

Ughubulo weng'ighwe

Yohane

Ichilongole

Chitabu cha Ughubulo cha ichitabu ichimalitsila laghano lya sambu, kuya cha kutsigha ukwandikighwa. Chandikighwa na mtumighwa Yohane mna miyaka ya tisini na tano kulawa Yesu helekighwe, (Ughu 1:1). Pfiyila Yohane kandika Imbulu inoghile ya Yohane na tsibaluwa tsingi ndatu, ibaluwa ya mwanduso ya Yohane, ya keli na ya kadatu. Kuya yeye tsakamanyika ka imunu iyanoghelighwe na Yesu (Ughu 13:23). Kandika chitabu chino hayang'ali ka mne chisiwa cha Patimo kwaapfila tsakohighwa ako kwaajili ya ukuwapeta Imbulu Inoghile ya Yesu (Ughu 1:9).

Chinu chikulu chimtendile Yohane yandike chitabu chino, kuwaghuma ghumoyo Wakiristu waghendelele kumtoghola Yesu Kiristu na waghendelele kumlolela yeye kwaapfila ghamatsuwa ghake gho ukuya gha habehi (1:3, 22:7). Ichitabu chino kawandikila Wakiristo wose na kaghandikila makanisa saba ka isula ya keli na ya kadatu pfatsilonga. Yohane kolonga achi chayandike Imulungu kamghubulila, na keka imifano mingi mne chitabu chose yalonge pfinu pfonyile. Chitabu chake cheghala na pfitabu pfa laghano lya ghumwande, ka chitabu cha Zakalia (6:1-8). Malati saba na nungo saba tseghala ghendo na majanga ghatumile Imulungu kwe isi ya Misiri (Kul 7-9). Chitabu chino cholonga ukamala kwe iisi, ukuhuma kwa Yesu mna matsuwa gha ukutsigha, na iwanu wose iwomlolela watsokala naye ghamatsuwa ghose. Chitabu chino chikukanye na chikutende uwe na lolelo ka Yesu kakuya sambu.

Ghali mno

Mne isula ya 1:1-1:20, Yohane kakwanza kwa kulonga yeye yali nani na kolonga pfayabokele mbuli tsino tsa chinabii.

Mne isula ya 1:1-3:22, Koghalongela makanisa saba mbuli itsilawile kwa Yesu

Mne isula ya 4:1-11:19, Kolonga mbuli tsa mihuli saba na malati saba.

Mne isula ya 12:1-14:20, Yohane kolonga imwana mmale pfayesongile na litsoka kulu line matwi saba.

Mne isula ya 15:1-16:18, kolonga mbuli tsa ghamabakuli saba gha maya ye Imulungu.

Mne isula ya 17:1-20:15, kuya kolonga Imulungu pfahayatsowahuma iwomuhila ako kulanga.

Mne isula ya 21:1-22:21, Yohane komalitsila kwa kulonga mbuli tsa kulanga kwa sambu na iisi ya sambu itsikutsa ghamatsuwa gha ukutsighila.

1 ¹ Auno ughubulo wa Yesu Kiristu, weng'ighwe ne Imulungu yawalanguse iwatumwa wake aghala ighatsolawila habehi. Kiristu tsakamtuma malaika wake amlongele mbuli atso mtumwa wake Yohane. ² Naye Yohane tsakalanga ghose ghaghonile ka ukalangama, ka pfiya Imbulu ye Imulungu na chila chinu chalongile na chatendile Yesu Kiristu. ³ Kabweda imunu yula iyosoma mbuli tsino tsa unabii, na wabweda awala iwohulika na kugheka mmoyo aghala ighandikighwe mne chitabu chino, kwaapfila ghamatsuwa gha ukulawila ghano gha habehi.

Yohane koghalamsa makanisa saba

⁴ Nene Yohane noghandikila makanisa saba ighali mne isi ya Asiya.

Imulungu yawatendeleni uluso na yamwikenzi tseghamba, yeye yalibaha na yakalile baho na iyatsakuwa baho na kulawa kwa muhe saba iwali hambele he chighoda chake che undewa, ⁵ na Yesu Kiristu, mkalangama yotogholighwa, iyalongole kutsililuhighwa kulawa mne lifwa, na iyali mkulu we iwandewa we isi yose.

Na kulawa kwa ayula iyotunoghela na iyatulapfile mne nzambi tsetu kwa idamu yake, ⁶ na katutenda tuwe watambika mne undewa wake, tumsang'anile Imulungu, Aba wake. Kuna yeye Kiristu kuwe na ukulu na ngupfu ghamatsuwa ghose! Amina.

⁷ Lola, kakutsa mmawingu,

chila munu katsomwona,

hata awala iwamuhomile,

na iwanu wose iwali mne isi yose watsolila kwaajili yake.

Apfo pifpo pfaitsakuwa. Amina.

⁸ Imtwatsa Imulungu lyane ngupfu, yalibaha na iyakalile baho na iyatsakutsa, kolonga, “Nene mwanduso na utsighilo we pfinu pfose.”

Ghamaono gha Yohane pfamonile Kiristu

⁹ Nene na Yohane ndughu yenu, na miyenu mna maghayo, mna undewa, mna ukududumila kwaajili ya Yesu. Nene tsangalighwa mchifungo mne chisiwa cha Patimo kwaapfila tsaniwapetela iwanu mbuli ye Imulungu na kwaapfila tsanikala mkalangama wa Yesu. ¹⁰ Litsuwa limwe, mna litsuwa lya Imtwatsa Ghumuhe we Imulungu kanongotsa, nihulika litsi kulu kuchughu kwangu ka litsi lya malati. ¹¹ Litsi alyo tsalilonga, “Wandike mchitabu aghala ghukona, ughaghalile makanisa ghano saba ighali Efeso, Simulina, Perigamo, Tiyatira, Sade, Filadefiya na Laodikiya.”

¹² Tsanihunduka nimwone iyang'ali yolonga na nene, hanihunduke mbona pfinu saba pfa nzahabu pfa kwikila pfitasa. ¹³ Mna pfinu apfo saba pfa nzahabu pfa kwikila pfitasa, mbona ichinu ka imunu, tsakapfala gholole ilipfikile mmaghulu na msipi we nzahabu iubitile muyegha mbaka mlubapfu mwake. ¹⁴ Mvili tsake tsoneka nzelu chwee ka sufi, na nenge tsake ka lambi lya ghumoto, ¹⁵ Maghulu ghake tsaghang'ala ka ishaha iilawile mmoto, na litsi lyake tsalikala ka litsi lye ghamatsi ighoghuluma mwipalu. ¹⁶ Naye tsakakala na tsinondo saba mna ghumoko ghwake ghwa kujilo, na mna mlomo wake lilawa limaghe ilitema kosekose, na chihanga chake tsaching'ala ka litsua lya nemisi.

¹⁷ Hanimwonile, tsandaghala mmaghulu mwake ka munu yafile. Kanyikila ghumoko ghwake ghwa kujilo, kanongela, “Uleke kupfuka! Nene na mwanduso na utsighilo we pfinu pfose. ¹⁸ Nene na mghima! Tsanyifa, lekeni sambu na mghima ghamatsuwa ghose, na ninatso tsipfughulo tsa lifwa na tsa kutsimu.

¹⁹ “Apfo wandike ghukona, ghano gha sambu na aghala ighatsolawila hambele.

²⁰ Aino ano mbuli iipfisisike ya tsinondo tsawonile mna ghumoko ghwangu ghwa kujilo, na mbuli ya pfinu pfile saba pfa nzahabu pfa kwikila pfitasa. Tsinondo tsila saba wamalaika wa makanisa, na pfinu pfile saba pfa nzahabu pfa kwikila pfitasa makanisa saba.

Usenga kwa Efeso

2 ¹ “Umwandikile pfino malaika wa kanisa lya Efeso.

“Nene yanikindilitsa tsinondo saba mne ghumoko ghwangu ghwa kujilo na yanikwanga mna pfinu pfile saba pfa nzahabu pfa kwikila pfitasa, nolonga pfino. ² Nomanya ghutenda, nomanya kwiwunda kwako na ukududumila kwako.

Nomanya ka ng'udaha bae kuwadudumila iwanu wehile, na kuya kuwaghetsa awala iwekema iwenyegho watumighwa, lekeni si watumighwa bae, na kuwona ka waghutsu. ³ Ghweghwe kududumila na kulighanzikila taghwa lyangu, wala ng'wipfile bae. ⁴ Lekeni nina chinu chimwe cha kukulonga, ng'uninoghela keli bae ka hala mwanduso. ⁵ Ukumbuke pfukalile hala ng'una ughwe bae, uleke ghehile utende aghala ghutendile hala mwanduso. Ka ng'uleka bae nzambi tsako, nakutsa kusola hanu hako ha kwikila chitasa kulawa hanu hake. ⁶ Lekeni nokutoghola kwa chinu chimwe, koghahila aghala ghawotenda Wanikolai, ka nene pfonighahila.

⁷ "Ayula yane maghutwi gha kuhulika, na yahulike aghala Ghumuhe ghayoghalongela makanisa.

"Ayula iyohuma, nitsomleka aje matunda ghe ghumbiki ghwe ughima ghuli mwikonde mwe Imlungu.

Usenga kwa Simulina

⁸ "Umwandikile pfino malaika wa kanisa Iya Simulina.

"Nene namwanduso na utsighilo, yanifile na yanitsilibuke keli, nolonga pfino, ⁹ Noghamanya maghayo ghako, nomanya uhingwa wako, lekeni kwa kulongesa ghweghwe kuna mali nyingi ghendo. Nomanya maligho ghulighighwe na awala iwekema Wayahudi lekeni si Wayahudi ghendo bae, ila wa kingili Iya Setani.

¹⁰ Uleke kupfuka chinu chochose kwa aghala ghautsodunuzika. Nokulongela, Yehile katsomghetsani kwa kuweka mchifungo wamwenga wenu, namwe mtsoghaya kwa matsuwa kumi. Uleke kuleka kutoghola mbaka kufa, na nene nitsokwing'a ghweko Iya ughima.

¹¹ "Ayula yane maghutwi gha kuhulika, na yahulike aghala Ghumuhe ghoghalongela makanisa!

"Ayula iyohuma ng'atsotingana mbe na lifwa Iya keli.

Usenga kwa Perigamo

¹² "Umwandikile pfino malaika wa kanisa Iya Perigamo,

"Nene yanili ne limaghe ilinolighwe na ilitema kosekose, nolonga pfino.

¹³ Nomanya ghweghwe kuukala, kokala hane chighoda che undewa cha Setani, lekeni ung'ali munu wa kutogholighwa kuna nene, na ng'uibelile bae inoghola yako kuna nene hata mne ghamatsuwa gha Antipa, mkalangama wangu iyatogholighwe hayakomighwe mghati mwenu aho hayokala Setani. ¹⁴ Lekeni nina mbuli ndodo tsa kukulonga, kuna wamwenga mna mwemwe iwowinza malangulitso gha Balaamu, iyamlangulitse Balaki iyawalongotse Waisiraeli mnzambi kwa kupfija ipfija ipfitambikighwe pfiyagho na kutenda ughoni. ¹⁵ Pfiyala namwe, mwinawo iwanu iwowinza malangulitso gha Wanikolai. ¹⁶ Apfo uleke ghehile! Ka ng'uleka bae, nakutsa sambu, sikawa bae, na nene nitsetowa na iwanu awo kwa limaghe ililawa mumlomo mwangu.

¹⁷ "Ayula yane maghutwi gha kuhulika, na yahulike aghala Ghumuhe ghayoghalongela makanisa.

"Yeye iyohuma nitsomwing'a ichijo chila ipfisighwe, ichikemighwe mana, pfiyala nitsomwing'a libwe tselu lyandikighwe taghwa Iya sambu na kuduhu munu wowose iyolimanya ila ayula iyalibokele.

