

- aal:** self
-al: at
ala: listen
alayiny: listening
alidja: that
alidjap: that place
alikwadja: beginning
alikwadjakang: from the beginning
alimarn: as
aliny: listening
alo: to listen
anbagbat-yan: lost
anbangbat: lose
anbangbat-yan: lost
-ang: of [-ang after a consonant (eg Jacob-ang, Adam-ang), -kang after a vowel sound (eg Joshua-kang, Judah-kang)]
-ap: place
arbiny: become
arda: only, alone
arda nginda: until (only when)
arda yezi: only now
baal: he
baalaal: himself
baalap: they
baalapaal: themselves
baalap-mokiny: like them
baalroo: his own
babanginy: lightning
babin: friend (ngooldjara also friend is used only for Jesus' disciples in this book. It may

mean brothers-in-law in some Nyoongar dialects)

babina: friends

babin-abini: to make/become friends

baka: touch (also maar-barrang=hold)

bakadjiny: fighting

bakadjo: to fight

bakatj: fight

bakatja: fight

bakkan: hurt, bite, harm, pain or suffer

bakkan wara: suffering, great pain

bakkanan: taste

bakkan-djil: great pain

bakkan-wara: suffer

baladjan: attack

balaparoo: their own

balarany: storm, gale

balaritj: cover

Balayi!: watch out!

balbayit: foolish

balbayit-waangkiny: silly talking

balingar: climb

balladja: attack

ballar: secretly, hidden

ballaridja: hide

ballar-yan: hidden, secret

bama: beat, hit or strike

bama-bama: beat

bama-bamo: to beat

bamakanrin: knock down

baminy: hitting or beating

bam-kadong: cut

banan: hole

banarak: property, possessions

- banaraka:** possessions, property, wealth
bandak: out, outside
bandak-barrang: bring out
bandak-koorl: go out
bandak-koorliny: going out
bandak-kwarda: throw out
bandak-yaaka: stand outside
bandak-yekan: drive out
banditjiny: shining, glorious
bandjat: bright, shiny
bandjatiny: shining (or glory)
bando: really
bandojil: certainly
bangal: buy, trade, exchange
bangal-barrang: buy
bangal-yanga: borrow, exchange, sell
bangka: part, some, half, chapter, piece
bangka maya-maya: room, ('part of house')
bangka-bwora: inside part
banidja: use
banitj: use
banitja: use
banitja-birt: without use
banya: sweat
banyadak: heavy ('sweat-making')
bardang: jump
bardip: proverb, story, parable (can mean 'lie' but only in the sense of 'tall stories', or 'telling stories' about someone)
bardip-karni: true story
barnak: in public
barnan: clean
barnang: sweep

- barr**: rough
- barra-barra**: heal
- barra-barra-yan**: healed
- barrang**: bring, hold
- barrang mereny**: got bread
- barrang-ballar**: close
- barrang-bida**: shut the door
- barrang-djakan**: break down
- barrang-djinang**: show, reveal ('bring see')
(‘hold see’)
- barrang-dwangka**: remember (ear-hold)
- barrang-dwangkak**: to remember
- barranginy**: getting, taking
- barranginy-ngandabat**: salvation
- barrang-ngandabat**: save, bring life ('bring life or hold life')
- barrang-yalgawa**: keep
- barrang-yalgawal**: keep
- barrang-yan**: taken
- barrang-yira**: raise
- barrit**: cheat, deceive
- barritiny**: deceiving
- bayinya**: if
- bedik-bedik**: gentle, quietly, rest
- bella**: excellent
- benang**: tomorrow
- bibi**: breast, milk
- bida**: gate, door
- bidibaba**: tired
- bidiya**: paths
- bidjar**: sleep
- bidjara**: asleep, sleeping
- bilang**: push
- billan**: lift

bilya: river

bilyan: untie, take off

bilyan-yan: untied

bilyar: empty

bilyar-yan: emptied

binari: light

-bini: become, get

biny: become, get

-biny: become

birdiyar: boss

Birdiyar: Lord

birdiyar djonany-karinyang: judge, boss of the trial

Birdiyar mammarapang bakadjiny: boss of the soldiers

Birdiyar Yakina-Kooranyi: High Priests ('Boss Priests')

birdiyara: bosses (Capital B, Lord)

Birdiyara Yakina-Kooranyi: Chief Priests

Birdiyara Yakina-Kooranyiyang: Chief Priests

Birdiyarang-Mereny: The Lord's Meal/Supper

birdiyaritj: rule

Birdiyar-Yira Yakina-Kooranyiyang: High Priest

birok: year, summer

biroka: years ('summers')

biroka kadak: years old (summers had)

birrba: a sore

birrba-birrba: covered in sores

birrigon: silver, glistening

birrikon: shine, brightness

-birt: without

bitj: dry

biyan: dig

biyang: lightly

biyano: to dig

bogala: graves

bogal-wara: stooped, ('back bad'), disabled

bokadja: there

boni-nanookawin: kneel (boni means knee)

boodjari: pregnant

boodjer: ground

Boodjer: Kingdom, country

Boodjer Boolanga Yira Djelyibiny: Kingdom of God, Kingdom of Heaven ('God's Country Ruling')

Boodjer Boolanga-Yira Djeyibiny: Kingdom of Heaven

Boodjer Boolanga-Yirang Djelyibiny: Kingdom of God ('The Country God Rules')

