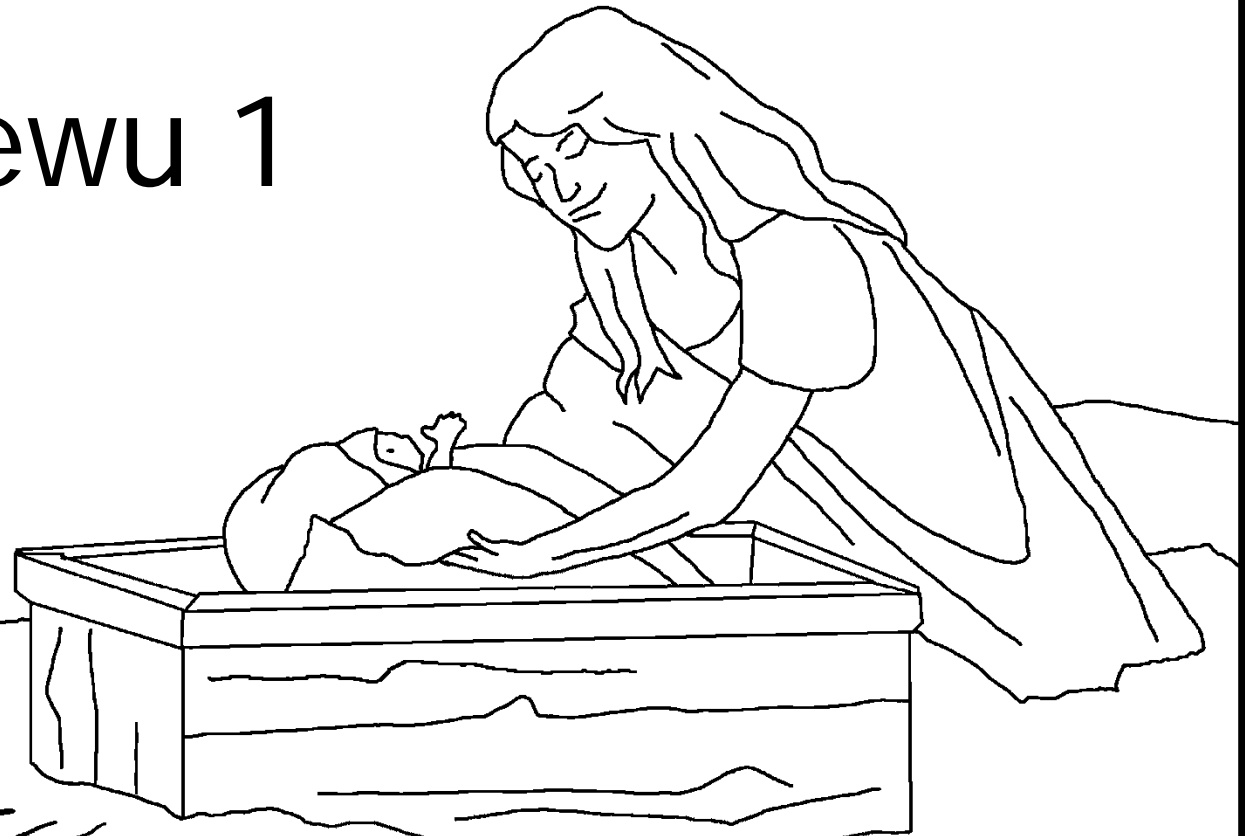


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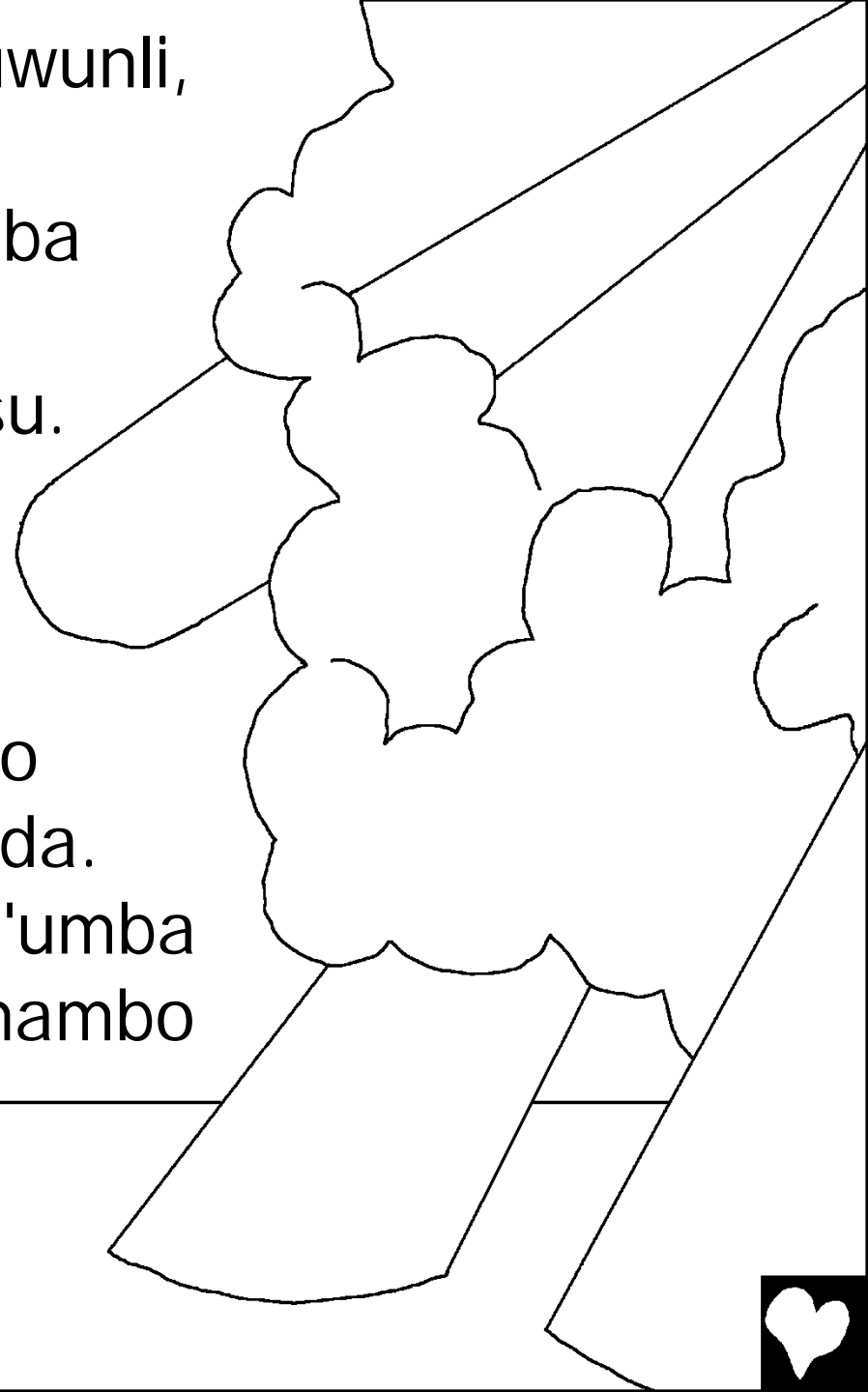
# Matewu 1



Mumwedzi webutanhatu Ndzimu wakatuma ntumwa Gabhuriyeli kuti ayende kunzi-nkulu wehango yeGalile unoyi Nazaretha, kumhandala yaka ili muludo nenhhuhha unoyi Josefa wen'umba yaDavida, zina lemhandala liyi Mariya.