Usenga kwa Tuatila

¹⁸ "Umwandikile pfino malaika wa kanisa Iya Tiyatira,

"Aino imbuli ya Imwana we Imlungu, yane tsinenge itsikwaka ka lambi Iya ghumoto na yane ghamaghulu ka shaba ilawile mmoto. ¹⁹ Noghamanya ghose ghutenda. Noumanya unoghelo wako, ukutoghola kwako, ukududumila kwako na

sang'ano yako. Na sambi kwotenda pfinoghile kubita hala mwanduso. ²⁰ Leken nina chinu chimwe cha kukulonga, ghweghwe komlekelela pinga yula Yezebeli, iyekema mwenyegho nabii. Kowalangulitsa na kowaghisa iwatumwa wangu watende ughoni na kuja ipfijo ipfitambikighwe pfinyagho. ²¹ Na nene nimwing'a chipindi cha kuleka ughoni wake, lekeni kolema kuleka ughoni wake. ²² Apfo nitsomwing'a utamu, yeye na wayaghe watendile utsinzi naye, watsoghaya ghendo, ka ng'awoleka bae ukutenda ghehile. ²³ Pfiabila nitsowakoma iwomuwinza. Kuya makanisa ghose ghatsomanya ka nene na ayula iyomanya ighali mne imimoyo na ighali mwitwi mwe wanu. Nitsomliha chila imunu kwa achila chatendile. ²⁴ Lelo mwemwe yamkala mne isi ya Tiyatira, ng'amuwinzile bae malaghitso ghano ghehile, na ng'amwilangulitse bae apfiba iwopfikema pfinu ipfifisike pfa Setani. Sitsowatika bae mtsigho wowose ungi. ²⁵ Leken chikideni achila chamlinacho mbaka hanikutsa.

²⁶ “Ayula iyohuma na kukinda mbuli tsangu mbaka utsighilo nitsomwing'a ukulu wa kuwatawala iwanu we isi tsingi. ²⁷ Katsowadima kwa ng'weku ye chuma na kuwahondahonda ka pfiha pfapfihondighwa. ²⁸ Ka nene pfanibokele ukulu kulawa kwa Aba wangu, nitsomwing'a inondo iikuchela.

²⁹ “Ayula yane maghutwi gha kuhulika, na yahulike aghala Ghumuhe ghayoghalongela makanisa.

Usenga kwa Sade

3 ¹ “Umwandikile pfino malaika wa kanisa Iya Sade, “Apfi pfipto pfolonga yeye iyokindilisa muhe saba tse Imulungu na tsinondo saba. Noghamanya ghautenda! Nomanya kwomanyika ka kuna ughima, lekeni ghweghwe kufa. ² Lamka! Ghaghume ngupfu aghala ighasighale kuna ghweghwe ighali habehi kufa. Kwaapfiba mbaka sambi sina mbone ka sang'ano tsako tsitimila hambele he Imulungu wangu. ³ Ghakumbuke ghose ghubokele na ghuhulike, ghakinde ghendo, uleke kutenda keli nzambi. Leken ka ng'ukala meso bae, nitsokutsila kwa kwidukitsa ka mbapfi, na wala ng'utsomanya bae nitsakutsa tsuwachi. ⁴ Lekeni kwinao iwanu chidogho mne ghumji ghwa Sade, ing'awoghatimba maghwanda ghawo. Watsakwanga hamwe na nene aku wapfala maghwanda matselu kwaapfiba pfinogha wawo kutendelighwa apfo. ⁵ Ayula iyohuma katsopfatsighwa ghamaghwanda matselu ka wawo. Na nene sitsolileghusa mbe taghwa lyake mna chitabu cha ughima, na nitsolitoghola taghwa lyake hambele ha Aba wangu na hambele ha wamalaika wake. ⁶ Ayula yane maghutwi gha kuhulika, na ahulike aghala Ghumuhe ghoghalongela makanisa.

Usenga kwa Filadefiya

⁷ “Umwandikile pfino malaika wa kanisa Iya Filadefiya,

“Apfi pfipto pfolonga ayula iyenzeluke na yane ukweli, yane upfughulo wa Daudi, na hayopfughula libani, kuduho imunu iyodaha kulihinda, na hayolihinda libani, kuduho bae imunu iyodaha kupfughula. ⁸ Noghamanya ghutenda! Lola, nipfughula libani hambele hako, kuduho imunu iyodaha kulihinda. Nomanya ka ghweghwe kuna ngupfu ndodo, lekeni tsakutsikinda mbuli tsangu na ng'ulibelile bae taghwa lyangu. ⁹ Lola, nitsokughalila iwanu wa Setani, na iwekema Wayahudi kumbe si Wayahudi bae, ila waghutsu, nitsowatenda wakutowele maghoti, na iwanu wose watsomanya ka nene nokunoghela ghweghwe. ¹⁰ Kwaapfiba kughakinda ghamalaghitso ghangu kwa ukudumila, nene nitsokulolesa chipindi cha maghayo ichikutsa muisi mwose, kuwaghetsa iwanu wose. ¹¹ Nakutsa sambi, sikawa bae! Ukinde ghendo achila chawinacho, ili imunu aleke kukuboka ghweko lyako. ¹² Ayula iyohuma, nitsomtenda yawe ngutso mne ing'anda ye Imulungu

wangu, ng'atsolawa hamwo bae. Ppipfila mna yeye nitsokwandika taghwa Iye Imulungu wangu na taghwa Iya ghumji ghwe Imulungu wangu, iyo Yerusalemu ya sambu, ghutsohulumka kulawa kulanga kwa Imulungu wangu. Ppipfila mchanya mwake nitsokwandika taghwa Iyangu Iya sambu.

¹³“Ayula yane maghutwi gha kuhulika, na yahulike aghala Ghumuhe ghoghalongela makanisa.

Usenga kwa Laodikiya

¹⁴“Umwandikile pfino malaika wa kanisa Iya Laodikiya,

“Aghano ghagho igholongighwa na yeye iyali Amina, mkalangama iyotogholighwa na wa kweli, yeye iyo asili ya pfinu pfose pfayalumbile Imulungu.

¹⁵Noghamanya ghose ghutendile! Nomanya ka ghweghwe ng'upfegha wala ng'utsoma bae. Ng'apfu ka ung'awile kopfegha au kosoma. ¹⁶Lekeni kwaapfila ghweghwe kuleleuka, ng'upfegha bae wala ng'usoma, apfo nahabehi kukudeka ulawe mumlomo mwangu. ¹⁷Ghweghwe kwelongela, kuna mali, kwenela, ng'ubama bae chinu chochose, kumbe ghweghwe ng'umanya bae ka kwa mnyonge, kwobama wonelighwe libatsi, ghweghwe kwa muhingwa, kwa chifita na kwa chidako! ¹⁸Wime nikulongotse, ughule kuna nene nzahabu ilakatsighwe mmoto ili uwe tajili. Ppipfila ng'apfu ughule maghwanda matselu ili ughubike chinyala cha ukukala chidako. Ppipfila ughule dawa wibake mne tsinenge tsako ili udahe kwona. ¹⁹Imunu wowose iyoninoghela, nomlonga na nomkanya. Apfo uleke ghehile kwa ghumoyo ghwako ghose. ²⁰Lola! Nakwima hane libani na noghong'onda. Imunu wowose ang'ahulika litsi Iyangu, na kupfughula libani, nitsakwingila na ukuja naye, naye katsakuja na nene. ²¹Ayula iyohuma, katsokala na nene hane chighoda changu cha undewa, ka nene pfanimumile na kukala na Aba wangu hane chighoda chake cha undewa.

²²“Ayula yane maghutwi gha kuhulika, na yahulike aghala Ghumuhe ghoghalongela makanisa.

Chighoda cha undewa ichili kulanga

4¹ Hanimalitse kulola agho, mbona libani lipfughulighwa kulanga. Na litsi lila Iyanongole kuhulika ilikalile ka litsi Iya malati, linongela, “Ugheluke utse hano, na nene nitsokulangusa aghala ighobamighwa kulawila.” ²Baho Ghumuhe tsakanongotsa, ulole, kulanga tsahana yumwe iyakalile chighoda che undewa. ³Na yumwe yakalile baho tsakoneka ka madini ighanoghile ighokemighwa yasipi na yakiki. Uminde we mvula ung'ali wong'ala ka libwe ilinoghile Iya chijani na tsautsunguluka chighoda che undewa. ⁴Pfighoda ishirini na pfine pfa undewa tsapfitsunguluka chighoda che undewa, na pfighoda apfo pfikalighwa ne iwabala ishirini na wane, iwapfalile maghwanda matselu na fiya tsa nzahabu mwiwiti mwawo. ⁵Hane chighoda acho che undewa tsakulawila lumwesa, litsi na midumo. Na miwenge saba ing'ali ikwaka hambele he chighoda acho che undewa. Miwenge ayo iyo muhe saba tse Imulungu. ⁶Hambele he chighoda acho che undewa mbona chinu ichoneke ka ibahali ye chiyoo, yoneka ka libwe iling'ala.

Haghatighati, kutsunguluka chighoda acho tsakuna pfilumbe wane iwali ne ughima. Tsawana tsinenge nyingi kuchihanga na kuchugho. ⁷Chilumbe cha mwanduso tsachoneka ka simba, cha keli choneka ka ng'ombe, na cha kadatu choneka ka chihanga che imunu, na cha kane choneka ka chitema iyoghuluka.

⁸Pfilumbe wose wanne, chila yumwe tsakana pfpamanilo sita, pfpamanilo apfo pfmema tsinenge kunze na mghati. Chilo ne imisi ng'awalekile bae kulanga,

“Mwenzeluka, mwenzeluka, mwenzeluka,

Imtatsa Imulungu Iyane Ngupfu,



3. Ichitabu chine ghundi saba (5:1)

yakalile baho, yali baha na iyokutsa!”

⁹ Na pfilumbe awo wane hawamtunyile na kumtoghola na kumlongela mighede ayula iyokala mne chighoda che undewa iyane ughima ghamatsuwa ghose na ghamatsuwa ghose, ¹⁰ iwabala awo ishirini na wane, wamghwila mmaghulu mwake ayo iyakalile mna chighoda che undewa, nawo womtamanila yeye iyokala ghamatsuwa ghose na ghamatsuwa ghose. Nawo tsawasa tsifiya tsawo hambele he chighoda acho che undewa, wolonga,

¹¹ “Imtwatsa wetu na Imulungu wetu! Kunogha kutoghologhwa, kubokela utunitso, ukuteghelesighwa na ngupfu. Kwaapfila tsakulumba pfinu pfose, na tsawalumbighwa ka pfaubamile na pfabaha.”

Ichitabu na Mwanang'olo

5 ¹ Kuya mbona ichitabu mne ghumoko ghwa kujilo ghwa yeye iyokala mne chighoda che undewa. Tsachandikighwa kunze na mghati na kughelighwa gundi mala saba. ² Kuya mbona malaika yane ngupfu, yang'ali yopeta kwa kukemelela, “Yuhi iyotoghologhwa kubandula gundi tsake na kuchifughula chitabu chino?” ³ Leken i tsakuduhu imunu kulanga, wala muisi, wala hasi mwe isi iyodaha kuchipfughula chitabu acho na kulola mghati. ⁴ Tsandila kwa usungu kwaapfila tsahaduhu imunu iyatoghologhwe kuchipfughula au kulola mghati. ⁵ Baho imbala yumwe kanongela, “Uleke kulila! Lola! Simba wa kabila Iya Yuda, mtsukulu wa Daudi, kahuma. Yeye kodaha kubandula gundi atso saba na kuchipfughula.”

⁶ Kuya nimwona Mwanang'olo, kema haghatighati habehi ne chighoda che undewa, katsungulukighwa na pfilumbe wane ughima wanne, na wala iwabala. Mwanang'olo ayo tsakoneka ka kachinjighwa. Yeye tsakana membe saba na nenge saba itsili muhe saba tse Imulungu itsitumighwe muisi mwose. ⁷ Mwanang'olo ayo tsakaghenda, kachisola chitabu chila mne ghumoko wa kujilo wa ayula iyakalile mne chighoda che undewa. ⁸ Na baho hayachisolile chitabu acho, pfilumbe wane ughima wanne, na wala iwabala ishirini na wane waghwa hambele he Mwanang'olo. Chila yumwe kakinda chilimba chake na tsibakuli tsa nzahabu itsimemile ubani, agha ghagho malombi ghe iwanu we Imulungu. ⁹ Nao wemba wila uno wa sambu.

“Ghweghwe kutogholighwa kuchisola chitabu
na kubandula gundi tsake.

Kwaapfila tsakuchinjighwa,

kwa idamu yako tsakumghombolela Imulungu

iwano kulawa chila kabila, chila lugha na iwano wa chila langi, na chila isi.