Boodjera: World (capital B)

Boodjera Boolanga-Yiragang: Heaven, Country of God

boodjera kwolakang: wheat field ('ground for grain')

boodjer-djildjiyang: orchard, vineyard ('land for fruit')

boola: many, much

boola boy-a-kadak: rich, have much money

boola moorta: crowd, many people

boolanga: most

boola-ngatti: much more

Boolanga-Yira: God ('Most High')

Boolanga-Yirakang-Boodjer: Heaven (God's Country)

Boolanga-Yirakang Boodjer: Heaven, Country of God

Boolanga-Yirakang Boodjer wer ngalang Boodjer: Heaven and Earth ('God's Country and our Country')

Boolanga-Yirakany Waangki: pray, talk to God

Boolanga-Yirang Boodjer: Heaven ('Land of God')

Boolanga-Yirang Boodjer Djelyibiny: Kingdom of God (The Country God Rules)

Boolanga-Yirang Boodjera: Heaven (God's Country)

Boolanga-Yirany waangkiny: Prayer, talking to God

booliyak: bullock

booliyaka: cattle

boomabara: wound

booma-boyak: grind (with stone)

boomboorman: enemies

boonan: opening

boongal: beside, side

booram: in front

boorda: will, would (future tense)

boorda-don: will do

boordak: write, near/close

boordakiny: writing

Boordakiny-Kooranyi: Scriptures (Holy Writing)

boordak-koorl: approach, come near

boordak-yan: written

boordang: jump, flee, fly

boorn: tree, log

boorna: trees

- boornoo:** roof
boornoora: autumn
boorn-yambo: cross, (crossed tree)
boorn-yaniny: walking stick ('wood-walking')
boorong: having, with
booyal: south
bordak-yan: written
bowan: light, kindle
boya: money (coin, tax, stone))
boya-barranginy: money collecting
boya-birt: moneyless
boya-boola-kadak: has much money, rich
boya-kwarditj: stone (to death)
boyal: east
boyang: far, far off, far away
boyara: coins ('stones')
boyin: oil
boyin koorayinang: olive oil
boyin-bandin: perfume ('oil sweet smell')
bwok: clothing
bwoka: clothes, clothing (Kangaroo skin)
bwoka noyitjang: grave clothes, clothes of the dead
bwokooda: skin bottle/container
bwokoota: container, skin bag, jar
bwora: within, inside
bwora-koorl: go inside, enter
bwora-koorlo: to go in (UP TO HERE)
bwora-koornoo: push in
bworan: old man
bworana: elders, old men
dabakarn: slow
dabat: slow
dakan: break

- dalanga:** hunt, fish for
dalba: dust, ash, speck, waste
dalbada: bright, very white
dal-koodjal: hypocrite ('double tongue')
dal-koodjalak: hypocrite (two tongue)
dambarritj: bury
dandjo: together, each other
dandjo-barrang: bring together
dandjo-dandjo: together
dandjo-dandjo-barranga: gather together
dandjo-nyiny: sit together
dandjo-yana: walk together
danjo: together
darang: spill
darba: stoop
dargang: kill
dargang boornal: crucify, kill on a tree
darganga boornil: crucify, kill on a tree
dargang-yan: killed
dargang-yan boornal: crucified
darkal: straight
darnayan: terrible
darnayan-djil: very terrible, very terrified
darnayaniny: terrifying
dedin: close, block, shut
dendang: mount, get on
dengkoor: cover up, wrap
dengkoor-yan: covered
didara: middle
didara-kadik: midnight
dinang: carry on shoulder
djaa: mouth
djaadj: meat

djaat: criticise, tell off, rebuke

djaatj: meat

djaatja: meat

djabalar: fall

djabalariny: falling

djabano: to pick up, to gather

djabban: pick up, pick

djadam: hard

djadam boya: solid rock

dja-dediny: shut up ('mouth-shut')

djakani: break

djakakanak: to destroy, to break

djakani-oola: let break

djakani-yan: destroyed

djakarn: break

djakoortl: ran

djalang: tongue

djalinyan: lick

djallam: salt

djandarn: mend

djang: needle, ghost

djarnyak: must

djarp: knife, sword

dqedari: brown

djelibakang nyinyapa: thrones, kings' sitting places

djelyib: king

Djelyib moortakang Judea-kang: King of the Jews, King of the people of Judea

Djelyib Rome-ang: Emperor, King of Rome

djelyiba: kings

djena: feet

- djena bwoka:** shoes
djena-bwoka: shoe, foot clothes
Djenak: the Devil, Satan (capital D)
djenaka-wara: evil spirits
djenak-wara: evil spirit
djena-ngarda: under foot
djendjerin: pass
Djendjeriny-Yira: Passing Over
djeral: north
djeran-yan: torn
djeroob: happy
djerramin: wake up
djert: bird
djerta: birds
djertamaya: nest
dji: moment
djijdjita: fish
djikal: at a moment
djikang: briefly ('for a moment')
-djil: very
djilba: spring
djilbar: grass
djilbiga: herbs, leaves
djilbika: leaves
djildji: fruit
djildjit: fish
djildjita: fish
djildjintiny: fishing
djillab: sharp
-djin: same, like
djinang: see
djinang-kaaditj: recognise (see know)