Ntumwa wekudzimu wakati kuwunli,  
“Usihle Mariya, wawana ngoni  
dzeNdzimu. Nowhobhata mimba  
ukatshibama nkololo,  
unowhowumpa zina linoyi Yesu.  
Unowhoba nhu nkulunkulu,  
unowhodan'wa eyi uNkololo  
we Upehhugwihhugwi; He  
Ndzimu banowhowumpa tjigalo  
tjebumambo tjatate babe Davida.  
Unowhotonga pehhugwi kwen'umba  
yaJakobe nekusingapele, bumambo  
gugwe agutowhopela.”



Ipapo Mariya wakati kuntumwa  
wekudzimu, "Kowhoyetika tjini ikoku  
imi ndisingazibe nlume?"



Ntumwa wekudzimu wakahandula eti,  
“Meya Yakayengemala inowhobuya  
pehhugwi kuko, nemasimba e  
Upehhugwihhugwi  
anowhokufukidza,  
kobva kuti iwhoyu  
wawunowhotshibama  
unowhoi  
wakayengemala,  
unowhodan’wa  
eyi Nkololo  
weNdzimu.”



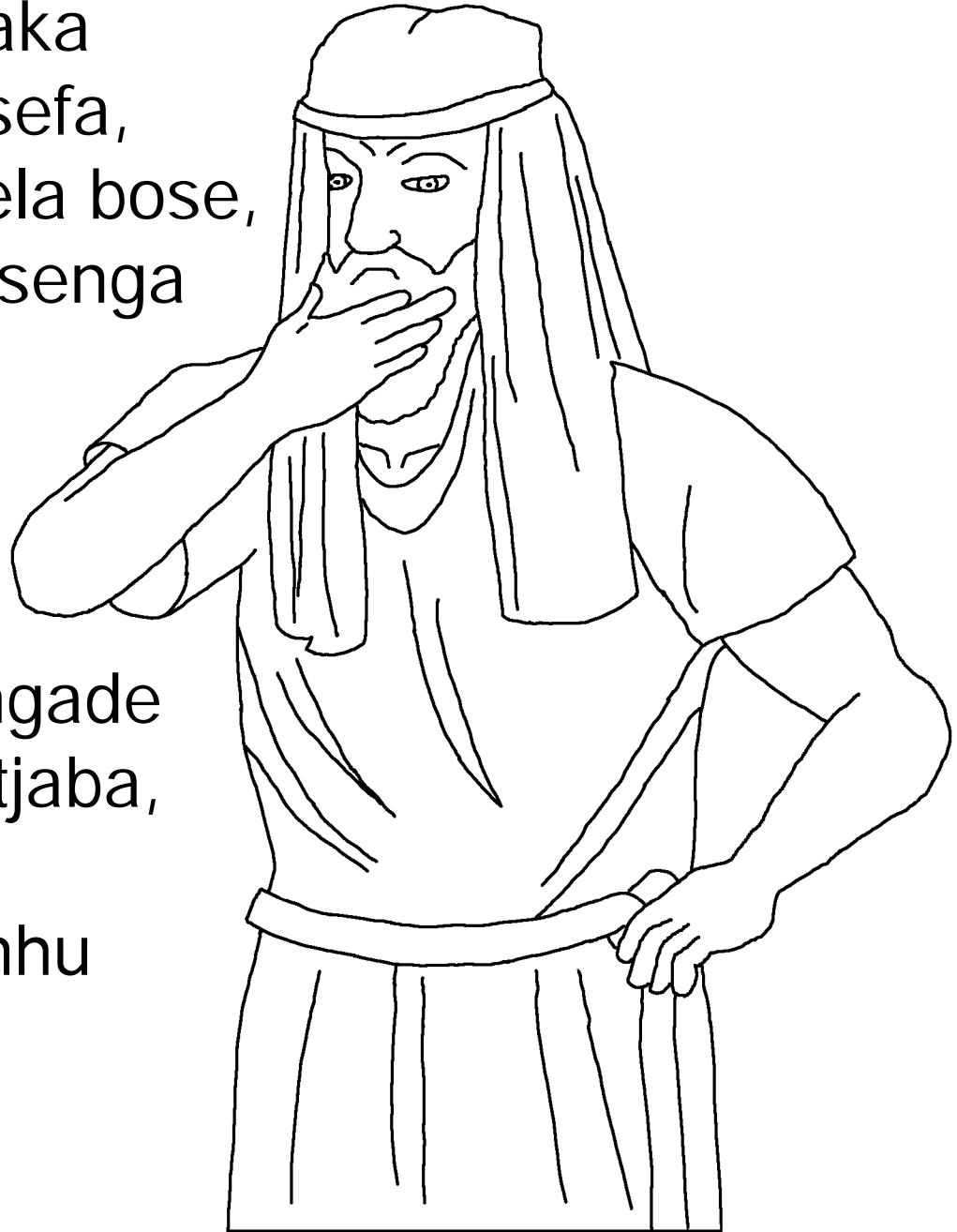
Mumahhuba iyawo Mariya wakamilika akayenda kuhango yezwitombwana nekulibilidza, kunzi-nkulu waJuda. Wakanongina mun'umba yaZakhariya akabuyisa Elizabethi.



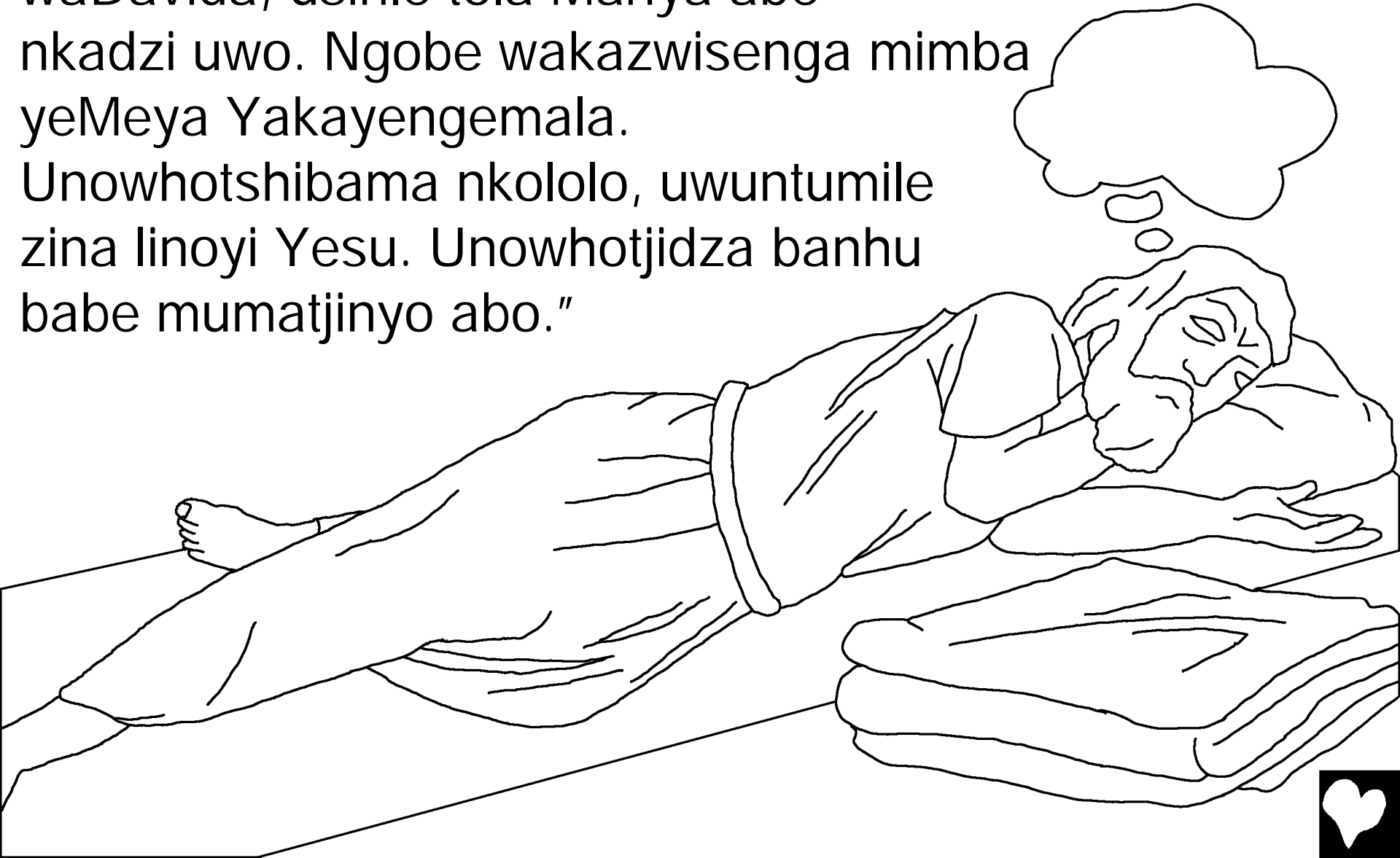
Kwakayetika kuti Elizabethi ewha buyisa kwaMariya, mwana umuntumbu wakatjuluka ehanha, Elizabethi wakahhala neMeya Yakayengemala. Wakalebelekela pehhugwi ekati, "Waka kombolegwa iwe pakati kwebafumakadzi, mwana wawakasenga wakakombolegwa."