¹⁰ Kuwatenda wawe watambika mne undewa wamtumikile Imulungu wetu,
nawo watsotawala muisi.”

¹¹ Kuya handoilile, nihulika litsi lye iwamalaika iwali wengi sideke, na kuduha
imunu iyodaha kuwapeta! Wachitsunguluka chighoda che undewa, awala pfilumbe
iwane ughima wane na iwabala, ¹² walonga kwa kukemelela,

“Mwanang'olo iyachinjighwe kotogholighwa kubokela

ngupfu, mali, mbutsi, bapfu, heshima, utunitso na ukutogholighwa!”

¹³ Kuya nihulika chila chilumbe kulanga na muisi, hasi mwe iisi na mne ibahali;
pfilumbe pfose ipfili mumo, nipfihulika pfolonga,

“Yeye iyokala mne chighoda che undewa na Mwanang'olo,

yatunyighwe, yaheshimighwe, yatunitsighwe na yawe na ngupfu ghamatsuwa
ghose na ghamatsuwa ghose!”

¹⁴ Pfilumbe wala wane iwane ughima walonga, “Amina.” Na wala iwabala waghwa
chiduliduli, watamanila.

Mwanang'olo kobandula tsigundi

6 ¹ Kuya tsanimwona Mwanang'olo kobandula gundi imwe mna gundi tsila saba.
Nimuhulika chilumbe yumwe mna wala pfilumbe wane iwane ughima kolonga
ka koduma, “Utse!” ² Haning'ali nilola, mbona falasi mtselu hambele hangu. Na
yamdinile kakinda minde, naye tsakeng'ighwa fiya. Tsakoka ka kahuma, naye
yaghendelele kuhuma. ³ Kuya Mwanang'olo kabandula gundi ya keli. Nihulika
chilumbe wa keli kolonga, “Utse!” ⁴ Falasi yungi kalawa kunze, tsamdung'u ng'ani.
Iyamdinile tsakeng'ighwa ukulu wa kuleghusa tindiwalo muisi mwose, ili iwano
wekome, tsakeng'ighwa limaghe likulu.

⁵ Kuya Mwanang'olo kabandula gundi ya kadatu. Nimuhulika chilumbe wa
kadatu kolonga, “Utse!” Tsandola, na mbona falasi mtiitu hambele hangu! Na
iyamdinile kakinda pfinu pfili pfa kulingila mna ghamoko ghake. ⁶ Nihulika ka litsi
ililawile haghathighati ha pfilumbe wala wane, tsaililonga, “Chibaba chimwe cha
utimbo we ngano kwa sendi ya maliho gha tsuwa limwe, na pfbaba pfidatu pfa
shayili kwa sendi ya maliho gha tsuwa limwe. Leken iuleke kuhinya ghamafuta
wala idipfai!” ⁷ Kuya Mwanang'olo kabandula gundi ya kane. Nimuhulika chilumbe
wa kane kolonga, “Utse!” ⁸ Tsandola, na nimwona falasi yane langi ka ya lipfu, na
ayula iyamdinile tsakakemighwa Lifwa, na Kutsimu tsaimuwinsa kuchughu. Nawo
tsaweng'ighwa ngupfu mne ilobo imwe ye iisi, kukoma kwa limaghe, kwa nzala,
kwa utamu na kwa iwanyama wakali wa kumuhulo.

⁹ Kuya Mwanang'olo kabandula gundi ya tano. Tsambona kumpfungu mwa hanu
ha kutambikila muhe tse iwano iwakomighwe kwa kupeta imbuli ye Imulungu
na kughatoghola aghala ghawalongile. ¹⁰ Walila kwa kukemelela, “Ghwee
Imtwatsa, yuenzeluke na yune ukweli! Utsokawa mbaka tsuwachi kuwahigha
iwano iwokala muisi na kuwaliha chisasi kwa kutukoma twetwe?” ¹¹ Chila
yumwe tsakeng'ighwa gholole tselu na walongelighwa wabwihile chidodo mbaka
hawatsomala kukomighwa watumwa weyao na ndughu tsawo wose ka wawo
pfawakomighwe. ¹² Kuya nilola, Mwanang'olo habandule gundi ya sita, tsakukala
na mdedemo mkulu ghwe isi, litsua liwa titu ka ghunila titu na lwetsi lwose luwa
ludung'u ka idamu. ¹³ Tsinondo itsili kulanga tsilaghala muisi ka ghamatunda ghe
mtini yang'aghepfile pfoghalaghala hasi ahala aghohighisighwa na beho kulu.

¹⁴ Kulanga kwighola na kupfingilika ka litemvu pfallipfilingisighwa, na chila chidunda na chisiwa pfihighisighwa na kuhinyighwa, kuya pfihupa. ¹⁵ Kuya wandewa we isi, iwolongotsa iwanu, wakulu we asikali, wane mali na wane ngupfu, iwatumwa na awala iwali si watumwa bae tsawepfisa mne tsimango na hasi mwe mabambalawe ghe ipfidunda. ¹⁶ Wapfiongela pfidunda na mabambalawe, “Tughwileni mtupfise tuleke kwoneka mne tsinenge tsa ayula iyokala mne chighoda che undewa, na kulawa mne maya ye Mwanang’olo! ¹⁷ Kwaapfila litsuwa lya maya yawo lipfika, lelo yuhi iyodaha kwima?”

Waisiraeli laki imwe na elufu alubaini na wane woghelighwa chitango

7 ¹ Haghamaile agho tsambona wamalaika wane wema hane membe nne tse iisi, wang’ali wokimitsa mbeho nne tse iisi, ileke kuduma muisi, mne bahali na mne mibiki. ² Kuya nimwona malaika yungi iyadinile kulawa ubali wa kwalilawila litsuwa, kana chitango cha Imulungu iyali mghima. Kawakema kwa kukemelela wamalaika wala wanne iweng’ighwe ukulu wa kuhinya iisi na ibahali. ³ Malaika yula kalonga, “Mleke kuhinya iisi wala ibahali wala kulagha imibiki mbaka twike ichitango mne pfihanga pfe iwatumwa we Imulungu wetu.” ⁴ Kuya tsanikulika iwanu iwapetighwe iwekighwe pfitango kulawa kolo tsose tsa Waisiraeli, tsawakala laki imwe na elufu alubaini na nne. ⁵ Iwanu elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Yuda, na iwanu elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Rubeni na elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Gadi, tsawekighwa chitango, ⁶ na iwanu elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Aseri na, elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Nafutali na elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Manase, ⁷ Iwanu elufu kumi na mbili walawila lukolo lwa Simeoni, na elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Lawi na elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Isakali. ⁸ Na iwanu elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Sabuloni, na elufu kumi na mbili kulawa kabila lya Yosefu na Benjamini.

Mtingano mkulu we iwanu kulawa chila isi

⁹ Kuya mbona mtingano mkulu we iwanu na kuduho imunu iyodaha kuwapeta iwanu awo, walawila chila isi, chila kabila, chila lukolo na chila lugha. Nawo tsawema hambele ha chighoda che undewa na hambele he Mwanang’olo. Tsawapfala magholole matselu aku wakinda imiputula ya mtende mmoko mwawo.

¹⁰ Wakemelela,

“Ukombotsi wetu wolawa kwa Imulungu wetu,
iyokala mne chighoda che undewa
na wolawa kwa Mwanang’olo.”

¹¹ Wamalaika wose tsawema kwa kuchitsunguluka chighoda che undewa, iwabala na pfilumbe wane iwane ughima, tsawatowa maghoti, wenama mbaka pfihanga pfawo pfidonza hasi hambele he chighoda che undewa, wamtamanila Imulungu, ¹² walonga, “Amina! Ukutunyighwa, utunitso, nzewe, mighede na uwetso na ngupfu na bapfu pfiwe kwe Imulungu wetu, ghamatsuwa ghose na ghamatsuwa ghose! Amina!”

¹³ Imbala yumwe kanighutsa, “Awano iwapfalile magholole matselu tsina nani? Na wolawila kwani?” ¹⁴ Nani nimwidika, “Mkulu wangu, ghweghwe kwomanya!”

Naye kanongela, “Awano iwo wala iwolawila mna maghayo makulu. Waghatsapfa maghwanda ghawo na waghataenda matselu kwa idamu ye Mwanang’olo. ¹⁵ Apfo wa hambele he chighoda che undewa cha Imulungu, na womsang’anila chilo na misi mne ing’anda yake, na ayula iyokala mchighoda che undewa katsokala nawo na kuwalolesa. ¹⁶ Ng’awatsakona keli bae inzala au ng’ilu. Na litsua ng’alitsowalikila keli wala joto kali ng’alitsowalakatsa bae. ¹⁷ Kwaapfila Mwanang’olo iyali habehi ne chighoda che undewa hala haghathighati katsakuwa

mdimi wawo. Naye katsowalongosa kune tsimbwibwi tse ghamatsi ghe ughima. Naye Imulungu katsowabaghusa masotsi.”

Igundi ya saba

8¹ Habandule gundi ya saba, kulanga tsakukala potsi potsi kwa chipindi chicho. ² Kuya niwona wamalaika saba iwemile hambele he Imulungu, tsaweng'ighwa malati saba. ³ Malaika yungi yakindile chitetso cha nzahabu, tsakema hanu ha kutambikila. Naye tsakeng'ighwa upfumba mwingi yaudusule hamwe na nambiko ya ghamalombi ghe iwanu we Imulungu mna hanu ha kulapfila nambiko ha nzahabu hali hambele ha chighoda che undewa. ⁴ Lihosi lye upfumba na ghamalombi ghe iwanu we Imulungu ghamghendela Imulungu kubitila ghamoko gha malaika iyali hambele he Imulungu. ⁵ Kuya malaika ayo kasola chitetso acho, kachimemetsa ghumoto wa hanu ha kutambikila, kachasa muisi. Baho kulanga kuduma, litsi na lumwesa na mdedemo we isi tsapfilawila.

Tsimalati saba

⁶ Kuya wamalaika saba iwakindile malati tsawo wandusa kutsitowa.

⁷ Malaika wa mwanduso tsakatowa malati yake, baho kulawila mvula ya ghamabwe na ghumoto ighuhanganyike na idamu pfitika muisi mwose. Fungu lya kadatu lya isi tsailakala, fungu lya kadatu lya imibiki tsailakala na mitsani yose mibisi tsailakala. ⁸ Kuya malaika wa kabili katowa malati yake, baho chinu ichoneke ka chidunda chikulu chasighwa mwibahali, na fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu gha ibahali liwa damu, ⁹ fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu gha pfilumbe iwokala mwibahali wafa, na fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu gha tsimeli tsihinyika.

¹⁰ Na malaika wa kadatu katowa malati yake. Inondo ng'ulu iing'ali yakwaka ka wenge, ilaghala kulawa kulanga, ilaghalila mne fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu ghe imito na mne tsimbwibwi. ¹¹ Inondo ayo tsaikemighwa Usungu, fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu gha ghamatsi ghawa ghosungu, wanu wengi tsawafa kwa kunwa matsi agho ghosungu.

¹² Malaika wa kane tsakatowa malati yake, na fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu gha litsuwa tsalitowighwa, na fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu lya lwetsi na fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu lya tsinondo tsighelighwa chisi. Na fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu lye imisi tsayahela ghumwanga, na pfpifila fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu lya ichilo. ¹³ Kuya handolile kulanga, nihulika chitema yumwe koghuluka kulanga ghendo aku kokemelela, “Maghayo! Maghayo! Maghayo ghatsakuwa kwe iwanu iwokala muisi hala wamalaika wadatu iwasighale hawatsotowa malati tsawo!”