- djinang-karni:** believe (see true)
- djinango:** to see
- djinang-oola:** let see
- djinang-waangki:** read (see-say)
- djinang-waangko:** to read ('see-say')
- djinara:** roots
- djin-bama:** condemn, punish
- djin-bama-yan:** punished (punish + yan)
- djinbaminy:** punishment (adding ap gives Djinbaminyap - Hell, 'Punishing place')
- djin-baminy:** punishment
- Djinbaminyangap:** Hell, Punishment place, (-ap - place)
- Djinbaminyap:** Punishment Place, Hell
- djin-bamo:** to punish
- djinbarranga:** find
- djinbarrangak:** to find
- djinbarranga-yan:** found
- djinda:** stars
- djin-dijn-kwabba:** angel, good spirit
- djin-dina-kwabba:** angels
- djin-djina-kooranyi:** angels
- djin-djina-kwabba:** angels
- djin-djin-kwabba:** angel ('spirit good')
- djinnara:** roots
- djiran:** torn apart
- djirin:** accuse
- djirina:** accuse
- djiriny:** accusing
- djit:** hole
- djiyak:** until
- djona-karra:** tempt, test ('reveal conduct')

- djonany-kariny:** trial, testing
djonany-karriny: testing
djoniny-karriny: testing
djook: sister
djooka: sisters
djookoorn: pull
djoomba: hair
djoorab: happy, glad
djoorab-djil: very happy
djoorab-djoorab: excited, very happy
djoorab-djoorab-djil: much happiness
djoorabiny: happily
djooroot: path, way, raod
djooroot doniny-karrinyang: temptation,
the path of testing
djoorootal: on the road
djoowak: descendant, generation
djoowaka: descendants
djooworl: left
djora: drink
djoriny: drinking
djoriny-kariny: testing, temptation
dombart: alone
don: do, did
dongki: donkey
doniny: doing, obeying
dono: to do
don-oola: let do
dookarn: cook
dookoon: light, karla-maat – lamp, fire-stick
dookoon-yan: alright
doombart: alone
doomboo: womb
doora: should, really, surely

- doora kwadja:** would have
doora-barrang: should get
doorgool: straight
dordong: around, ring
dorl-dorl: knock
dornamakariny: war
dwangka: ear(s), heard, hear, listen to
dwangka-anbangbat: forget ('ear lose')
dwangka-birgi: confused, ('ear-sore')
dwangka-birt: deaf ('ear without')
dwangka-boola: wise ('ear much')
dwangka-don: obey (hear-do)
dwangka-yan: heard
dwangkiny: listening
dwangko: to hear
dwanka: hear
dwankiny: hearing
dwert: dog
dwerta: dogs
dwordoka: pigs
edjena: happen, come true
edjena-oola: may happen, let happen (-oola = let)
edjeniny: happening
idja: put
-il: adding -il or -(y)il marks the strong subject of the sentence
John-Kakaloorniny: John the Baptist ('John Washing')
ka: or
kaa!: enough! baka – touch
kaaditj: know, think
kaaditj-bini: become known

- kaaditjiny:** thinking, knowledge
kaaditjinyal: in mind, in knowledge
kaanba: wings
kaarang: angry
kaaranga-mira: shout angrily
kaaranga-waangki: angry talk
kaarang-bini: get angry
kaarang-kaarang: very angry
kaat: head, mind
kaat kwedja: skull
kaata: heads
kabarli: old woman
kabin: perhaps
kadak: own, possess, have
kadik: night
kadik-bini: becoming dark
kadjali: distant, far
kadjat: cut
kadjir: also
kadjit: space, sky
kai!: wow! (surprise)
kai-kai: surprised, amazed
kai-kai-djil: very surprised
kakaloornak: to baptise
kakaloorni: wash, baptize
kakaloorniny: washing, baptism
kakatar: prepare
kakatariny: preparing
kakoodjen: hurry
kakoodjeno: to hurry
kalarak: hot, feverish
kalbang: move
kalyakool: forever, always

kalyakool ngandabat: eternal life, life always, life for ever

kalyaminy: false, lying

kalyara: meet

kalyat: cheek

kamak: kamak berry

kambarn: follow, accompany

kambarng: guess

kambarniny: following

kambart: daughter-in-law

kamo: around

kana: step, tread

kana-kana: trample

-kang: of [-ang after a consonant (eg Jacob-ang, Adam-ang), -kang after a vowel sound (eg Joshua-kang, Judah-kang)]

kanga: take, bring, carry

kango: to carry

kangya: spirit

Kangya-Kooranyi: Holy Spirit

kaniny: trampling, treading

kanna: step

kannar: chance

kanya: keep

kanyak: smooth

kanyiny: keeping

karakor: old

karbala: afternoon

karbarli: old woman

kard: hill, mountain

Kard Koorayinang: Mount of Olives

karda: hills

karda-dakkan: divide ('half-break')

karda-dakkaniny: division, dividing

karda-dakkan-yan: divided

kardakoor: among

kardakor: among, between

kardi: amazed (This translation tries to use kai-kai for surprise, a sudden reaction, and kardi for the more enduring feeling of amazement)

kardiny: amazing

kardjal: cool

kardjat: cut

kardjatiny: cut, circumcise

kardjir: too, also

Kard-Koorayinang: Mount of Olives

karla: fire

karlaka: urge

karla-kooranyi: altar ('sacred fire')

karla-maat: fire stick

karlamaya: village, camp, town

karlamayaka: towns

karlang: hot

karlap: home (fire place)