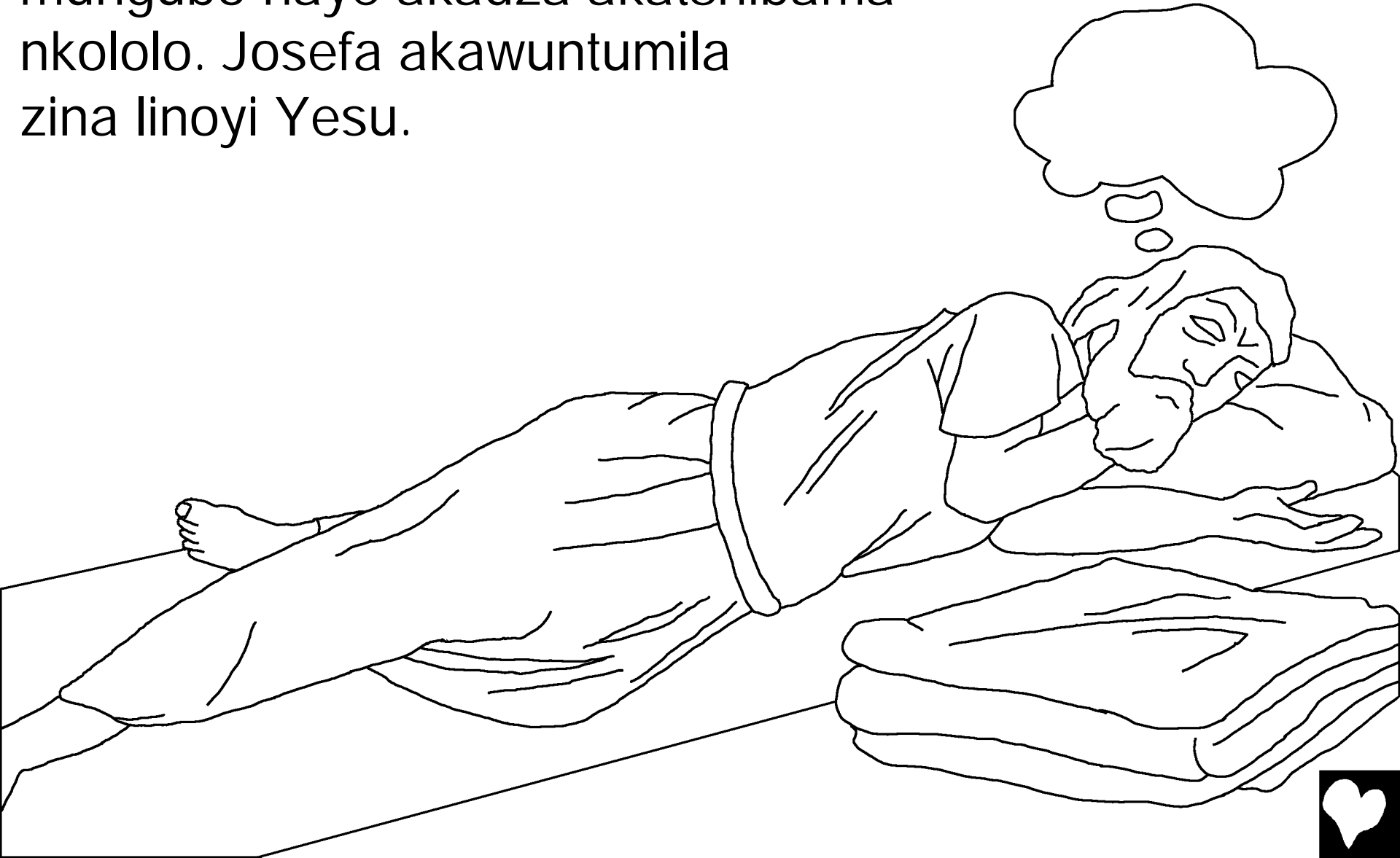
Ndizo zwagwa kwa Yesu Khirisitu kwakaba nayeyi zila.  
Mme babe Mariya waka  
ewhobhikila kuna Josefa,  
besanhu batongoyizela bose,  
waka wan'wa akazwisenga  
mimba yeMeya  
Yakayengemala.  
Josefa atjibe nlume  
uwe, ali nlume  
wakatambunuka asingade  
wumbhatisa honi mutjaba,  
wakaba nenkumbulo  
welambana naye banhu  
besingazibe.



Etja alakana nekwako, wakahhigwa newoloto, wakawolota ntumwa waHe eti kuwunli, "Josefa, nkololo waDavida, usihle tola Mariya abe nkadzi uwo. Ngobe wakazwisenga mimba yeMeya Yakayengemala. Unowhotshibama nkololo, uwuntumile zina linoyi Yesu. Unowhotjidza banhu babe mumatjinyo abo."