9¹ Kuya malaika wa tano naye tsakatowa malati yake, mbona inondo iilaghale muisi kulawa kulanga. Nayo ing'ighwa upfughulo wa lwina lwa kwingilila mne lipondo lyang'alitsigha. ² Na nondo ayo haipfughule lwina lwa kwingilila mne lipondo lyang'alitsigha, hosi lilawa kulawa mne lwina alwo iliyoneke ka hosi lya tanuri kulu, litsuwa na mlanga kughelighwa chisi kwa hosi ililawile ako. ³ Wanzighe walawila mna hosi lila, waighubika isi yose, kuya weng'ighwa ingupfu ka ngupfu ye wainge. ⁴ Walongelighwa waleke kuhinya mitsani yoyose au ghummeya ghwohwose au mbiki ghwohwose, ila wawalaghe iwanu wala iwalihela chitango che Imulungu mna pfihanganga pfawo. ⁵ Ng'aweng'ighwe bae ingupfu yo ukukoma iwanu, lekeni tsaweng'ighwa ingupfu yo kuwadununza kwa miyetsi mitano. Na usungu awo weghala ne usungu we inge hayomuluma imunu. ⁶ Matsuwa agho iwanu watsobama lifwa lekeni ng'awatsolyona bae, watsobama wafe, lekeni lifwa litsokala kutali nawo. ⁷ Iwanzighe awo tsawoneka ka falasi iwaandalighwe kwe ing'ondo. Mwitwi mwawo wapfala chinu ichoneke ka fiya ya nzahabu, na pfihanganga

pfawo pfoneka ka pfihanga pfe iwanu. ⁸ Mvili tsawo tsoneka ka mvili tsa mapinga, matsino ghawo ghakala ka matsino ghe simba. ⁹ Mmambagha mwawo chighubikwa chinu ichoneke ka lighwanda lya chuma na litsi lye ghamabawa ghawo tsalikala ka litsi lye mituka ya falasi wengi iwoghenda kwing'ondo. ¹⁰ Tsawana mikila ine mihonga ka ya inge na ngupfu yawo ya kuwadununza iwanu kwa miyetsi mitano, tsaikala mne mikila yawo. ¹¹ Tsawana mndewa wawo iyowalongotsa, naye malaika mkulu wa lipondo lyang'alitsigha, taghwa lyake kwa Chihebulaniya Abadoni na kwa Chigiriki Apolioni, mana yake Muhinya.

¹² Ghayo lya mwanduso lifosa, ghang'ali maghayo meli, nagho ghakutsa hambele hake.

¹³ Malaika wa sita katowa malati yake. Nihulika litsi ililawile hane membe nne tsa hanu ha kutambikila ha nzahabu hali hambele he Imulungu. ¹⁴ Litsi alyo limlongela malaika ayo wa sita yane malati, “Wadohole wamalaika wane wa Setani iwohighwe hane ghumto mkulu ghwa Efulati.” ¹⁵ Wamalaika wala wane tsawadoholighwa, na tsawaandalighwa kwa saa alyo na litsiwa alyo na mwetsi aghwo na ghumwaka aghwo, ili kukoma fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu ghe iwanu. ¹⁶ Tsanihulika awala wadina falasi tsawapetighwa milioni miya mbili. ¹⁷ Apfi pffo pfawoneke mne ghamaono ghangu, wafalasi na awala yawawadinile. Tsawapfala maghwanda gha chuma mmambagha mwawo ighakalile madung'u ka ghumoto, pfine langi ya buluu ka mlanga, na njano ka libwe ilikwaka. Ghamatwi gha wafalasi wala tsaghakala ka ghamatwi gha simba, na mne milomo yawo tsaghulawa ghumoto na hosi na usaghe wa baluti. ¹⁸ Fungu limwe lye mafungu madatu ghe iwanu tsalikomighwa kwa majanga agho madatu ghe ghumoto na hosi na baluti ipfilawile mne milomo yawo. ¹⁹ Na ngupfu ye iwafalasi awo tsaikala mne milomo yawo na mne mikila yawo, kwaapfila mikila yawo tsayoneka ka nzoka na ikala na ghamatwi na waitumila kuwaluma iwanu. ²⁰ Iwanu iwasisighale awala ing'awakomighwe bae kwa majanga agho madatu, ng'awalekile aghala ghehile ghawatendile kwa ghamoko ghawo wenyegho, ng'awalekile bae kupfitamanila pfinyamkela, pfinyagho pfe nzahabu na pfa fesa na pfa shaba na pfa ghamabwe na pfa mibiki, pfinu ing'apfidaha bae ukwona, ukuhulika wala ukughenda. ²¹ Pfiapfila ng'awalekile bae ukokoma, uhawi, ughoni na ubapfi.

Malaika na chitabu chidodo

10 ¹ Kuya mbona malaika yungi yane ngupfu kohulumka kulawa kulanga. Kaghubikwa na liwingu, na upinde wa mvula mwitwi mwake, chihanga chake tsachikala ka tsuwa na maghulu ghake tsagheghala na ngutso tse ghumoto. ² Tsakakinda chitabu chidodo ichighubulighwe mmoko mwake. Keka mghulu ghwake wa kujilo mchanya mwe ibahali na ghwa kumoso kaghwika mne isi isakale, ³ kakemelela ka simba pfoduma. Na hayadumile, midumo ila saba nyo iduma. ⁴ Na midumo saba haidumile, tsanibama nyandike, lekeni nihulika litsi kulawa kulanga, “Uleke kughandika agho ighalongighwe na midumo saba, ughapfise.” ⁵ Kuya malaika yanimonile kema mchanya mwe ibahali na isi isakale, kagholosa ghumoko ghwake ghwa kujilo kulanga, ⁶ kelaha kwa taghwa lya ayula iyokala ghamatsuwa ghose na matsuwa ghose, Imulungu iyalumbile kulanga na chila chinu ichili mumo, iyalumbile isi na chila chinu ichili mumo, iyalumbile ibahali na chila chinu ichili mumo. Malaika ayo tsakalonga. “Kuduho kubetetsa keli!” ⁷ Lekeni mna ghamatsuwa gha malaika wa saba hayatsobama kutowa malati yake, Imulungu katsotimilitsa mbuli yake iifisike, ka pfayawalongele watumwa wake manabii.”

⁸ Kuya litsi lyanihulike kulanga linongela keli, “Ghenda, uchisole chitabu chila ichifughulighwe mmwoko mwa malaika yemile mwibahali na muisi isakale.”

⁹ Apfo ng'enda kwa malaika yula, nimlomba angae chitabu chila chidodo. Naye

kanongela, “Chisole uchije, nacho chisakuwa chamta ka uki mumlomo mwako, lekeni chisakuwa cho usungu munda mwako.” ¹⁰ Nichisola chitabu chila mna ghumoko ghwa malaika yula, nichija, nacho chikala chamta ka uki mumlomo mwangu, lekeni hanichimetsile munda, chiwa chisungu. ¹¹ Kuya nongelighwa, “Kobamighwa ulapfe keli unabii kwa mbuli tse tsiisi tsingi, makabila mengi, iwanu wa lugha nyingi ne iwandewa.”

Wakalangama weli

11 ¹ Nying'ighwa lulanzi ilughalile na lubiki lwa kulingila, nongelighwa, “Ghenda ukalinge ing'anda ye Imulungu na hanu ha kutambikila na uwapete iwanu iwotamanila hanu aho. ² Lekeni uleke kuchilinga chibwalu ichili kunze mwe ing'anda ye Imulungu kwaapfila acho weng'ighwa iwanu iwali si Wayahudi bae. Nawo watsoihondahonda isi ihenzeluke kwa miyetsi alubaini na mbili. ³ Na nitsowaghala wakalangama wangu weli iwapfalile maghunila, nawo watsowapetela iwanu mbuli ye Imulungu kwa matsuba elufu imwe, miya mbili na sitini.” ⁴ Wakalangama awo weli iwo mibiki mili ye mitseituni na pfitasa pfili ipfikhwima hambele he Imtwatsa we iisi. ⁵ Imunu wowose ang'abama kuwalagha, ghumoto gholawa mna milomo yawo na wowakoma wanebe tsawo. Apfo chila muna iyobama kuwalagha katsakufa pfpfo. ⁶ Hawo wana ngupfu ya kuhinda kulanga imvula ileke kutowa mne ghamatsuba hawatsopeta mbuli ye Imulungu, na wana ngupfu ya kughaghalusa ghamatsi ghawe idamu, pfpifila wana ngupfu ya kuighuma isi majanga ghoghose chila hawobama.

⁷ Hawomalitsa kupeta imbuli ye Imulungu, imnyama mkali iyolawa hane lipondo lyang'alitsigha katsetowa nawo, naye katsowahuma na kuwakoma. ⁸ Ng'uli tsawo tsitsokala mne inzila ya ghumji ghula mkulu, kwa lugha ya chinabii ghokemighwa Sodoma au Misiri, ako kwayawambighwe Imtwatsa wawo mlibiki. ⁹ Iwanu kulawa chila isi, chila kabila, na chila lugha, chila lukolo watsotsilolesa ng'uli tsawo kwa matsuba madatu na nusu, nawo watsolema kuwatsika. ¹⁰ Iwanu iwokala muisi watsodeng'elela kwa ukufa kwe iwanu awo weli. Watsotenda chihungo na watsegheka iwenyegho kwa wenyegho, kwaapfila manabii wano weli tsawawadunza iwanu iwokala muisi. ¹¹ Matsuba agho madatu na nusu haghamaile, muhe we ughima kulawa kwe Imulungu uwengila keli, nawo wema wenyegho, na wose iwawonile tsawapfuka sideke. ¹² Nawo wahulika litsi kulawa kulanga liwalongela pfino, “Itsani uchanya aku.” Nawo waghenda kulanga aku watsungulukighwa na liwingu, na iwanu iwowehila wowalola. ¹³ Baho tsakulawila mdedemo mkulu ghwe iisi, na fungu lya kumi lya ghumji tsalibomoka. Iwanu elufu saba tsawakomighwa mna mdedemo aghwo. Iwanu iwasisighale tsawapfuka ghendo na wamtunya Imulungu iyali kulanga. ¹⁴ Ghayo lya keli lifosa, ghayo lya kadatu lyakutsa sambu.

Malati ya saba

¹⁵ Malaika wa saba katowa malati yake. Kulawila litsi kulu kulanga, ililongile, “Lelo undewa we isi uwa undewa wa Imtwatsa wetu na Kiristu wake. Naye katsotawala ghamatsuba ghose na ghamatsuba ghose.” ¹⁶ Kuya iwabala ishirini na wanne, iwakalile mne pfighoda pfawo pfe undewa ipfili hambele he Imulungu, tsawatowa maghoti, wenama mbaka pfihanga pfawo pfidanza hasi, wamtamanila Imulungu, ¹⁷ walonga.

“Mighede ghwe Imtwatsa Imulungu Yune Ngupfu,
iuli baha na iukalile baho,
kwaapfila kulangusa ngupfu yako ng'ulu,
na kwandusa kutawala.

¹⁸ Iwanu iwali mne tsiisi tsawona maya,
kwaapfila ghamatsuwa gha maya yako ghapfika,
matsuwa gha kuwahigha iwanu iwafile ghapfika.
Ghamatsuwa gha kuwaghweka iwatumwa wako manabii,
na iwanu wako wose, wose iwolitunya taghwa iyako, iwanu wakulu kwe iwadodo.
Ghamatsuwa gha kuwakoma awala iwaihinya iisi.”

¹⁹ Na ing'anda ye Imulungu ili kulanga ipfughuka, na mghati mwe ing'anda yake
iyoneka lisanduku lya laghano. Na kulawila lumwesa, litsi, midumo, midedemo ye
isi na mvula ng'ulu ya ghamabwe.

Ipinga ne litsoka

12¹ Kuya chitango chakukangawatsa choneka kulanga. Tsakukala ne ipinga
yumwe iyapfatsighwe litsuwa na lwetsi hasi mwe ghamaghulu ghake, na fiya
ye tsinondo kumi na mbili mwitwi mwake. ² Pinga ayo tsakana inda, naye ang'ali
yokemelela kwa usungu ka kahabehi ukweleka.

³ Kuya chitango chingi choneka kulanga. Tsakukala na tsoka kulu dung'u line
matwi saba, na membe kumi, na mna matwi agho tsamkala fiya saba. ⁴ Na mkila
ghwake ghung'ali ghukwegha fungu limwe lya mafungu madatu ghe tsinondo tsa
kulanga, na kutsasa muisi. Tsoka alyo tsalima hambele he ipinga ayo iyobama
kweleka ili limmetse imwanaghe baho hayatsomweleka. ⁵ Naye keleka imwana
mmale, iyatsotawala isi tsose kwa ng'weku ye chuma. Na mwanaghe kasolighwa
kughenda kulanga kwe Imulungu na hane chighoda chake che undewa. ⁶ Pinga
yula tsakatsumila kunyika, hanu hekilighwe ne Imulungu, ili yatunzighwe kwa
ghamatsuwa elufu imwe, mia mbili na sitini.