-karlap: person of (fire place ie, where your fire is). Added to a place name eg Galilee-karlap, it means Galileean)

karnabirt: wrong (without truth)

karnany: truth

karnany edjena: come true ('truly happen')

karnarny: truth

karnayal: truly

karni: true

karni-waangka: teach

karni-waangki: teach

karni-waangkiny: teaching ('truth saying')

karnya: shame, ashamed

karra: behave, conduct

karrab: hole, cave

karraba: cave

karradjal: trouble

karra-wara: badly behaved

karriny: behaving

karro: back

karroodjin: look after

karro-waangki: speak again

kati-kati-waangki: whisper ('silent talk')

katj: hammer, nail

katta: top

kawa: laugh

kaya: yes

kayalar: meet

kayan: nothing

kayan-kadak: having nothing

kayar: can, could

kayar-djinang: can see

kayar-wining: can live

kayida: soon

kedela: day

Kedela Barnanang: Day of Cleansing ('Purification')

Kedela Kooranyi: Sabbath Day

kedela maar-koodjal: week ('day-seven')

kedela ngarninyang wer djourinyang: feast day, day of eating and drinking

kedela ngomon: big day

kedela wer kadik: day and night

Kedela-Djoniny-Karriny: Day of Judgement

kedelaka koorliny: days to come, coming days

Kedela-Kooranyi: Sabbath ('Holy Day')

kedelara: days

Keny: the One, the Messiah

keny arda nop: one only son

Keny Boolanga Yira Waangki-Koortl: Messiah, One God Sends

Keny Boolanga Yira Waangki-Koortliny: The One God is Sending, The Messiah

Keny Boolanga-Yira Waangki-Koortl: Messiah ('The One God Sends')

Keny Boolanga-Yira Waangki-Koortliny: Messiah ('One God is Sending')

Keny Mammarap: The One Man (ie the Messiah)

kenyang: for one, also of one

kenyap: one place, any place

Keny-Barranginy-Ngandabat: Saviour ('One Bringing Life')

keny-keny: several, a few, some

kepa: water, rain

kepa-mardayin: liquor, wine

kepa-moorditj: strong liquor

kert-kert: quickly

kidikot: goat

kidji ngarl: and so

kin-kin: pretend

kinyak: enough

kitj: spear, kidja – spears

kitja: spears, bama – strike

kiyaloor: meet

kobatan: betray

kobat-kobatan: betray

kobin: hide

- kobina:** secrets
kobinap: secret place (secret + ap)
koboort-wirt: hungry
kobori: dance
koboriny: dancing.
koborl-wirt: hungry (without stomach)
kol: name, call
kola: names
kolal: in the name
kolal Jesus-ang: in the name of Jesus
kolboga: fig tree
kolboka: fig tree
koli: name
kolitj: to name
kolitjo: to name
kolitj-yan: called
kol-yan: called
kolyar: yeast, powder
kongal: south
kooda: string nets or bags, box, container,
bowl
kooda koort-koortiny: begging bag
kooda-boya: jar ('stone container')
kooda-boyang: purse
koodjal: two, they two pronoun, couple
koodjalang: their (two people)
koodjookat: ahead
koodjoooookat: before, in front
kookendjeri: sheep
koolamata: virgin
koolambidi: young man
koolyangarra: crumbs
koolyarn: crush
koolyi: lie

- koolyiny:** lying
koolyooma: lies
koolyoomitj: tell lies
koonang: manure, dung
koondarm: vision, dream
koondart: cloud
koondi: club
kooniny: young child
koora: long ago
koorambla: everywhere
Kooranyap: Holy Place
kooranyi: holy
Kooranyi Boodjera: Holy Country
koorayin: olive
koordook: want
koordookiny: wanting
koordoonitj: soul
koordor: noise
koorgong: tremble, shiver
koorilkar: a low bush
koorlang: child
koorlangka: children
koorlangka-birt: without children
koorlangweta: born
koorlang-yidja: bear a child
koorl-djinang: search, look for ('go-see')
koorl-oola: let go
koorn: shove
koort: heart
koort maat: wife
koorta: hearts
koorta-barrang: marry
koorta-kadakiny: wedding

- koorta-keny-bini:** come to an agreement ('heart one become')
- koorta-kenyiny:** agreement (one heart)
- koortamayara-kwabba:** healthy
- koort-bakkan:** desire
- koort-bama:** embrace (heart hit)
- koort-djal:** hate ('heart evil')
- koort-djinang:** desire (heart see)
- koort-kadak:** marry
- koort-karni:** faith ('heart truth')
- koort-karni-birt:** faithless ('without faith')
- koort-karniny:** faithfully
- koort-keny:** agree
- koort-koort:** beg
- koort-koortiny:** begging
- koort-kwabba:** glad, mercy
- koort-kwabba-djil:** overjoyed ('heart very good')
- koort-kwidiny:** hoping (heart waiting)
- koort-maat:** wife spouse, wedding
- koort-ngarda:** upset ('heart down')
- koortoomitj:** soul
- koort-wara:** sad, sorrow
- koort-wara-djil:** very stressed
- koort-wara-wara:** despair, grief
- koort-yanga:** trust ('heart give')
- koota-kwabba:** happy, good heart
- koot-kwabba:** joy ('heart good')
- koot-wara-djil:** very sad
- korad:** short
- korang:** turn
- kordja:** aside, separately
- koridjat:** before
- koriyat:** first