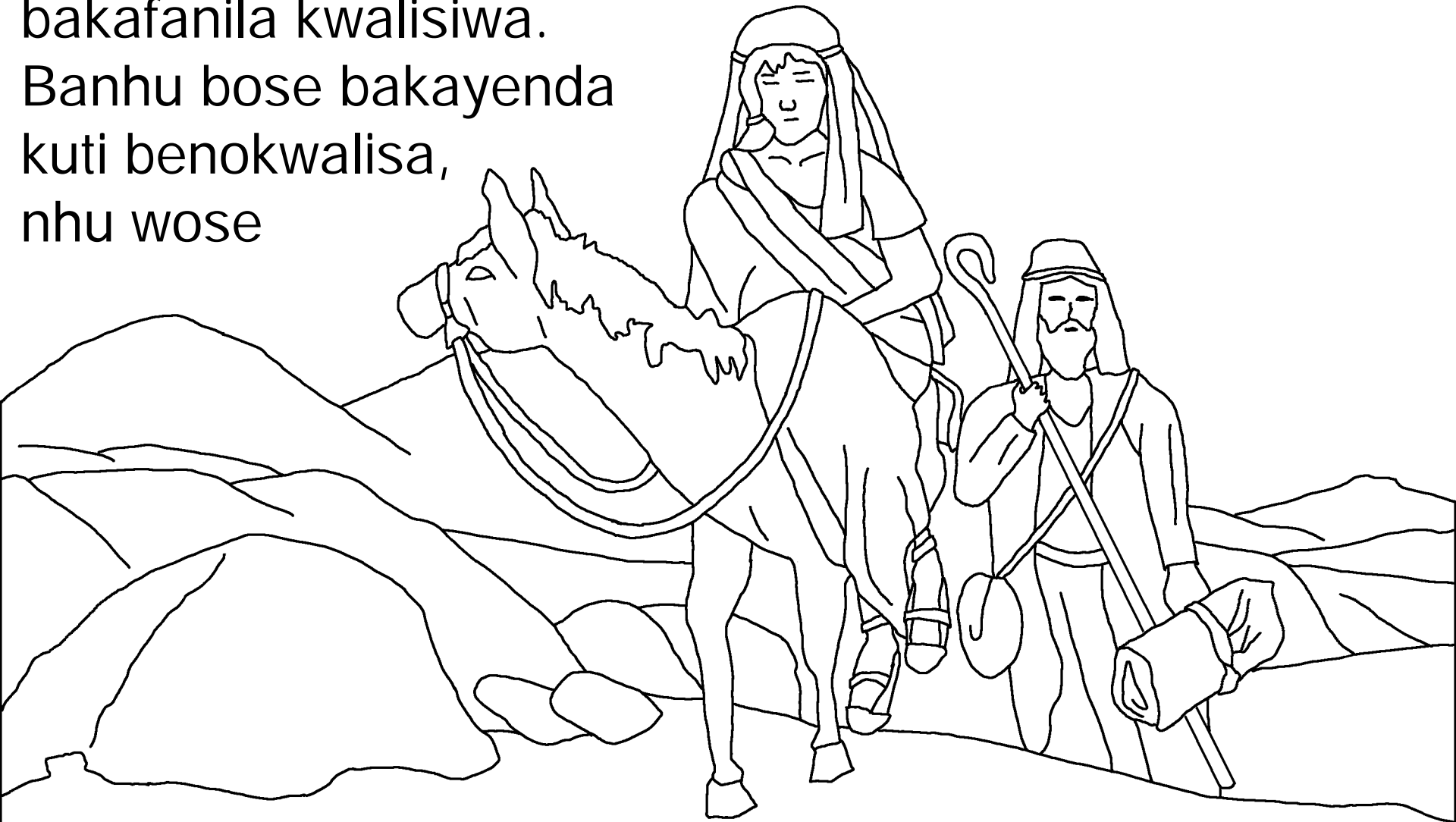


Josefa akamuka muw hope, akatobela tjaalayiwa nentumwa wa He, akatola nkadzi uwe; azotongongina mungubo naye akadza akatshibama nkololo. Josefa akawuntumila zina linoyi Yesu.



Kwakayetika kuti mumahhuba aKhesari Agasitasi kwakabhuda nlayo waka uti banhu muhango yose bakafanila kwalisiwa.

Banhu bose bakayenda kuti benokwalisa, nhu wose



eyenda kunzi-nkulu wakanyi kwabo.



NaJosefa bo wakayenda ebva muntunhu weGalile,  
munzi-nkulu unoyi Nazaretha, akayenda kuntunhu  
weJudiya, kunzi unoyi  
Bethlehem ngobe  
waka ebaligwa  
kun'umba  
yeludzi



gwaDavida.  
Wakayenda enokwalisa  
naMariya waaka ewholobola, atjikuligwa.



Kwakayetika kuti betji  
ikweno, mahhuba awe  
etshibama akaswika.



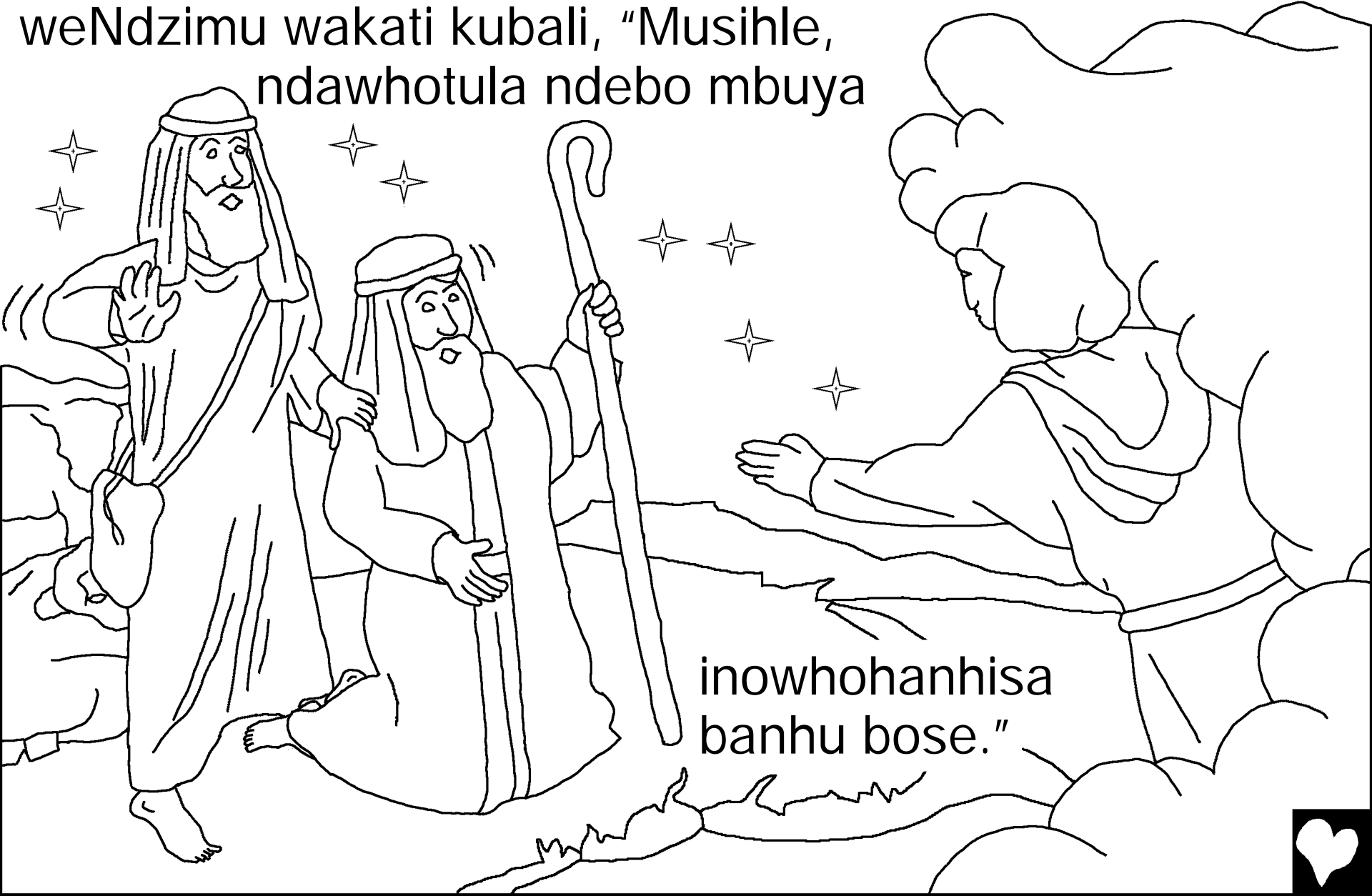
Wakatshibama mbisana mbano iye; akawumpetela nematjila, akawunladzika munghoro nentha yekuti n'umba dzebezi dzakadzili hhele.