⁷ Kuya tsakulawila ng'ondo kulanga. Malaika Mikaeli na wamalaika wayaghe
tsawetowa na litsoka lila, litsoka nalyo ne wamalaika wake tsawetowa nawo,
⁸ lekeni litsoka lila na wamalaika wake tsawatowighwa, apfo wawingighwa
ako kulanga. ⁹ Litsoka lila kulu lyasighwa, iyo lilyo tsoka kulu lya ghumwande
ilikemighwe Yehile au Setani, iyoighutsukila iisi yose. Tsakasighwa muisi na
wamalaika wake.

¹⁰ Kuya nihulika litsi kulu kulanga. “Sambi ukombotsi we Imulungu na ngupfu na
undewa wa Imulungu wetu utsa, na ukulu wa Kiristu wake nawo utsa! Kwaapfila
ayula iyawalongeleitse ndughu tsetu hambele he Imulungu ichilo ne imisi kasighwa
hasi. ¹¹ Nawo tsawamuhuma kwa ngupfu ya idamu ya Mwanang'olo na kwa mbuli
yawo ya ukalangama, ng'awaunoghele bae ughima wawo, tsawabama ghendo
kulapfa ughima wawo mbaka ukufa. ¹² Apfo udeng'elele, ghwe kulanga
na mwemwe yamkala ako!

Lekeni mtsoghaya yamli muisi na mwibahali,
kwaapfila Yehile kawahulunkilani,
naye kana maya ng'ulu,
kwaapfila komanya ka ghamatsuwa ghake gha habehi kumala.”

¹³ Litsoka lila halyonile lyasighwa muisi, limuwinga ipinga yula iyeleke imwana
mmale. ¹⁴ Lekeni pinga yula keng'ighwa ghamabawa meli gha chitema mkulu
ili yaghuluke kutali ghendo na tsoka alyo, mbaka hanu hekilighwe ako kunyika,
naye ang'atunzighwe kwa miyaka midatu na nusu. ¹⁵ Litsoka lila limtemela
ghamatsi mengi ka ghumto, ghamuwinsa pinga ayo ili ghamkululuse. ¹⁶ Lekeni iisi
tsaimwapfila ipinga ayo, kwaapfila yasama ka mlomo, ighametsa ghamatsi agho
ighalawile mna mlomo wa tsoka alyo. ¹⁷ Apfo tsoka lila limwonela maya ipinga ayo,
kuya lyuka tsake na ukwitowa ne lweleko lwe pinga ayo ilusighale, iwokindilitsa
malaghitso ghe Imulungu na wane ukalangama wa mbuli tsa Yesu. ¹⁸ Kuya tsoka
lila lima mmbalimbali mwe ibahali.

Wanyama wakali weli

13¹ Kuya mbona mnyama mkali kolawa mwibahali. Tsakana membe kumi na matwi saba, na mchanya mwa membe atso tsakukala na fiya kumi, na mna ghamatwi ghake ghandikighwa mataghwa gha kumligha Imulungu. ² Na imnyama yula yanimwonile keghala ne chui, maghulu ghake gheghala na mnyama dubu na mlomo wake wighala na simba. Tsoka lila limwing'a ingupfu yake imnyama ayo mkali, na chighoda chake che undewa na uwetso mkulu. ³ Litwi limwe lye imnyama ayo tsalyoneka ka lina chilonda chikulu ichighala lifwa, lekeni chilonda acho chihona. Iwanu wose muisi tsawakangawala na wamuwinza imnyama ayo. ⁴ Iwanu tsawalitamanila tsoka lila kwaapfila tsalimwing'a uwetso imnyama ayo mkali, pifipila wantambikila imnyama ayo, nawo weghutsa, “Yuhi yeghalile na imnyama yuno? Yuhi iyodaha kwitowa naye?”

⁵ Imnyama ayo tsakalekelighwa yalonge mbuli tsa ukwighoda na mbuli tsa ukumligha Imulungu, na tsakalekelighwa adahe kutenda sang'ano yake kwa miyetsi alubaini na mili. ⁶ Kandusa kumligha Imulungu na taghwa lyake, na hanu hoyokala Imulungu na awala iwokala kulanga. ⁷ Naye tsakeng'ighwa ingupfu ye kwitowa ne iwanu we Imulungu na kuwahuma. Keng'ighwa uwetso kwa chila kabila, chila isi, chila lugha na lukolo. ⁸ Iwanu wose iwali muisi watsomtamanila, iwo awala yang'awandikighwe kulawa iisi hailumbighwe mna chitabu cha ughima cha Mwanang'olo iyachinjighwe. ⁹ Yane ghamaghutwi na yahulike. ¹⁰ Imunu wa kusolighwa mateka, katsosolighwa, imunu wa kukomighwa kwa limaghe, katsokomighwa. Apfo iwanu we Imulungu wobamighwa wadudumile na watoghole.

¹¹ Kuya nimwona imnyama yungi mkali, kolawa mdongo. Tsakakala na membe mbili ka tsa mwanang'olo, lekeni kalonga ka tsoka kulu. ¹² Naye tsakakala na uwetso wose wa imnyama yula mkali wa mwanduso, tsakatumba uwetso awo hanu he imnyama ayo. Kaitenda iisi ne iwanu wake wantamanile imnyama ayo wa mwanduso, iyakalile na chilonda chihonile. ¹³ Tsakatenda pfinu pfikulu na pfihulo, tsakaghutenda ghumoto uhulumke kulawa kulanga mbaka muisi na hambele he iwanu. ¹⁴ Kawaghutsukila iwanu wose iwokala muisi kwa pfihulo pfake pfayatendile hanu he imnyama yula wa mwanduso. Naye kawalongela iwokala muisi wasongole chinyagho ichighala ne imnyama yula iyakalile ne chilonda cha lipanga, iyahonile. ¹⁵ Naye tsakeng'ighwa ingupfu ya kuchitenda ichinyagho cha imnyama wa mwanduso chihumule, hata chidahe kulonga na kuwatenda iwanu wose iwalemile kuchitamanila chinyagho cha mnyama yula wakomighwe. ¹⁶ Tsakawanahitsa iwanu wose, wadodo ne iwakulu, wane tsimali ne iwahingwa, iwali si watumwa ne iwatumwa, wekighwe chitango mna ghamoko ghawo gha kujilo au mna pfihanga pfawo, ¹⁷ Kaghoma imunu wowose kughula wala kuutsa chinu chochose mbaka yawe na chitango acho, chitango acho ilyo taghwa lya imnyama yula au namba ya taghwa alyo.

¹⁸ Hano hobamighwa nzewe! Na ayula yane tsimbutsi na yapete imnyama ayo kopetighwatse, kwaapfila ayo namba ye imunu. Namba yake miya sita na sitini na sita.

Mwanang'olo ne iwanu wake

14¹ Kuya nilola, tsakukala na Mwanang'olo yemile hane chidunda cha Sayuni, hamwe ne iwanu laki imwe na elufu alubaini na nne iwali na litaghwa lya Mwanang'olo na taghwa lya Aba wake ighandikighwe mna pfihanga pfawo. ² Kuya nihulika litsi kulawa kulanga ka litsi lya ghamatsi ighakwitika mwipalu, ka mlungu koduma. Litsi lyanihulike ka litsi lya watowa pfilimba. ³ Nawo wemba wila wa sambu hambele he chighoda che undewa, na hambele he pfilumbe wane iwane

ughima na wala iwabala. Kuduho imunu iyadahile kwilangulitsa wila awo, ila iwanu awo laki imwe na elufu alubaini na nne iwaghombolighwe muisi. ⁴ Awano iwo awala yang'awawasile ghendo na mapinga mbe, nawo wela. Wawa womuwinza Mwanang'olo kokose koyoghenda. Nawo waghombolighwa kulawa kwe iwanu wangi, wawe wa mwanduso kwe Imulungu na kwa Mwanang'olo. ⁵ Na milomo yawo ng'ana ilonge ughutsu bae, wahela matotso.

Wamalaika wadatu

⁶ Kuya nimwona malaika yungi koghuluka kulanga, naye kana Imbuli Inoghile ya matsuwa ghose yo ukuwapetela iwanu iwali muisi, kwa chila isi, kabila, lugha ne lukolo. ⁷ Naye kalonga kwa kukemelela, “Mpfukeni Imulungu, mtunyeneni yeye! Kwaapfila saa yake yo ukuhigha ipfika. Mtamanileni yeye iyalumbile kulanga na iisi, ibahali na mbwibwi tse ghamatsi.”

⁸ Malaika wa keli kamuwinza ayula wa mwanduso, kalonga, “Kaghwa! kaghwa! Babeli mkulu iyaweng'ile isi tsose idipfai ya kunoghela ng'ani ughoni wake.”

⁹ Malaika wa kadatu kawawinza, naye kalonga kwa kukemelela, “Imunu wowose ang'amtamanila imnyama mkali ayo na chinyagho chake na kwikighwa chitango mchihanga mwake au mmoko mwake, ¹⁰ naye pifipila katsakunwa idipfai ye maya ye Imulungu iighidikile mchikombe cha maya yake bila kuhanganyighwa ne ghamatsi. Naye katsodununzighwa hambele he wamalaika wahenzeluka na Mwanang'olo kwa ghumoto wa ghamabwe gha baluti ighakwaka. ¹¹ Na hosi lya ghumoto ghwa maghayo ghawo lyodina kuchanya ghamatsuwa ghose na ghamatsuwa ghose. Kutsakuwa kuduho ukubwihila imisi au chilo kwa awala iwomtamanila imnyama ayo na chinyagho chake na chila imunu yane chitango cha taghwa lyake.”

¹² Ahano iwanu we Imulungu wobamighwa wadudumile, awala iwokinda ghamalaghitso gha Imulungu na iwoghendelela kumtoghola Yesu.

¹³ Kuya nihulika litsi kulawa kulanga lyolonga, “Wandike pfino, Wabweda awala iwakufa sambu na kughendelela aku welunga ne Imtswana.”

Naye Ghumuhe Mwenzeluka kolonga, “Amina, watsobwihila kulawa mne sang'ano tsawo, kwaapfila ghawatendile ghotsowawinza.”

Mapfuno ghe iisi

¹⁴ Haning'ali nilola, mbona liwingu tselu hambele hangu, mna wingu alyo tsakukala ne imunu yeghalile na Imwana we Imunu, yapfalile fiya ya nzahabu mwitwi mwake na mmoko mwake kakinda isengo. ¹⁵ Malaika yungi kalawa kunze mwe ing'anda ye Imulungu ako kulanga, kamlongela kwa kukemelela ayula iyakalile mne liwingu, “Usole isengo yako upfene, kwapfila ghumsimu ghwa kupfuna ghupfika, kwaapfila mapfuno ighali muisi ghepfa.” ¹⁶ Ayula iyakalile mne liwingu kasa isengo yake muisi na mapfuno ghe iisi ghapfunighwa.

¹⁷ Malaika yungi yalawile mne ing'anda ye Imulungu kulanga, naye pifipila tsakakinda sengo iitema.

¹⁸ Kuya malaika yungi, mkulu we ghumoto iyalawile hanu ha kutambikila, kalonga kwa kukemelela kwa ayula yane isengo iitema, “Usole isengo yako iitema, ukunge mikungwi ye mitsabibu iili muisi, kwaapfila ma tsipfa.” ¹⁹ Malaika kayasa isengo yake muisi, kaghana tsabibu tse iisi, katsika hane chinu cha ukukamila nzabibu cha maya ng'ulu ye Imulungu. ²⁰ Nzabibu tsibajughighwa mne chinu cha ukukamila ichili kunze mwe ghumji, na idamu ilawa mna chinu acho ighidika kwa utali wa mita mbili na yenela utali wa kilometa miya ndatu.

Wamalaika saba na majanga saba

15¹ Haning'ali nolola, mbona chitango chingi chikulu ichikangawatsa ako kulanga. Tsakukala na malaika saba na majanga saba gha utsighilo, kwapfila kubitila agho imaya ye Imulungu itimila.