- korl-barrang:** get back
korl-djinang: look for, seek, search
korl-djinanginy: looking for
korl-koorl: come back
korl-korang: turn back
korl-miyalitj: look back
korl-yanga: give back
korram: while
kortamayara-kwabba: healthy
koryat: first
kowa: cliff
kowart: daughter
kowarta: daughter
koyitj: axe
kwabba: good, right
kwabba kinyak: good enough, worthy
kwabba warnak: to repair ('make good')
kwabba-bini: become well
kwabbadjil: very good
kwabba-djil: righteous, very good, wise, best, wonderful
kwabbalitj: beautiful
kwabba-ngatti: better
kwabba-waangk: praise
kwabba-waangki: speak well
kwadja: have, had etc (past tense)
kwadja-barrang: took
kwadjat: before, until
kwadja-yiraba: has risen
kwadjin: begin
kwadjininy: beginning
kwangkan: desert
kwarda: throw, fall

kwardo: to throw

kwetja: bone

kwibidji: escape

kwidiny: waiting

kwidjang: before, long ago

kwitj: at once

kwitjar: firmly

kwodjang: long time

kwolak: seed

kwolaka: seeds, grain

kwolaka yidja: produce grain

kwonding: quondong

kwonert: flour

kwoyalang: spirit

Levi-kang djoowak: descendant of Levi,
Levite

maaman: father

maamana: fathers

maam-inram: ancestor

maam-inrama: ancestors

maar: five, hand, finger, branch

maara: arms

maara-barrang: take in arms, hold, graps,
accept

maar-barrang: lay hands on (sometimes
means hold)

maar-biri: fingernail

maar-djen: ten

maar-djen-keny: eleven

maar-djen-koodjal: twelve

maar-keny: six

maar-koodjal: seven

maar-koodjal-koodjal: nine

maar-ngwoornmoorn: right hand

maar-waangki: gesture (hand talk)

maar-yanga: help ('hand give')

maar-yanginy: helping

maar-yango: to help

maata: legs

maat-wara: lame ('leg bad')

maawit: baby

maay: voice

maaya: voice

mabo: outside

madji: rope

mala: lake

maladj: grow

maladja: grow

maladjiny: growing

maladj-oola: let grow

mala-mala: pieces

malar: lake

malatj: grow

malatja: grow

malgar: doctor, wise person

malitji: shadow

malka: doctor, clever person

malyak: begin

malyakiny: starting

malyarak: mid-day

mammarap: man

Mammarap Karni Judea-kang: Patriot, Zealot ('True Man of Judea')

mammarapa boy-a-barranginy: tax collectors ('people taking money')

Mammarapa Warrinyang: Law Men ('Men of the Law')

mammarapa-bakadjiny: soldiers, men of war

mammarapa-bakadjinyang: soldiers ('men of fighting')

Mammarapang Nop: Son of Man

Mammarapa-Warrinyang: Law Men

Mammarap-Warrinyang: Law Man

-**man:** all (only used for people) (eg mortaman - all people)

mana-barangka: diamond dove

mana-boorangka: dove (diamond dove)

manatja: police

manatja Maya-maya-Kooranyi: Temple police

mandak: country, bush

mandaka: bush

mandang: all

Mandjar: Festival, market

manga: young girl, trap, shoulder

mangat: mother-in-law

mango: to trap (manga=fish trap)

mania: flowers, wattles

manna-ngoonyang: incense ('gum sweet')

marawar: west

mara-yanga: help ('hand give')

mardakan: drown

mardayin: powerful, strong, strength

mardayinal: in strength, in power

mardayin-biny: become strong

mardayin-kaaditj: study ('strongly think')

mardayin-ngatti-biny: become stronger

mariny: weeping

marlaka: mallee

marlanga: prove

marlbarrang-yidja: pull up

marr: wind

marridja: move, travel journey

marridjiny: traveling, journey

maya: box, container

maya-maya boyang: bank ('house of money')

maya-maya dediny: gaol, shut house

maya-maya dedin-yan: gaol, ('house closed')

maya-maya dedinyang: prison, (house shut)

Maya-Maya Kalyara: Synagogue meeting house

Maya-maya Kooranyi: The Temple

maya-maya kwolakang: grain house, barn

maya-maya ngwoorndiny: inn, rest house

Maya-maya(ra)-Kalyara: synagogue(s) ('meeting houses')

Maya-maya-Kalyara: synagogues, meeting houses

Maya-maya-Kalyaragal: Synagogue, Meeting House

Maya-maya-Kooranyi: Temple ('House Holy')

maya-ngwoorndiny: bed

mayart: dark

mayirak: grieve

mereny: food, bread, barter

mereny wer djaadj: food (bread and meat)