Kwakakuna balisi bemhwizi muhango iyeyo, begala kumakula bakalisa, kakale belinda mhwizi dzabo busiku.



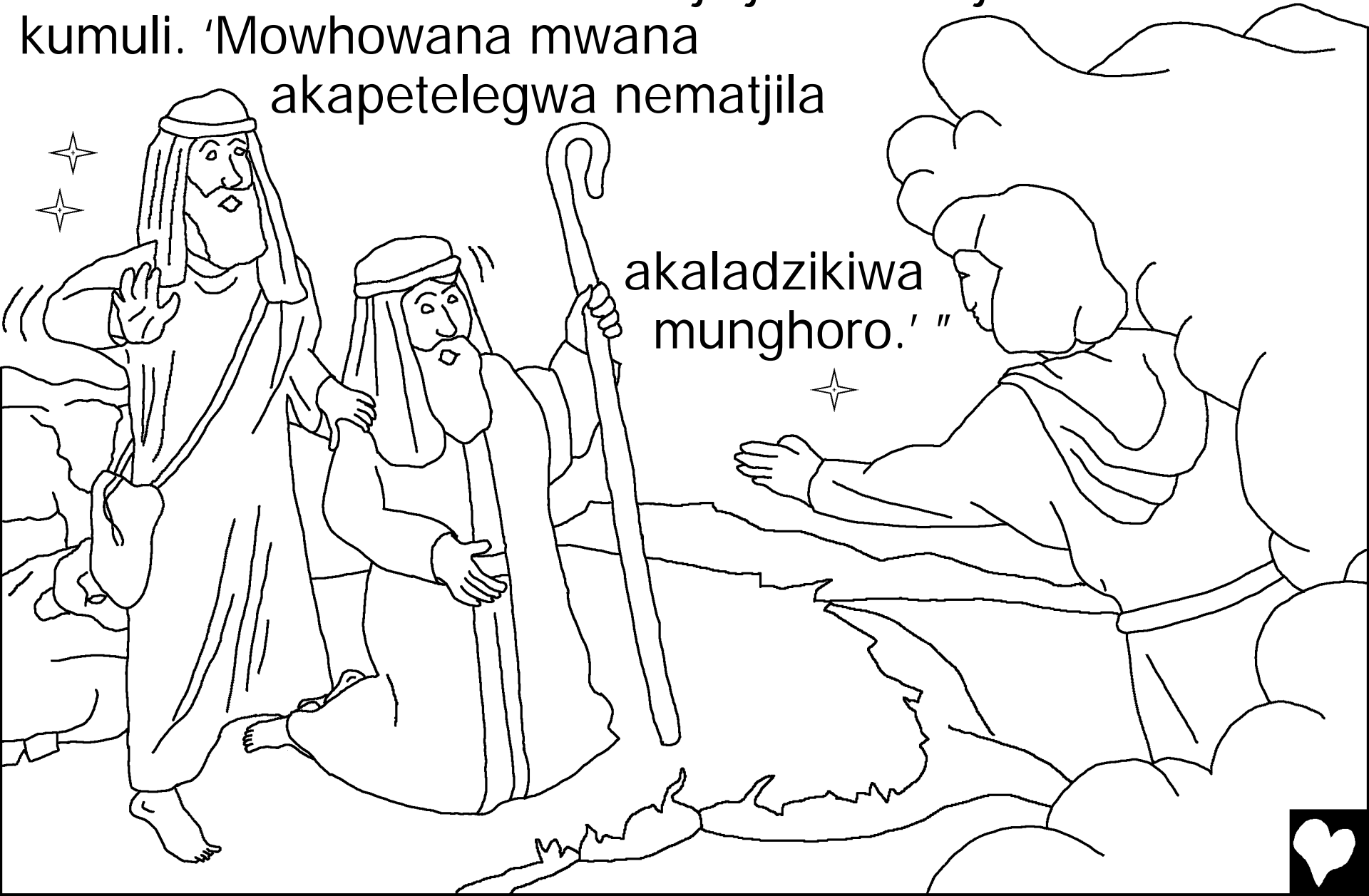
Ntumwa waHe wakaboneka kubali, kwidzima kwaHe kukabakombedza, bakahhala luhlo kwazo. Ntumwa weNdzimu wakati kubali, "Musihle, ndawhotula ndebo mbuya



inowhohanhisa banhu bose."



“Nasi mazwaligwa Ntjidzi, iye Khirisitu He,  
munzi-nkulu waDavida. LYetji tjowhobe tjilakidzilo  
kumuli. ‘Mowhowana mwana  
akapetelegwa nematjila



akaladzikiwa  
munghoro.' ”



Tjinyolotjo kwakabe negubungano lekudzimu  
gulugulu lina ntumwa weNdzimu limba  
likudza Ndzimu liti, "Gudzo ngalibe  
kuNdzimu



Upehhugwihhugwi,  
kunyalala  
muhango nehanha  
ngakube kubanhu bose!"



Kwakati ke batumwa beNdzimu babgwilila kudzimu, balisi bemhwizi bakalebelesana, beti, "Ayindeni ngwenuwali kuBhethelhehema tinobona tjayetika tjatazibisiwa naHe."



Bakayenda nekulibilidza, bakaswika bewana Mariya naJosefa, nemwana alilele munghoro. Bakati batjibona ikoku, bakathama kuti kuzibgwe kose kwalebwa kubali nekwemwana iwhoju.



Kwakati pakuzwagwa kwa Yesu mu Bhethlehema, muntunhu we Judiya, mulubaka Hherodi ali iye mambo, kwakaswika mu Jerusalema batjenjebvu

baka bebva kubhehuba. Beti, "Uponi iye wazwagwa ali Mambo wema Juta? Tabona nyenyedzi iye kubhehuba, tahha kuwhowunamata."



Hherodi wakakodanila ntome  
batjenjebvu, akawha kubva  
kubali kuti nyenyedzi  
yabonakala gupi lubaka.  
Wakati kubali, "Yendani  
kuBhethelhehema  
munohakisisa nekwemwana  
iwhooyo, hapa muwuwana,  
mundibudze, kuyetila kuti  
nami bo ndiyende  
ndinowunamata."



Bakati batjiwha matama amambo, baka yenda,  
bakabona iyeyiya nyenyedzi yabaka babona

kubhehuba yakabatungamila, ikadza  
ikanoma pehhugwi kwayipapo  
kwaka kuna mwana.