² Kuya mbona chinu ka ibahali ya chiyoo iihanganyike na ghumoto. Niwona wala iwamuhumile imnyama yula mkali, na chinyagho chake na namba ya taghwa lyake. Iwanu awo tsawema mbalimbali mwe ibahali. Wakinda pfilimba pfaweng'ighwe ne Imulungu,³ wemba wila wa Musa, mtumwa we Imulungu, na wila wa Mwanang'olo, walonga

“Ghwe Imtwatsa Imulungu Yune Ngupfu,
ghutendile makulu na ighokangawatsa
Ghweghwe Mndewa wa tsiisi tsose,
nzila tsako tsa haki na tsa kweli.

⁴ Ghwe Imtwatsa, angu nani ng'okupfuka,
na kuleka kulitunya taghwa lyako?
Kwaapfila kwayeka yuenzeluke.

Iwanu wose watsokutsila na kukutamanila,
kwaapfila sang'ano tsako itsinoghile tsighubulighwa.”

⁵ Kuya aghamalile agho, mbona ing'anda ye Imulungu, acho chicho Chibumbulika che ukalangama, chipfughulighwa ako kulanga. ⁶ Mng'anda amo tsawalawa wamalaika saba we Imulungu wane majanga saba, iwapfalile maghwanda matselu, ighelile na ighong'ala, na misipi ya nzahabu iibitila mmahegha mwawo. ⁷ Yumwe wa pfilumbe wala wane ughima kaweng'a wamalaika wala saba tsibakuli saba tsa nzahabu itsimemile imaya ye Imulungu, iyokala ghamatsuwa ghose. ⁸ Ing'anda ayo ye Imulungu tsaimema hosi ililawile kuna utunitso we Imulungu na ngupfu yake, na kuduho imunu iyadahile kwingila mng'anda amwo mwe Imulungu mbaka majanga saba ighaghalighwe ne wamalaika saba ghamale.

Tsibakuli saba tse maya ye Imulungu

16¹ Kuya nihulika litsi kulu mng'anda mwe ing'anda ye Imulungu ako kulanga iliwalongele wamalaika wala saba, “Ghendeni mkatsikutule muisi tsibakuli tsila saba tsine maya ye Imulungu.”

² Malaika wa mwanduso kaghenda kakutula ibakuli yake muisi. Ghalawila mapute ghehile na ighotama kwe iwanu wala iwane chitango cha imnyama yula mkali na iwachitamanile chinyagho chake.

³ Malaika wa keli kakutula ibakuli yake mwibahali. Nayo ibahali ighaluka iwa ka idamu ye imunu iyafile, na pfilumbe pfose pfine ughima ipfili mwibahali tsapfifa.

⁴ Malaika wa kadatu kakutula ibakuli yake mne imito na mne tsimbwibwi tse ghamatsi, nagho ghaghaluka ghawa idamu. ⁵ Nimuhulika malaika wa ghamatsi kolonga,

“Ghweghwe wenzeluke, yukala baha na iyukalile baho,
Ghweghwe kutenda pfinoghile, kuhigha pfino.

⁶ Kwaapfila tsawamwagha idamu ye iwanu wako na manabii wako,
naghwe kuweng'a idamu yanwe,
acho chicho chawabamighwe wabokele.”

⁷ Kuya nihulika litsi kulawa hanu ha kutambikila, lyolonga, “Ona ghwee Imtwatsa Imulungu Yune Ngupfu, ghweghwe kohighagha ghoya na kwa ukweli.”

⁸ Malaika wa kane kakutula ibakuli yake mchanya mwa litsua, nalyo ling'ighwa ngupfu yo kulakatsa iwanu kwa mfughuto ghwake. ⁹ Apfo iwanu tsawalakala sideke, wamligha Imulungu iyang'ali yolongotsa majanga ghose ghano. Ng'awalekile bae

ghehile wala ng'awamtunyile bae Imulungu. ¹⁰ Kuya malaika wa tano kakutula ibakuli yake mchanya mwe chighoda che undewa che imnyama yula mkali. Ichisi chighubika undewa we imnyama ayo, ne iwanu wadafuna milimi yawo kwa usungu iwawonile, ¹¹ na wamligha Imulungu iyali kulanga kwa usungu iwawonile na kwa mapute ghawapatile, lekeni walemesa ghendo kuleka kutenda ghehile.

¹² Malaika wa sita naye kakutula ibakuli yake mna ghumto mkulu ghwa Efulati. Ghamatsi ghake ghanyala, ili ilawile nzila kwa wandewa iwolawa ubali wa kwalilawila litsuwa. ¹³ Kuya mbona muhe ndatu tsihile itsoneke ka pfitutwa, imwe ilawa mna mlomo ghwa tsoka lila kulu, na ingi ilawa mna mlomo ghwe imnyama yula mkali, na ingi keli ilawa mna mlomo ghwa nabii yula wa ughutsu. ¹⁴ Hawo iwo muhe wa pfinyamkela iwotenda pfihulo, iwoghenda kwe wandewa we isi tsose na kuweka hamwe kwa ing'ondo mna litsuwa kulu lya Imulungu lyane Ngupfu.

¹⁵ “Lola! Nakutsa ka mbapfi! Kabweda ayula iyokala bila kuwasa, na kupfala maghwanda ghake, ili yaleke kwanga chidako na kwhiguma chinyala.”

¹⁶ Pfinyamkela awo wawalundika hamwe iwandewa hanu hakemighwe Amagedoni kwa Chihebulaniya.

¹⁷ Kuya malaika wa saba kakutula ibakuli yake kulanga. Litsi kulu ililawile hane chighoda che undewa ichili mng'anda mwe ing'anda ye Imulungu lilonga, “Ghamala.” ¹⁸ Kuya kulawila lumwesa, litsi, mdumo na mdedemo mkulu we isi. Mdedemo ka awo ng'ana ulawile bae kulawa Imulungu hayamlumbe imunu. ¹⁹ Na ghumji mkulu ghugholeka mala ndatu, na imiji ya isi tsose ighwa. Baho Imulungu kaghukumbuka ghumji mkulu ghwa Babeli, kaghunwesa chikombe che idipfai ye maya yake ng'ulu. ²⁰ Pfsiwa pfose tsapfihupa na pfidunda pfose pfihinyighwa. ²¹ Kuya kulanga kulawila mvula ng'ulu ya ghamabwe ghane utito ka wa kilo alubaini kwa libwe limwe, ghawaghwila iwanu. Nawo wamlighita Imulungu kwa mvula ayo ng'ulu ya ghamabwe, kwaapfala tsaikala mvula ng'ulu ghendo.

ipinga chiweghe ne imnyama mkali

17 ¹ Kuya katsa malaika yumwe kulawa mna wamalaika wala saba wane tsibakuli saba, kanongela, “Utse nikulanguse, pfiyatsohighighwa pinga yula chiweghe mkulu iyokala hambalimbali mwe ghamatsi mengi. ² Wandewa iwali muisi tsawawasa naye, na iwanu iwokala muisi tsawapatika mbwali ya ughoni wake.”

³ Kuya Ghumuhe we Imulungu kanikinda, malaika kanongotsa mbaka kunyika. Hako nimwona ipinga iyakalile mchanya mwe imnyama mkali mdung'u, iyenele mataghwa gha ukumligha Imulungu, naye tsakana matwi saba na membe kumi.

⁴ Na pinga ayo tsakapfala maghwanda gha langi ya tsambalau na madung'u, tsakewamba kwa nzahabu na madini ighong'ala na tsilulu. Naye kakinda chikombe cha nzahabu mmoko mwake, ichimemile ghehile na ughoni wake.

⁵ Tsakandikighwa taghwa lya chipfiso mchihanga mwake, “Babeli mkulu, mai wa pfiweghe na pfinu pfihile ipfili muisi.” ⁶ Nimwona ipinga yula kapatika kwa idamu ye iwanu we Imulungu na idamu ye iwanu iwopeta imbuli ya Yesu.

Hanimwonile tsanikangawala ghendo. ⁷ Kuya malaika ayo kanighutsa, “Ule ukangawala? Nitsokulongela imbuli iipfiseke ye ipinga yuno ne imnyama mkali iyomduta yane matwi saba na membe kumi. ⁸ Imnyama yula mkali yumonile, tsakakala mghima, lekeni sambi si mghima keli bae, ila kahabehe kutsa kulawa kune lipondo lilihela utsighilo, naye katsokomighwa. Na wanu iwokala muisi, awala mataghwa ghawo ng'ana ghandikighwe bae mne chitabu cha ughima kulawa isi hailumbighwe watsokangawala hawatsomwona imnyama ayo mkali, kwaapfala ghumwande tsakamghima, sambi si mghima bae, lekeni katsolawila keli.

⁹ “Hano hobamighwa mbutsi tsikengele! Agho matwi saba ipfo pfidunda saba pfiyokala pinga ayo. Pfiyofila matwi agho iwo wandewa saba. ¹⁰ Wandewa watano

ma wakomighwa, yumwe yang'ali yotawala na yungi yang'ali kutsa, lekeni hayakutsa katsobamighwa yatawale chidogho. ¹¹ Imnyama yula mkali iyakaliile baho, na sambi ng'ali baha, ayo ka mndewa wa nane, yeye ka yumwe we awala saba, naye katsohinyighwa ghendo.

¹² “Atsila membe kumi tsawonile iwo iwandewa kumi, nawo ng'ana watawale bae. Lekeni watsobokela ukulu wa kutawala chidogho hamwe ne imnyama yula mkali. ¹³ Wose wano tsawalangula chinu chimwe, nawo watsomwing'a imnyama yula mkali ingupfu na undewa wawo wose. ¹⁴ Watsetowa ne Mwanang'olo, lekeni Mwanang'olo hamwe na awala iyawakemile na iyawasaghule, awala iwotogholighwa, katsowahuma kwaapfila yeye ka lmtwatsa we iwatwatsa na Mndewa we iwandewa.”

¹⁵ Kuya malaika kanongela, “Ghamatsi ghala ghawonile hala hayokala pinga yula chiweghe, iyo mitingano ye iwanu we tsiisi tsose, kolo tsose na lugha tsose. ¹⁶ Imnyama mkali na membe tsila kumi tsawonile, tsitsomuhila chiweghe ayo. Tsitsomboka chila chinu chayali nacho na kumleka chidako, tsitsomja lukuli lwake na kumlakatsa kwa ghumoto. ¹⁷ Kwaapfila Imulungu keka mmoyo mwawo aghala ghayobama yeye waghatende, kwa ukwitogholela wawo kwa wawo kumwing'a imnyama ayo ingupfu yawo yo ukutawala, mbaka ghala ghayolongile Imulungu ghatimile.

¹⁸ “Ipinga yumwonile iyo ghumji mkulu ighuwatawala iwandewa wose iwali muisi.”

Ukughwa kwa Babeli

18 ¹ Haghamaile agho, nimwona malaika yungi kohulumka kulawa kulanga. Tsakakala ne uwetso mkulu na ukung'ala kwake tsakumwemwesela iisi. ² Naye kalila kwa kukemelela, “Ghughwa ghumji mkulu ghwa Babeli, ghughwa ghendo! Sambu ghuwa dagho lye pfinyamkela na mango tse chila muhe tsihile na pfibali pfa pfideghe wehile iwodesa ghendo. ³ Kwaapfila iwanu wa isi tsotse wapatika kwa mbwali ya kunoghela ng'ani ughoni wake, iwandewa we isi tsawatenda naye ughoni. Nawo watsulutsi iwali muisi wapata mali nyingi kwa kughuutsila ghumji agho pfinu pfa uhondo.” ⁴ Kuya nihulika litsi lingi kulawa kulanga lyolonga,

“Mwemwe iwanu wangu, laweni hana yeye,
ili mleke kwihanganya na ghehile ghake,
ili mleke kubokela ghamaghayo ghake!

⁵ Kwaapfila nzambi tsake tsilundika mbaka tsipfika kulanga,
Na Imulungu kaghakumbuka ghehile ghake.

⁶ Mtendeleni ka pfayatendele mwemwe,
mliheni mala mbili kwa aghala ghayatendile.

Mne chikombe chila chayahanganyile idipfai yake,
Mhanganyileni idipfai ng'ali mala mbili kubita iyaweng'ileni mwemwe.

⁷ Namwe mwing'eni maghayo na usungu,
ka yeye pftunyile na pfeng'ile uhondo

Kwaapfila tsakelongela mmoyo mwake,
'Nokala hano ka mndewa pinga,
sili msaka bae, wala sitsolila bae.'