Merenyang-Bargar: Thin Bread, Unleavened Bread

mika: moon, month (plural – mikara)

mila: later

milgar: new

ili-ili: paper ('leaf')

minditj: sick, diseased

minditj-wara: very sick

mingal: tear off, wear out, tears

- mingitj:** wrong
mira: call out
mira-yan: shouted
miriny: calling
mirlkoon: dish
miyal: eye
miyala: eyes, sight
miyala-birt: blind
miyala-djinanginy: sight, seeing eyes
miyalakal: in the eyes of, in the sight of
miyal-birt: blind
miyalitj: look
miyalitji: watch
miyalitjiny: looking
mo: three, a few
mo wer bangka: three and a half
mogong: strange
mokang: foreigner
mokiny: like, dingo
-mokiny: resemble
mokinya: dingos
moodlooka: everything
mooloor: loaf, cake
mooloora: loaves
moolyimari: face
moolyimarri: face
moonakiny: shine
moon-karng: send
moorart: fill, full
moorartiny: filling
moorartitj: fill
moordak: deep
moorditj: great

- moorditj mardayin yirayen:** great power from above
- moorditj maya-maya:** great houses, palaces
- moorditj-moorditj:** very great, glorious
- moorditj-ngatti:** much greater, greater
- moorndin:** back(of body)
- moort yana-waangki:** messenger (person walk-talk)
- moorta:** people
- moorta boola-boola:** crowd (many many people)
- moorta boy-a-barranginy:** tax collectors ('people money collecting')
- Moorta Ngany Waangki-Koorl:** Apostles ('People I Send')
- moorta warda-kadak:** seniors, important people
- moorta yana-waangki:** messengers ('people-talk-walk')
- moorta-banitjiny:** tenants, ('people using')
- moorta-boordak:** neighbours, people nearby
- moortaman:** all people
- mooyang:** adultery
- morba menditj:** skin disease
- morba-minditj:** skin disease (including leprosy)
- morba-wara:** skin disease
- mord:** hill
- morda:** hills
- mordak:** deep
- mordakan:** drown
- mordibang:** exhausted, worn out
- morl-barrang:** pull out
- mornitj:** thorn bush

- mornitja:** thorn bush
mo-waangki: speak a third time
Naa!: Ah!
naadjang: than
naadjil: why
naan-yaaka: wait, also stay
naan-yaakiny: stay, remain
naba: young, chicks etc
nabba: rub
nadjang: than
nadjil: why
nagal: calm, peace
nagalitj: calm
nakal: peace
nakalal: in peace, quietly
nanyar: fit, stiffen
nanyariny: fitting
naral: side
narla: because, for
narra: burn
narra-yan: burned
narridja: spit
narridja-kwarda: spit, (spittle-throw)
narryn: burning
narro: to burn
natj nidja: what's this
nembing: bronze-wing pigeon
ngaangk: mother
ngaangk yira-koorl: the sun rises
ngaangk-yira: sun rise
ngaanyaal: myself
ngabalangornda: safe, True happiness
ngabatj: greedy

- ngabatj koboortj:** greedy
ngakaka: request, ask
ngakaka-marridjiny: messengers
ngakako: to ask
ngakalya: steal
ngakalyang: thief
ngakalyanga: thieves
ngalaal: ourselves
ngalan: how many
ngalen: winding
ngaliny: bending
ngambany: sign
ngambing: sign
nganaka: wait
nganakiny: waiting, expecting
nganala: need
nganayak: wait, expect
nganayaka: expect, wait for
ngandabat: life
ngandabat barrang: save life
ngandabata: lives
ngandabatak: to life
ngangk: sun, (this translation uses ngangk for sun and ngaangk with double aa for mother)
ngangk yira: sunrise
ngangk-djert: mother bird, hen
ngangk-ngardak: sun down
nganitj: stop, finish, end
nganitjiny: ending
nganitjo: to stop
ngank ngarda-koorl: sun set, sun goes down
ngank yira: sun rise
nganyaal: myself

- nganyang:** my
Nganyang Djelyib: My King, Your Majesty
nganyang kolal: in my name
ngaraka: lower
ngarda: down, low
ngarda- djabalar: fall down
ngarda-barrang: bring down
ngarda-bilang: hold down
ngarda-djil: lowest
ngardak: low
ngardaka: set, go down
ngarda-koorl: come down
ngarda-kwarditj: to throw down
ngardakwir: drop
ngardal: sink
ngarda-miro: call down
ngardanga: bottom
ngarda-ngatti: lowest
ngarda-nyiny: sitting beneath
ngarda-yidja: put down
ngarl: so
ngarl karro: so then
ngarn: consume, eat
ngarnala: need
ngarniny: eating, feeding
ngarniny ka djouriny: feasting, eating and drinking
ngarno wer djoro: to feast, (to eat and drink)
ngarnyap: table, eating place
ngarrak-ngarrak: side to side
-ngat: near
ngatta: more
ngatti: more