Bakati beyibona nyenyedzi bakahanha kupindisisa;  
bakangina mun'umba bakabona mwana enaMariya,

meyabe, bakapfigama bakakotana

bakawunamata, bakahhula

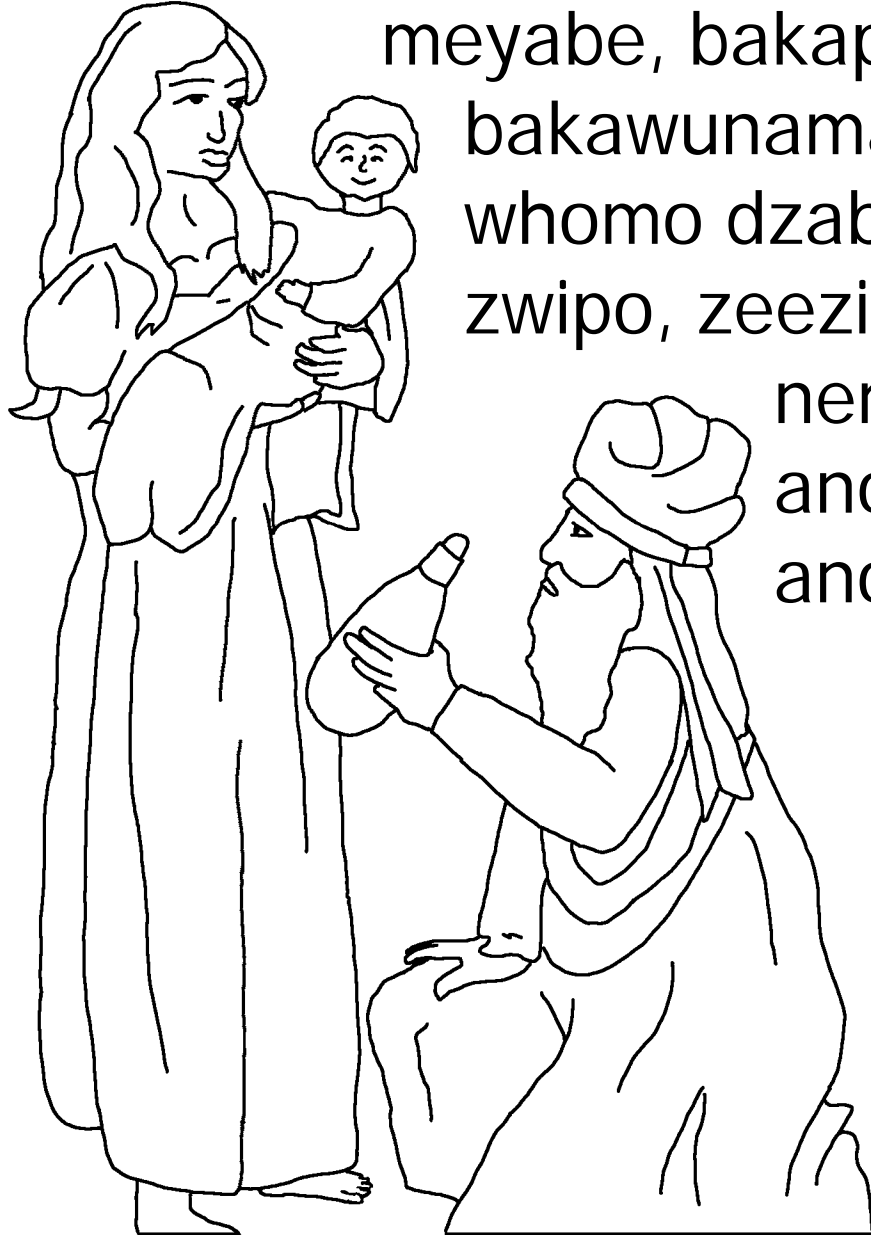
whomo dzabo bakawumpa

zwipo, zeezi nenyonje

nemafuta

anonhuwilila

anoyi mure.



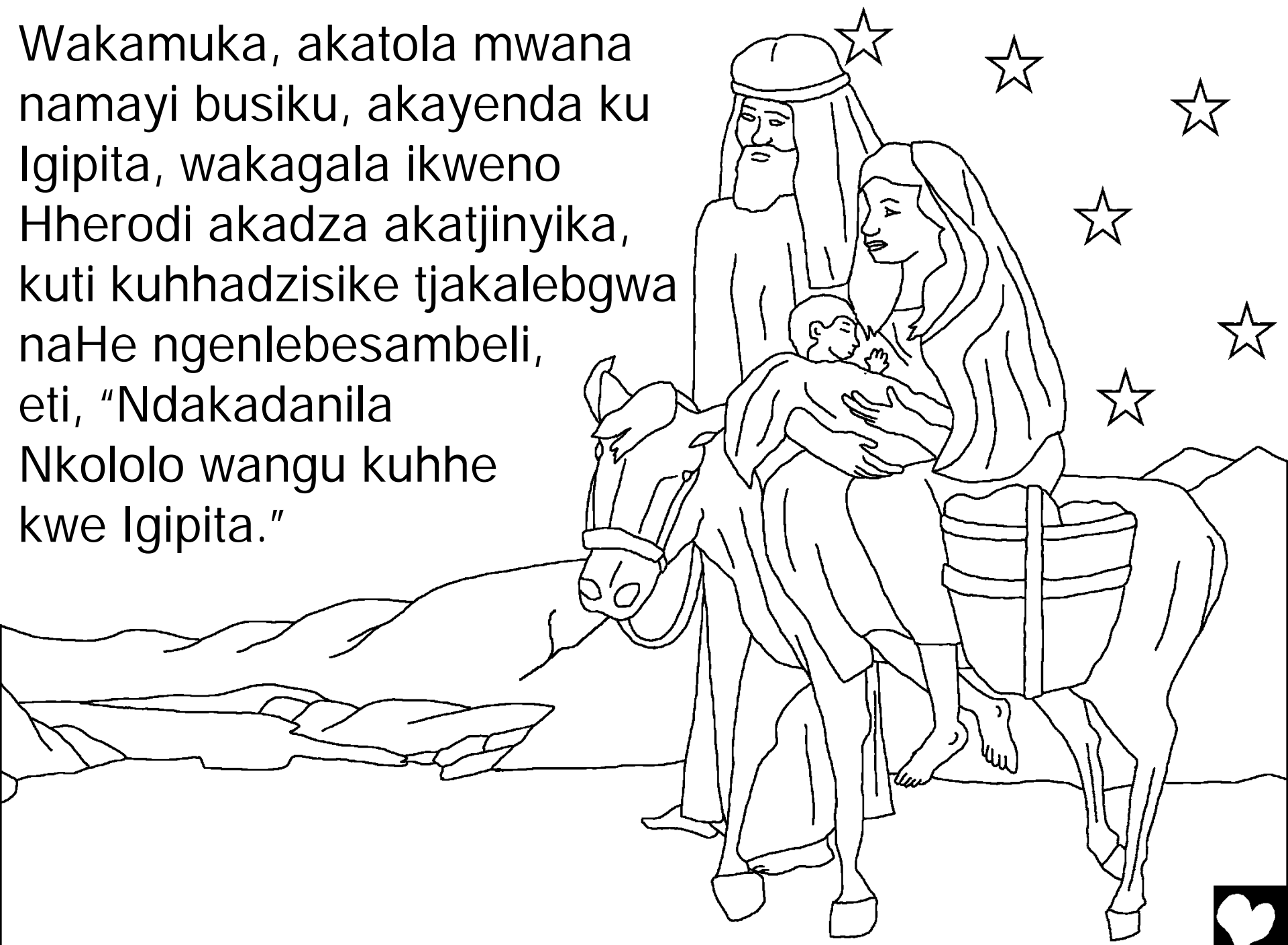
Hule kwekuti Ndzimu abalaya ngewoloto kuti basibgwilile kuna Hherodi, bakabgwilila kuhango yabo neyimwe zila.