⁸ Apfo mne tsuwa limwe majanga ghake ghatsomtsila,
lifwa, ukuyayana na nzala,
katsolakatsighwa na ghumoto,
kwaapfila lmtwatsa Imulungu iyomhigha kana ngupfu.”

⁹ Na iwandewa iwali muisi iwatendile ughoni naye na kuhondola hamwe naye, watsolila na kuyayana, hawatsolyona hosi lye ukulakala kwake. ¹⁰ Watsakwima kutali aku wopfuka maghayo ghake, watsolonga,

“Koghaya ghwe ghumji mkulu,

Ghwe Babeli, ghumji ghune ngupfu!

Kwaapfila mna saa limwe ukuhighighwa kwako kutsa!”

¹¹ Watsulutsi iwali muisi nawo watsomliila na kwona usungu kwaapfila kuduho imunu iyoghula pfinu pfawo keli, ¹² kuduho imunu iyoghula keli nzahabu tsawo, pfaesa tsawo, madini ghawo ghanoghile, lulu, maghwanda ghanoghile, maghwanda gha langi ya tsambalau, maghwanda madung'u, maghwanda mabewe na chila chinu cha mbiki ighunung'ila ghoya, wala cha membe tsa nembo, pfinu pfa bei ng'ulu pfa mbao, shaba na pfa chuma na pfa malumalu, ¹³ mdalasini, pfilungo wala ubani au upfumba, na udi, idipfai, ghamafuta, na usaghe unoghile wa ngano, ngano, iwang'ombe, wang'olo, wafalasi, mituka wala watumwa wawo na hata ughima we iwanu. ¹⁴ Wachulutsi womlongela, “Pfinu pfose pfinoghile pfaubamile pfiwe pfako sambu pfihupa, pfinu pfako pfose pfose ukwighodela na ipfinu ipfikwing'ile uhondo pfuka, ng'upfona keli bae.” ¹⁵ Na wachulutsi iwapatile mali nyingi kwa kumuutsila yeye ipfinu, watsakwima kutali kwa kupfuka maghayo ghake. Watsolila no kwona usungu ¹⁶ watsolonga, “Koghaya ghwe ghumji mkulu! ghupfalile maghwanda gha chitani, maghwanda ghanoghile, maghwanda gha langi ya tsambalau, maghwanda madung'u, na kiwamba kwa pfinu pfa nzahabu na madini ghanoghile na lulu! ¹⁷ Mne saa limwe kwaghisa pfinu pfako!”

Iwakulu we tsimeli, na wose iwakwanga natso, iwachuutsi kubitila ibahali, na iwanu wose iwosang'ana mwibahali wema kutali, ¹⁸ hawonile hosi lye ghumoto ighung'ali ghumlakatsa, walila kwa kukemelela, “Apfi hana ghumji mkulu ka ghuno?” ¹⁹ Webulughitsa mtimbwisi, walila na ukuyayana, wakemelela, “Koghaya ghwe ghumji mkulu! Kwaapfila wose wane tsimeli tsawawa na tsimali kubitila ghweghwe. Na kwa saa limwe liliheka kwaghisa pfinu pfako pfose.

²⁰ “Deng'elela ghwe kulanga! Deng'eleleni mwemwe iwanu we Imulungu, watumighwa na manabii! Kwaapfila Imulungu kamuhigha ka yeye pfayawatendele mwemwe!”

²¹ Kuya malaika yane ngupfu kadondola libwe ka libwe kulu lya kusaghila, kalyasa mwibahali, kalonga, “Apfi pfipto Babeli pfautohinyighwa na ukwagha ghendo. ²² Ng'utsohulika keli mbe wila we iwanu, wala litsi lye iwatawa pfilimba wala iwakwimba wala watowa pfiimbeta wala watowa malati. Kuduho fundi wowose iyatsokoneka keli mghati mwako na litsi lye libwe lya kusaghila ng'alitsohulikighwa keli bae mne isi ya Babeli. ²³ Na ghumwanga ghwe chitasa ng'aghutsakoneka keli kuna ghweghwe, na lukenze mne chihungo che ukukwela ng'alutsohulikighwa keli bae kuna ghweghwe. Wachuutsi wako tsawakala na ngupfu kubita iwanu wose muisi, na uhawi wako utsibugha isi tsose itsili muisi!” ²⁴ Ghumji ghwa Babeli tsaghuhighighwa kwa totso lya kuwakoma manabii na iwanu we Imulungu na iwanu wose iwachinjighwe muisi mwose.

19 ¹ Kuya haghamaile agho nihulika litsi kulu ka lya mtingano mkulu we iwanu kulanga, lyolonga, “Mumtunye Imulungu! Ukombotsi, utunitso na ingupfu pfose pfa Imulungu wetu. ² Mana yeye kohigha ghoya na kwa ukweli. Yeye kamhigha yula chiweghe iyaihinyile isi yose kwa ughoni wake. Kamuhigha kwaapfila tsakawakoma iwatumwa wake!” ³ Kuya wakemelela keli, “Mtunyenye Imulungu! Hosi lye ghumoto ighulakatse ghumji ghula ligheluka kulanga kwa ghamatsuwa ghose.” ⁴ Iwabala wala ishirini na wane na pfilumbe wala wane ughima watowa maghoti hasi, wamtamanila Imulungu iyakalile hane chighoda chake che undewa, walonga, “Amina, mtunyenye Imulungu!”

Chihungo che ukukwela che Mwanang'olo

⁵ Baho kulawila litsi hane chighoda che undewa, lilonga, “Mtunyeni Imulungu wetu, mwe iwatumwa wake wose, mwemwe imumpfuka, wadodo kwe iwakulu.”

⁶ Kuya nihulika litsi ka mtingano mkulu we iwanu iwokemelela hamwe, litsi ka lye ghamatsi na ka litsi lya kulanga koduma kwa kubalanuka, lilonga, “Mtunyeni Imulungu! Kwaapfila Imtswana wetu Imulungu lyane Ngupfu kotawala. ⁷ Leka tudeng'e na ukudeng'e lela, tumtunye, kwaapfila chihungo cho kukwela che Mwanang'olo ma chipfika, na mwehe wake ma keika ghoya. ⁸ Naye keng'ighwa lighwanda linoghile ilideghete na iling'ala yapfale!” Lighwanda alyo lyolangusa aghala ghanoghile ghawotenda iwanu we Imulungu.

⁹ Kuya malaika yula kanongela, “Wandike pfino, wabweda awala iwakemighwe hane chihungo cha ukukwela cha Mwanang'olo.” Kuya kanongela keli, “Atsino mbuli tsa kweli tse Imulungu.”

¹⁰ Baho nighwa mmaghulu mwake nimtamanile. Lekeni yeye kanongela, “Uleke kutenda apfo! Nene na mtumwa miyenu ghweghwe na ndughu tsako iwolonga imbuli ya Yesu. Mtamanile Imulungu! Kwaapfila iwanu iwolonga mbuli tsa ukalangama wa Yesu wolongotsighwa na Ghumuhe iyawalongotse manabii.”

Ayula iyadinile falasi mtselu

¹¹ Kuya mbona kulanga kupfughuka, na nimwona falasi mtselu, na iyaminile kokemighwa “Mtogholighwa” na “Wa kweli.” Ayo hayohigha na kwitowa ng'ondo, kotenda apfo kwa nzila iigholoke. ¹² Nenge tsake ka lambi lya ghumoto, na mwitwi mwake tsakukala fiya nyingi. Naye kana taghwa iyangdikighwe, kuduhu munu yolimanya ila yeye mwenyegho. ¹³ Tsakapfala ghwanda ilifabikwe mne idamu, na taghwa lyake kokemighwa, “Mbuli ye Imulungu.” ¹⁴ Na asikali iwali kulanga wang'ali womuwinda aku wadina falasi watselu na wapfala maghwanda ghanoghile, matselu na ghadegheta. ¹⁵ Na mne mlomo wake lilawila limaghe ilitema, na kwa limaghe alyo katsowahuma iwanu we isi tsose. Katsowalongosa kwa ng'weku ya chuma, naye katsoikama idipfai hane chinu cha ukukamila nzabibu cha maya ng'ulu ye Imulungu lyane Ngupfu. ¹⁶ Mne lighwanda lyake, na mne hatsa lyake tsakandikighwa taghwa lino, “MNDEWA WE IWANDEWA NE IMTWA TSA WE IWATWATSA.” ¹⁷ Kuya mbona malaika yungi iyemile mna litsua, iyawakemelele wapfideghe iwogholuka kulanga, “Mwitingane hamwe mtse kune chihungo chikulu che Imulungu. ¹⁸ Mtse mje ng'uli tse iwandewa, ng'uli tse iwakulu we asikali, ng'uli tse iwanu wane ngupfu, ng'uli tsa falasi na tsa iwadina falasi na ng'uli tsa iwanu wose, iwali iwatumwa au iwali si watumwa bae, iwadodo au iwakulu.”

¹⁹ Kuya nimwona imnyama yula mkulu ne iwandewa we iisi ne asikali wawo wetingana hamwe ili wetowe na ayula iyadinile falasi mtselu na asikali wake.

²⁰ Imnyama yula mkali kaghoghighwa, hamwe na nabii we ughutsu iyatendile pfihulo hanu he imnyama ayo. Kwa pfihulo apfo tsakawabugha awala iwekighwe chitango cha imnyama ayo, na awala iwachitamanile chinyagho chake. Imnyama ayo mkali ne nabii ayo, wose weli tsawasighwa mne tsimbu ilikwaka ghumoto wa ghamabwe gha baluti aku wang'ali waghima, ²¹ na asikali wawo tsawakomighwa kwa limaghe ililawile mumlomo mwa ayula yadinile falasi mtselu, na wapfideghe wose tsaweghuta kwa nyama tsawo.

Setani kakohighwa miyaka elufu imwe

20 ¹ Kuya nimwona malaika kohulumka kulawa kulanga, kakinda upfughulo wa lipondo lyang'alitsigha na nyololo ng'ulu mmoko mwake. ² Kalighogha tsoka alyo, tsoka lila lya ghumwande, alyo ilikemighwa Yehile au Setani, kuya kalyoha

kwa nyololo ayo kwa miyaka elufu imwe. ³ Malaika ayo kalyasa mne lipondo lyang'alitsigha, kalihindila ako, kuya keka igundi halibani ili lileke kuwaghutsukila keli iwanu mbaka miyaka elufu imwe imale. Ing'afosa miyaka ayo, kobamighwa yapfughulighwe kwa chipindi chidodo. ⁴ Kuya mbona pfighoda pfe undewa pfawakalile awala iweng'ighwe uwetso wa kuhigha. Kuya mbona muhe tse iwanu iwachinjighwe kwa kulapfa ukalangama wa mbuli tsa Yesu, na Imbuli ye Imulungu. Wawo ng'awamtamanile imnyama yula mkali na chinyagho chake, na ng'awekighwe bae chitango chake mna pfihanga pfawo au mna ghamoko ghawo. Tsawawa waghima keli, na tsawatawala na Kiristu kwa miyaka elufu imwe. ⁵ Iwanu awo iwafile ng'awoyile bae kune ughima mbaka miyaka elufu imwe haimalile. Aku kuko kutsilihulighwa kwa mwanduso kwa iwanu iwafile. ⁶ Wabweda na wahenzeluka awala iwengile mne ukutsilihuka kuno kwa mwanduso. Lifwa lya keli lyahela ngupfu kwe iwanu awo, watsakuwa walapfa nambiko we Imulungu na wa Kiristu Mkombotsi, watsotawala naye kwa miyaka elufu imwe.

Ukumala kwa Setani

⁷ Miyaka ayo haitsomala, Setani katsopfughulighwa kulawa mchifungo mwake. ⁸ Naye katsolawa kunze na kuwabugha iwanu we isi tsose itsili muisi mwose, natso tsitsokemighwa Gogu na Magogu. Setani katsowakunga hamwe kwa ng'ondo, nawo watsokuwa wengi ka ghumsanga ghuli kumwani. ⁹ Tsawanga muisi mwose, na watsitsunguluka kaye tse iwanu we Imulungu, na ghumji agho ighumnoghela Imulungu. Lekeni ghumoto ghuhulumka kulawa kulanga, ghuwalakatsa chakali. ¹⁰ Kuya Yehile, iyawabughile, kasighwa mne tsimbu ilikwaka ghumoto wa ghamabwe gha baluti, kwayali imnyama yula mkali na nabii we ughutsu. Nawo watsodunuzighwa chilo na misi ghamatsuwa ghose.