-ngatti: more

ngatti-*ngatti*: again and again

ngayaka: wait for

nginda: when

ngiyan: who

ngiyanga: waves

ngobiny: bleeding

ngolanga: after, from, behind, since

ngolonga: after

ngoming: lay

ngomon: large

ngomon bwoka: curtain, big cloth

ngomon karlamaya: big town, city

ngomon maya-maya djonany-karinyang:

court house ('big house of testing')

ngomon-djil: bigger

ngooldjar: disciple

ngooldjara: disciples

ngooldjara-kambarna: disciple ('friend-follow')

ngooldjara-kambarniny: disciples ('friend following')

ngooldjar-kambarn: disciple (friend-follow)

ngooloolong: relatives

ngoongoolong: family, relatives

ngoongoolonga: family, relatives

ngooni: brother

ngoonika: brothers

ngooniya: brothers

ngoonoolong: family, relatives

ngoonoolonga: relatives

ngoorndiny: sleeping, lying

ngoorndo: to sleep

- ngoornmoorn:** right, right hand
ngop: blood
ngorlak: tooth
ngorna-kwabba: merciful
ngornda: chest
ngort: horse
ngowort: shelter
ngwidam: solemn, serious, hard
ngwoordiny: lying
ngwoornda: lie down
ngwoorndak: to lie down, to sleep
ngwoorndin: bed
ngwoorndiny: lying, sleeping
ngwoorndinyap: resting place
ngwoorndo: to lie down
ngwoornmoorn: right hand
ni: listen
ni!: listen!
nidja: this
nidja kadik: tonight
nidja kedela: today
nidja-nidja: these
nidjap: this place
nindjan: kiss
nindyan: kiss
niran: plant
niraniny: planting
nirnt-daalang: scorpion ('tail-tongue')
niyandap: plain, flat place
nomaring: pity
nonookaal: yourselves (-aal = self)
noolong: a thing, something
noolonga: things

noolonga-djin: same thing

noolong-djin: same thing

nooloo: narrow

noonaal: yourself

noonookaal: yourselves

noonroo: your own

noorook: egg

nooyang: blow

nop: son

nopa: sons

noyitj: death

noyitja: dead

noyitj-yen: from the dead

nyamap: little bit

nyin: sit, stay

nyin kalyakool: lasts for ever

nyinap: seat, (sit place)

nyininy: staying, sitting

nyin-oola: let stay, let rest

nyiny: exist, be (to sit=to be), stay

-nyiny: to be (literally, to sit)

nyinya-nyinya: forgive

nyinya-nyinya-yan: forgiven (adding yan
turns forgive into forgiven)

nyinya-nyinyiny: forgiveness

nyinyap: resting/sitting place (-ap = place)

nyit: little, small

nyitanga: smallest

nyit-djil: smallest

nyit-ngatti: smallest

nyit-nyit: tiny

nyoodjoowal: you two

nyootjoowal: you two

-oola: let (djinang-oola – let see)

-pa: might, may

Rome-kang Birdiyar: Roman Governor

-roo: own (noonookaroo=your own)
ngoldjara-kambarn – disciples

Samaria-karlap: from Samaria ('Samaria home')

Syria-karlap: Syrian (-karlap = fire place, i.e. a Syrian is a person whose home or fireplace is in Syria)

tatan: stupid

tornamako: to protect

torotawa: burst

wa?: (makes a question) (exclamation at end of question)

waangka- djan: shout

waangka-djan: shout

waangki: say

waangki Boolanga-Yira: pray, speak to God

waangki Boolanga-Yirany: pray, talk to God

waangki dandjo-dandjo: discuss, speak together

waangki djan: scream

waangki warrinya noyitjang: speak the words of death, sentence to death

waangki-birt: without speech

waangki-djan: shout

waangki-djinang: ask question

waangki-djinanginy: questioning

waangki-koorl: send

waangki-kwabba: greet (speak good)

waangki-mardayin: command ('speak strongly')

waangkiny Boolanga-Yirany: praying, talking to God

waangki-waangki: argue

waangki-waangkiny: arguing

waangki-wort-koorl: send away

waangki-yonadji: be silent, not speak

waanki-koorl: send

wagal: snake

wakal: snake

walak: share

walak-walak: share, divide

walak-yanga: share out

walak-yidja: change

walbar: shore

walgar-kadak: guilty

waliny: weeping

wallar: careless

wal-wal: weep

walwaliny: crying

wal-waliny: weeping, crying

wambadin: proud

wandaberi: boat

wandang: wearing

wandanginy: wearing

wandang-yan: dressed

wandaniny: wondering

wandja: leave, go from

wandjo: to leave

wangarn: restrain

wanika: funeral

wanni: die

wanniny: dying

wanniyak: to death

war: way

- wara-bakkan:** injure, hurt badly
wara-banitja: misuse ('bad using')
wara-doniny: sinning, sins
waral: in the way
wara-morba: skin disease, leprosy
wara-ngatti: worse
waraniny: hanging
warariny: wronging, sinning
wara-waangki: insult ('bad-talk')
wara-wara: evil, very bad, sinful
wara-wara minditj: bad sickness, plague
wara-wara moort: criminal, evil person
wara-wara moorta: evil people, enemies
wara-wara yoka: bad women, prostitutes
wara-wara-djil: awful, very bad
warda: news
warda kadak: important
Warda Marridjiny: Prophet ('News Traveling')
warda-kadak: well-known, renowned
warda-kadaka: important men
Warda-Kwabba: Gospel ('News Good')
Warda-Marridjiny: prophet
Warda-Marridjinya: Prophets
wardanga: crows
wardarn: sea
war-djin: same way
warkata: seek (another word is korl-djinang, 'go see')
warlak-yidja: change
warlbar: coast
warma: other
warmap: another place