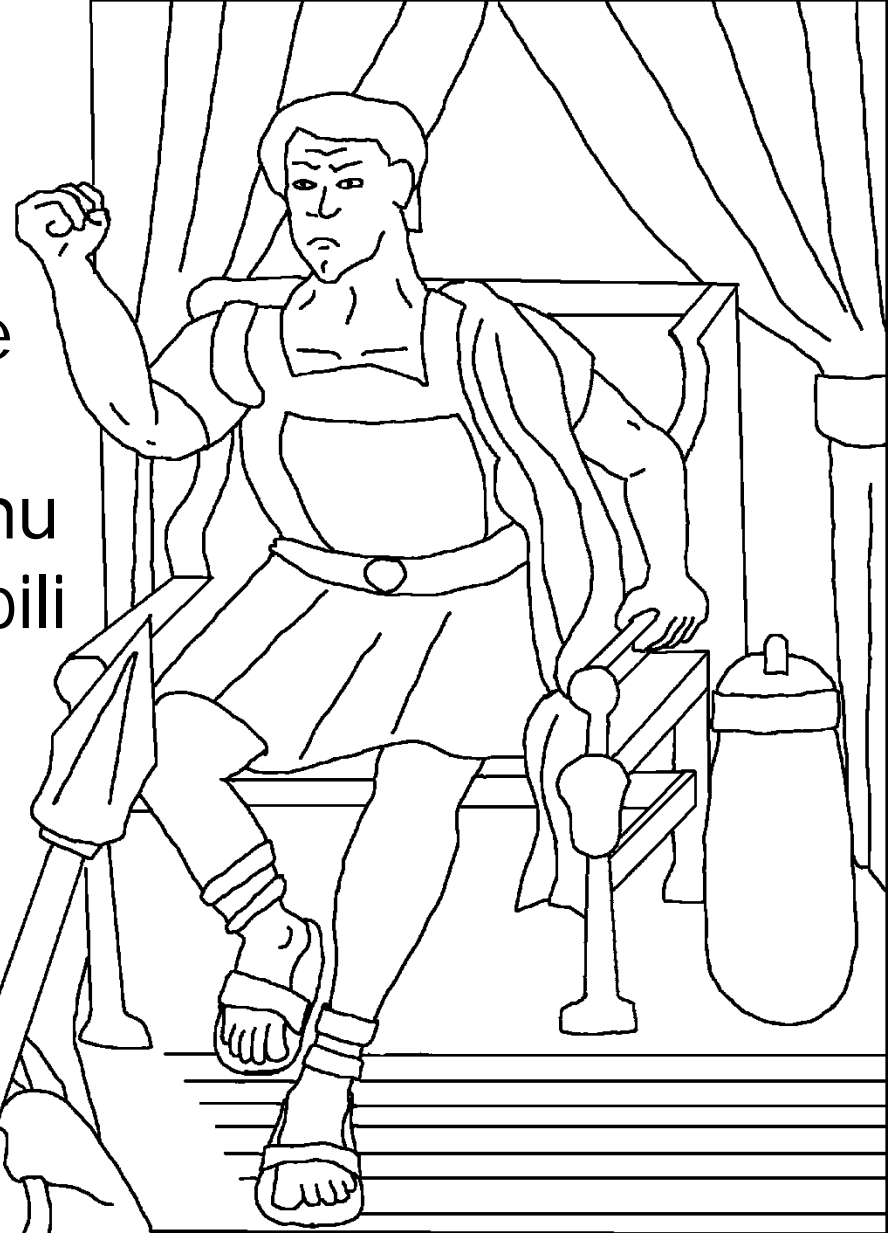
Batjiyenda, ntumwa waHe  
wakaswika kuna Josefa  
ngewoloto, eti, "Milika, tola  
mwana nameyabe, mutihhile  
ku Igipita, mugale ko ndidze  
ndikubudze uyeti,  
Hherodi unovima mwana  
kuyetila kuti  
awumbulaye."



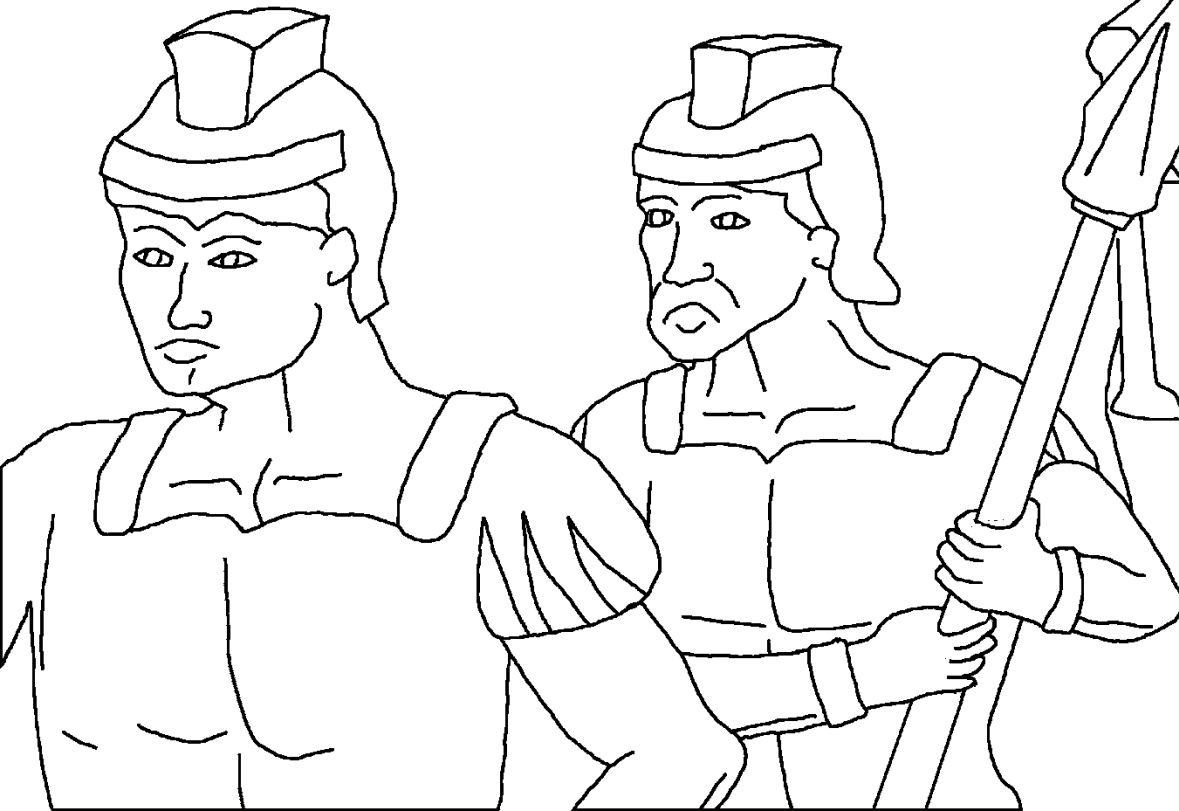
Wakamuka, akatola mwana  
namayi busiku, akayenda ku  
Igipita, wakagala ikweno  
Hherodi akadza akatjinyika,  
kuti kuhhadzisike tjakalebgwa  
naHe ngenlebesambeli,  
eti, "Ndakadanela  
Nkololo wangu kuhhe  
kwe Igipita."