Kuighighwa kwe iwanu wose

¹¹ Kuya mbona chighoda chikulu chitselu che undewa, na ayula iyachikalile. Kulanga na isi pfitsumila kutali kulawa hana yeye, ng'apfoneke keli bae. ¹² Kuya niwona iwanu wala iwafile, wadodo ne iwakulu wema hambele he chighoda che undewa, na ipfitabu pfipfughulighwa. Chitabu chingi chipfughulighwa, acho chicho chitabu cha ughima. Awala iwafile tsawahighighwa kwa kulolesa aghala ghawatendile ka pfaghandikighwe mchitabu. ¹³ Ibahali nayo iwalapfa iwanu iwafile iwakalile amwo, na lifwa na kutsimu pfiwalapfa iwanu iwafile iwakalile ako. Chila imunu tsakahighighwa kwa aghala ghayatendile. ¹⁴ Lifwa na kutsimu tsapfasighwa kune tsimbu lye ghumoto. Litsimbu lye ghumoto ilyo lifwa lya keli. ¹⁵ Ka imunu wowose taghwa lyake ng'alyandikighwe bae mna chitabu che ughima, katsakwasighwa mna tsimbu lye ghumoto.

Kulanga kwa sambu na isi ya sambu

21 ¹ Kuya mbona kulanga kwa sambu na isi ya sambu. Kulanga kula kwa mwanduso na isi ila ya mwanduso tsaihupa, na tsakukala kuduhi keli ibahali. ² Na mbona ghumji ghwenzeluke, Yerusalemu ya sambu, ghohulumka kulawa kulanga kwe Imulungu, ghukala ghoya ka pinga yapfalile pfinoghile kwa kukwelighwa ne mmale. ³ Kuya nihuliika litsi kulu kulawa hane chighoda che undewa, "Lola! Kaye ya Imulungu sambu ya mghati mwe iwanu, naye katsokala nawo. Nawo watsakuwa iwanu wake, naye Imulungu mwenyegho katsokala nawo, naye katsakuwa Imulungu wawo. ⁴ Naye katsobaghusa chila sotsi. Kutsakuwa kuduhi keli ukufa, au kunyanyana, au kulila au usungu, kwaapfila aghala gha ghumwande ghahupa." ⁵ Kuya ayula iyakalile mne chighoda che undewa kalonga, "Notenda ghose ghawe gha sambu." Pfiwala kanongela, "Wandike mbuli tsino,

kwaapfila mbuli tsino tsotogholighwa na tsa kweli.”⁶ Kuya kanongela, “Ghamala. Nene wa mwanduso na wa utsighilo, yanyandusa pfinu pfose na kupfitenda pfinu pfose pfitimile. Imunu wowose yane ng'ilu nitsomwing'a ghamatsi igholawa mne mbwibwi ya ughima, anwe hela.”⁷ Wowose iyohuma katsobokela ghano, na nene nitsakuwa Imulungu wake naye katsakuwa mwanangu.⁸ Leken iwanu wogha, iwoleka kutoghola, wehile, iwokoma wayawo, iwaghoni, iwahawi, watambikila pfinyagho, na waghutsu wose, hanu hao hatsakuwa kune tsimbu ilikwaka ghumoto ghwa ghamabwe gha baluti. Alino lifwa lya keli.”

Yerusalemu ya sambu

⁹ Katsa malaika yumwe kulawa mna wamalaika wala saba wane tsibakuli saba itsimemile majanga saba gha utsighilo, kanongela, “Utse, nikulanguse ipinga yokwewighwa, pinga wa Mwanang'olo!”¹⁰ Ghumuhe we Imulungu kanikinda, naye malaika kanisola kangala kuchidando mwa dunda kulu na tali. Kanangusa ghumji ghwenzeluke, ghwa Yerusalemu, ghohulumka kulawa kulanga kwe Imulungu.¹¹ Na ling'ala kwa utunitso we Imulungu, na ukung'ala kwake tsakwighala na madini ighanoghile, ilighalile yasipi, ilipulika ka chiyoo.¹² Ghumji agho tsaghukala na ubanda mkulu na mtali, na une mibani kumi na mili, na wamalaika kumi na weli tsawema hane mibani ayo. Mna mibani ayo ghandikighwa mataghwa gha makabila kumi na meli gha iwanu wa Isiraeli.¹³ Chila ubali tsakukala na mibani midatu, ubali wa kwalilawila litsua mibani midatu, ubali wa kuchang'a mibani midatu, ubali wa kuhisi mibani midatu na ubali kwaliswela litsua mibani midatu.¹⁴ Na ubanda we ghumji aghwo tsaghutsengighwa kwa ghamabwe gha ghumsingi kumi na meli, na mna chila libwe alyo ghandikighwa mataghwa gha watumighwa kumi na weli wa Mwanang'olo.

¹⁵ Malaika iyalongile na nene tsakana lubiki lwa nzahabu lwa kulingila ghumji agho na imibani yake na ubanda wake.¹⁶ Ghumji agho tsaghukala na membe nne, utali wake tsawilinga na ughatsi wake, kalinga ghumji agho na lubiki, kapata kilometa ka elufu mbili na miya nne kwa utali na kilometa tsitso kwa ughatsi na utali wa kughenda hasi.¹⁷ Malaika ayo tsakalinga ubanda ula, nawo upfika ughatsi wa meta sitini na sita, kwa chipimo che iwanu.¹⁸ Ubanda ula tsautsengighwa kwa madini ighanoghile ighokemighwa yasipi na ghumji agho tsaghutsengighwa na nzahabu inoghile ka chiyoo ichipulika.¹⁹ Ghumsingi ghwa ubanda wa ghumji aghwo tsaghuwambighwa kwa chila libwe lya bei ng'ulu. Libwe lya mwanduso lya ghumsingi tsalikemighwa yasipi, na lya keli safaya, lya kadatu kalkedoni na lya kane sumalidi,²⁰ lya tano sadoniki na lya sita akiki na lya saba kilisoliti na lya nane belulo, na lya tisa topasi, na lya kumi kirisopilaso na lya kumi na limwe yakinto na lya kumi mbili ametisto.²¹ Mibani yake kumi na mili tsaikala ya lulu kumi na mbili, chila libani litendighwa kwa lulu imwe. Nzila ng'ulu ya ghumji agho tsaikala ya nzahabu inoghile ka chiyoo ichipulika.

²² Sonile bae ng'anda ye Imulungu mne ghumji agho, kwaapfila lmtwatsa Imulungu lyane Ngupfu na Mwanang'olo wa mmo hanu hake.²³ Ghumji agho ng'aghubama bae litsua wala lwetsi kulilangatsila, kwaapfila utunitso we Imulungu wollilangatsila, na Mwanang'olo iyo chitasa chake.²⁴ Iwanu wa isi tsose watsokala mna ghumwanga ghwake, na wandewa we isi watsolighalila pfinu pfawo pfinoghile.²⁵ Mibani ya ghumji agho itsokala mwatsi matsuwaga ghose, kwaapfila ng'akutsakuwa ne ichilo bae.²⁶ Pfinu pfinoghile na mali tse iwanu we isi tsingi pfitsohalighwa mghati mwake.²⁷ Kuduhu chinu chochose mbe ichihile ichitsakwingila mna ghumji agho, wala munu wowose iyotenda pfinu pfa chinyala au iyoghutsuka, ila awala waliheka iwandikighwe mataghwa ghawo mna chitabu cha ughima cha Mwanang'olo.

Ghumto wa ughima

22¹ Kuya malaika kanangusa ghumto ghwa ghamatsi gha ughima ighang'alile ka chiyoo, gholawa hane chighoda che undewa che Imulungu na che Mwanang'olo² na ghahulumka kubitila haghathighati ha nzila ng'ulu ye ghumji. Chila ubali wa ghumto tsakukala mbiki wa ughima ighukweleka ghamatunda mala kumi na mbili kwa mwaka, ghwakweleka chila mwetsi, na mitsani yake yowahonetsa iwanu wa isi tsose.³ Kuduhu chinu chochose ichilighitighwe ichitsakuwa mne ghumji agho.

Chighoda che undewa che Imulungu na che Mwanang'olo chitsokala mne ghumji agho, na watumwa wake watsomtumikila yeye.⁴ Watsochona chihanga chake, na taghwa iyake litsakwandikighwa mpfihanga mwawo.⁵ Ng'akutsakuwa na chilo keli, ng'awatsobama bae chitsasa wala litsua, kwaapfila lmtwatsa Imulungu katsowamwemwesela, nawo watsotawala ghamatsuwa ghose.

Ukutsa kwa Yesu

⁶ Kuya malaika yula kanongela, "Mbuli tsino tsakutoghilighwa na tsa kweli. lmtwatsa Imulungu iyoweng'a manabii tsimuhe tsake, kamtuma malaika wake awalanguse watumwa wake aghala ighobamighwa kulawila sambi baha."

⁷ Yesu kolonga, "Tegheletsa, nakutsa sambii! Kabweda imunu yula iyokinda mbuli tsino tse unabii wa chitabu chino."

⁸ Nene Yohane, tsanighona na nighahulika aghano ghose. Hanihulike na kughona agho, nyighwa mmaghulu mwake nimtamanile malaika yula iyananguse agho ghose.⁹ Leken kanongela, "Leka kutenda apfo! Nene na mtumwa miyenu ghweghwe na ndughu tsako manabii, na awala wose iwokinda mbuli tsa chitabu chino. Mtamanile Imulungu!"¹⁰ Kuya kanongela, "Uleke kupfisa mbuli tsa unabii itsili mne chitabu chino, kwaapfila ghamatsuwa ghake ghahabehi.¹¹ Mlekeni ayula iyotenda ghehile aghendelele kutenda ghehile, mlekeni ayula yehile aghendelele kwiha, na mumleke ayula yotenda ghanoghile aghendelele kutenda ghanoghile, na yenzeluke aghendelele kwenzeluka."¹² Yesu kolonga, "Teghelets! Nakutsa sambii na ghweko lyangu mmoko, nitsomghweka chila munu kwa achila chatendile.¹³ Nene na Alufa na Omega pfose, wa mwanduso na wa utsighilo, yanikwandusa pfinu pfose na kupfitenda pfinu pfose pfitimile.

¹⁴ "Wabweda awala iwotsapfa maghwanda ghawo, ili walekelelighwe wengile mne ghumji kubitila mibani yake na ukuja ghamatunda ghe mbiki we ughima.

¹⁵ Leken iwanu iwotenda pfinu ipfidesa, wahawi, waghoni, iwokoma weyawo, awala iwotamanila pfinyagho na wose iwonoghela kulonga ughutsu na kughutenda, watsokala kunze mwe ghumji.

¹⁶ "Nene Yesu, nimtuma malaika wangu awalongeleni mbuli tsino mna makanisa. Nene na mtsukulu mne lukolo Iwa Daudi. Nene inondo iikuchela!"

¹⁷ Ghumuhe we Imulungu na pinga yokwelighwa wolonga, "Utse!" Na ayula yohulika yalonge, "Utse!" Na yane ng'ilu yatse, na imunu iwowose iyobama, yadeghe hela ghamatsi ghe ughima.

¹⁸ Nomkanya chila imunu iyohulika mbuli tsino tse unabii tse chitabu chino, imunu wowose ang'ongetsa mbuli yoyose, Imulungu katsomtowa kwa majanga ghose ighandikighwe mchitabu chino,¹⁹ na munu wowose ang'ahungutsa mbuli tsa chitabu chino cha unabii, Imulungu naye katsomboka fungu iyake kulawa hane mbiki we ughima na mne ghumji ghwenzeluke ka mbuli tsake pfatsandikighwe mchitabu chino.

²⁰ Ayula yolapfa ukalangama mna mbuli tsino, kolonga, "Ona, nakutsa sambii." Amina. Utse lmtwatsa Yesu!

²¹ Uluso we Imtwatsa wetu Yesu ukale namwe mwose iwanu we Imulungu.
Amina.