- warn:** make
warning: next
warniny: building
warn-wara: spoil, make bad
warranga: tell, preach
warranga-yan: told
warrangkiny: singing
warrin: word
Warriny: Law, Word
warrinya: words (small w. With capital W it means Law)
warrinya noyitjang: death sentence
warrin-yanga: promise, give word
wayarn: frightened, fear, afraid
wayarn-birt: without fear
wayarn-djil: very afraid
wayarn-djin: very afraid
wayarniny: fearful, anxious
wayarno: to fear
wedina: valley
wedjang: gather, harvest
wer: and (kidji also means 'and' when it joins longer phrases with verbs etc)
weyang: mix
windang: old
windji: where
winidjinbar: at that moment
wining: live
wininginy: living
wininy: living, live, alive
winyan: sorrow, sad, poor, afraid
winyana: poor
wiring: straight

- wirt:** weak
wobata: overflow
wobatiny: full, overflowing
wokart: through
wokart-koorl: spread, go through
wolang: wrap, wear
wolang bwoka: dress, put on clothes
woldjara: vultures
wondanga: loads
won-gin: green
woodjang: remote
woola: exclaim, shout excitedly, celebrate, rejoice
woola-woolin: celebrating
woomboobiny: proudly
woonya: love, like
woonya-ngatti: love more
woori: long
woorla: moths
woorri: tall, high
worda: neck
worl: sky
wort: away
wort-bangal: sell
wort-barrang: take out, take away
wort-barrang-yan: taken away
wort-bilang: roll away
wort-kanga-yan: taken away
wort-koorl: go away
wort-koorl-oola: let go away, let depart
wort-koorna: push away
wort-korang: turn away from, reject
wort-korang-yan: rejected

- wort-kwarda:** throw away
wort-kwarditj: throw away
wort-waangki-koorl: send away, divorce
wort-yana: walk away
wort-yanga: give back, give away
wort-yaniny: walking away
yaaka: stand
yaakiny: standing
yadarn: tie up
yadarn-yan: chained, tied
yadok: last
yaka: work
yakin: worker, servant
yakina: workers (so kookendjeriyang-yakina
- shepherds)
yakina boodjerang: farmer
yakina-kooranyi: priests
yakin-kooranyi: priest ('worker holy')
yakiny: work, working
yako: to work
yakoorl: run
yalga: but
yalgaran: open
yalkaran: free, release
yalkaranan: liberate, set free
yalman-waangk: answer, reply
yalman-waangki: reply
yalya: grave, tomb
yalyetiny: wetting
yambo: across
yambo-koorl: go across
yana: walk
yana-waangki: messenger

- yando:** gold, yellow
yanga: give, given
yanga-kwabba: bless (give good)
yanga-kwabba-yan: blessed
yanga-kwabbiny: blessing
yanganan: praise, greet, welcome, thank, open
yanganan moorditj: great praise
yanganan-yan: praised
yanga-narra: sacrifice, offering ('give burning')
yanga-narriny: give offering ('give burning')
yanganiny: praising, thanking
yanga-yan: given
yanginy: gift, giving
yaniny: walking
yardjan: seize
yardjang: capture, seize, arrest
yarlin: body
yarn: how
yarrang-yarrang: rub
yatar-yan: captive, tied
Yediga: Psalms, songs
Yedika: 'Psalms', songs
yedi-waangki: sing a song
yedi-waangkiny: singing
yekan: drive out
yekana: drive out
yenang: widow
yenanga: widows
yendan: beneath
yengalang: surround
yennar: every

yennar waral: in every way kooramba – everywhere

yezi: now

yidja: bear, give birth, put, make

yidjak: to put

yidjan: mock, laugh at

yidja-yan: put

yidjiny: putting

yikkan: wake

yilak: quickly

yilak-yilak: immediately

yimbara: husks

yinadjat: ahead

yinang: young

yinang kookendjeri: lamb, young sheep

yindjaran: dry

yinya-yinya: forgive

yira: over, above, high

yira barrang: take up

yiraba: stand up, get up, rise

yiraba noyitjyen: rise from death

yira-barrang: lift up

yira-barrang-yan: taken up

yiraba-yan: raised

yira-bilang: lift up

Yira-Djendjeriny: Pass Over

yira-djil: very high

yira-djinang: look up

yira-kaaditj: think highly

yirakaat: top, roof

yirakal: suddenly

yira-koorl: go up

- yira-koorl-yan:** taken up
yiraman: stretch out
yira-miyalitj: look up
yira-ngatti: higher
yirany: rising
yira-nyiny: sit up
yirap: high place
yira-yaaka: stand up ('appoint')
yira-yaakiny: standing over
yira-yidja: put up
yira-yira: high
yirrbin: sprinkle, drip
yirribin: drip
yok: woman
Yok Djeyib Sheba-kang: Queen of Sheba
yoka: women
yokaman: all women
yongka: kangaroo (Jesus used the word 'camel')
yoodjil: cup, drinking shell
Yoolina: Council (chiefs, councillors)
yoolindja: chief
yoorang-voorang: scatter, shake, sift
yoordjang: seize
yoowal-koorl: came
yoowart: not, don't, not
yoowart kiyar: can/could not ('not can')
yoowart moort: nobody
yoowart noolong keny: nothing, not one thing
yoowart-kayar: can't ('not can')
yowi-kwarda: faint
yowir: confused, drunk

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