona?

<sup>7</sup> Neeni iya galbaa tooran,

woyko iya huuphiya mashshan caddanaw danda7ay?

<sup>8</sup> Ane iya ne kushen bocha;

ne iyara butetida butiya dogaka;

nam7antho iyara butetanaw qopaka.

<sup>9</sup> He do7aa oykanaw paacey mela waaye;

hari attoshin iya be7ida ubbay yashshan kokorees.

- 10 I zin7ida bessaafe iya denthanaw oonika  
xaalenna;  
yaatin, ta sinthan eqanaw danda7ey oonee?
- 11 Taani iyaw zaarana mela koyro taw tal7iday  
oonee?  
Salope garsan de7iyaba ubbay tabaa.
- 12 “Taani Leewataane tohotaba, iya gitaa wolqaa-  
banne  
lo77iya iya asatethaba qoncisonna aggike.
- 13 Iya galbaa qaaranaw danda7ey oonee?  
Iya gacuwa pooqidi bixaala barsanay oonee?
- 14 Yashshiya achay de7iya  
iya gacuwa pooqanaw danda7ey oonee?
- 15 Iya zoko galbay issoy issuwa bolla dooretidi;  
shuchada minnida gondalle daanees.
- 16 Enti issoy issuwas daro matatida gisho,  
enta giddora hari attoshin carkoy kanthanaw  
danda7enna.
- 17 Issoy issuwara gahetidi de7iya gisho,  
enta aybika shaakenna.
- 18 I hadhishiya wode poo7oy pol7u gees;  
iya ayfeti wonta xalqedaa caddees.
- 19 Iya doonape tama lacoy keyees;  
pinxiya tami bentees.
- 20 Iya siidhiyape cuyay,  
tama bolla de7iya otope keya pento mela.
- 21 Iya siidhera keya shempoy kenchikelo bon-  
qisees;  
tama lacoy iya doonape keyees.
- 22 Iya morgiyan wolqay de7iya gisho,  
I daro yashshees.
- 23 Iya ashoy issife oyketidi de7iya gisho,

- iya asatethay biratada minnees.
- <sup>24</sup> Iya wozanay shuchada mino;  
gaacha woxa mela mino.
- <sup>25</sup> I dendiya wode minoti yayyoosona;  
dagammidi baqatoosona.
- <sup>26</sup> Iya gakiya mashshay aykoka oothenna;  
toori woyko dongey woyko mashshi iya qo-  
henna.
- <sup>27</sup> I birata xinqa maatada,  
naase birata wooqida mithada men-  
therethees.
- <sup>28</sup> Dongey iya betisenna;  
yambarsha shuchi iyaw suulla mela.
- <sup>29</sup> Gumba xam7i iyaw xinqo mela;  
toora xongiya wode qelqisidi miicees.
- <sup>30</sup> Iya uluwa bolla de7iya galbay meqida kun7a  
mela qara;  
urqara I biya wode marasha mela biitta  
phalgees.
- <sup>31</sup> Abbaa pentida haatha mela tumbul tumbul  
oothees;  
xaaron pentiya zayte mela shiri shiri yeggees.
- <sup>32</sup> Iya biya ogey poo7ees;  
abba haatha goponto laammees.
- <sup>33</sup> I yashshi eronna gisho,  
biitta bolla iya mela medhetethi hari baawa.
- <sup>34</sup> I daro gitaa medhetethata ubbaa kadhees;  
do7a ubbaas I kawo" yaagis.

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### *Iyyoba*

<sup>1</sup> Hessafe guye, Iyyobi Godaako haysada yaagidi zaaris;

- <sup>2</sup> “Ne ubbaba oothanaw danda7eysanne  
ne qofaa teqanaw danda7ey baynaysa taani  
eras.
- <sup>3</sup> Ne, ‘Eri bayna ta zoriya qosey oonee?’ yaagada  
tana oychadasa;  
tuma taani taw geliboonnaba,  
ta eraape bolla gidida malaalsiyaba odetas.
- <sup>4</sup> “Neeni taako, ‘Taani odiya wode hayza;  
taani oychiya wode zaara’ yaagadasa.
- <sup>5</sup> Taani kase nebaa haythan si7as;  
shin ha77i ta nena ayfen be7as.
- <sup>6</sup> Hessa gisho, ta odan yellatada,  
bido bollanne baana bolla uttada paaxayis”  
yaagis.

### *Kuusha Haasaya*

<sup>7</sup> Goday hessa Iyyobas odidaape guye, Temaanape yida Elfaazako haysada yaagis. “Ta aylliya Iyyobada hinte tabaa like odetiboonna gisho, ne bollanne ne nam7u laggeta bolla ta hanqoy eexis.

<sup>8</sup> Hessa gisho, ha77i laapun kormatanne laapun marazeta ekidi ta aylliya Iyyobako bidi, xuussa yarsho hinte balas yarshite. Ta aylliya Iyyobi hintew woossana; taani iya woosa si7ada hinte hanuwa mela hintena seerike. Hinte ta aylliya Iyyobada tabaa like odibeketa” yaagis.

<sup>9</sup> Hessafe guye, Temaanape yida Elfaazi, Shuhape yida Beldadoosinne Na7imape yida Soofari bidi, Goday enta kiittidaysada oothidosona. Goday Iyyoba woosa s7is.

### *Iyyobi Dako Woytetis*

<sup>10</sup> Iyyobi ba laggetas woossidaape guye, Goday iya zaaridi dureyis; iyaw kaseysa gisho nam7u kushe immis.

<sup>11</sup> Hessafe guye, iya ishati, iya michetinne kase iya ereysati ubbay iyako yidi, iya son iyara gibira midosona. Iyaw azzanidosona; Goday iya bolla ehida meto ubban iya minthethidosona; qassi iyaw biranne worqa sagaayo immidosona.

<sup>12</sup> Goday Iyyoba wursetha laytha koyro laythaafe aathidi anjis. Iyyobas tammanne oyddu mukulu dorsati, usupun mukulu gimaleti, issi mukulu waaxa booratinne issi mukulu macca haretide7oosona.

<sup>13</sup> Qassi iyaw laapun adde naytinne heedzu macca nayti yeletidosona.

<sup>14</sup> Bayra macca na7iw Yimimo, nam7anthiw Qaxi7o, heedzanthiw Qerenhafuko yaagidi sunthis.

<sup>15</sup> Iyyoba macca naytada mala lo77o macca na7i awu biittan bentibeenna. Enta aawa entaw enta ishatara laata biitta immis.

<sup>16</sup> Hessafe simmin, Iyyobi xeetanne oytamu laythi de7is. Ba naytanne ba nayta nayta oyddantho yeletethaa gakanaw be7is.

<sup>17</sup> Iyyobi daro wode de7idi, lo77o cima cimidi hayqis.

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