Hherodi atjibona kuti  
batjenjebvu bawuntjengela,  
wakamon'wa kwazo,  
akatumila whi linoti kubulayiwe  
bose bana betjilume,  
muBhethelhehema nemuntunhu  
iwhoyo wose banamakole mabili  
kuyenda  
pasi.



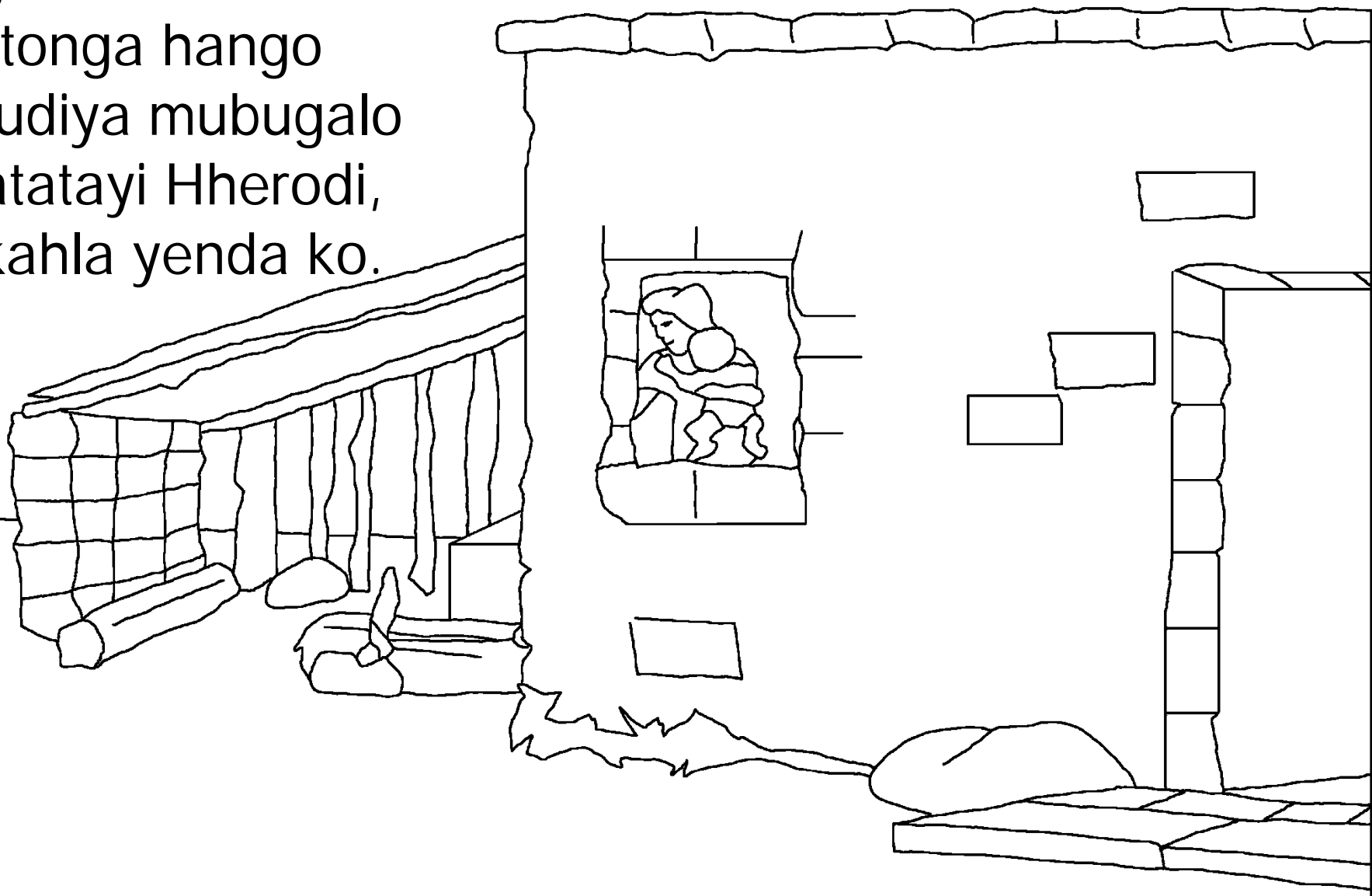
Igogu lubaka  
gwakaguyendidzana nelubaka  
batjenjebvu pabakabona  
nyenyedzi, sebudza  
kwabo Hherodi.



Kwakati Hherodi atjifa,  
ntumwa waHe akaswika  
ngewoloto kunaJosefa ku  
Igipita, eti, "Muka utole  
mwana nameyabe, uyende  
kuhango ye Isirayeli,  
batjifa baka bevima  
butjilo gwemwana."



Koga wakati ewha kuti Akhelasi  
unotonga hango  
yeJudiya mubugalo  
gwatatayi Hherodi,  
wakahla yenda ko.



Wakati atjilumwa zebe muwoloto,  
akayenda akanogala  
muntunhu weGalile,  
wakagala  
munzi-nkulu



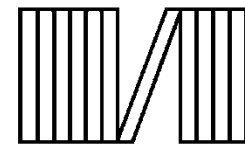
unoyi Nazaretha,  
kuyetila kuti kuhhadzisike  
tjakalebgwa nebalebesambeli, kuti,  
"Unowhodan'wa eyi Nanzarini."



Ngobe Ndzimu wakada hango  
zwingapa, kwekuti wakapila Nkololo  
uwe uyega, kuti nhu wose  
unogalamoyo muwunli asife koga  
abe nebutjilo gusingapele.



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BaRoma 3:23 ngentha yekuti wose nhu wakatjinya,  
unotayila swikilila gudzo leNdzimu,

BaRoma 6:23 Ngobe mbhayilo wejinyo lufu, koga tjipo  
tjempho tjeNdzimu, butjilo gusingapele muna Khirisitu  
Yesu He wedu.

BaHhebheru 9:27 Ngobe senhu wose ewhofa kan'ompela,  
hule kwayikoko kotobela tongewa,

baEfesu 2:8,9 Nentha yengoni makatjidziwa  
nekugalamoyo; koga ikoku akuta nentha yethama kwenyu,  
itjipo tjeNdzimu-kusi nentha yemihingo, kuyetila kuti  
kusitongobe nenhu unozwikudza.

BaRoma 10:9,10 Hapa ubvuma nenlomo uwo uti, "Yesu  
ndiHe," ugalamoyo mumoyo uwo kuti Ndzimu  
wakawumusa kubafi, nowhotjidziwa.



Ngobe nemoyo uwo nogalamoyo ukalulamisiwa,  
unobvuma nenlomo uwo ukatjidziwa.

Johane 3:16,17 Ngobe Ndzimu wakada hango zwingapa,  
kwekuti wakapila Nkololo uwe uyega, kuti nhu wose  
unogalamoyo muwunli asife koga abe nebutjilo  
gusingapele. Ngobe Ndzimu wakatuma Nkololo muhango,  
esingahhile tonga hango, koga kuti hango  
itjidziwe muzina lile.

1 Johane 5:11-13 Igogu ndigo busupi, kuti Ndzimu  
wakatipa butjilo gusingapele, igogu butjilo gumuNkololo  
uwe. UnaNkololo unabutjilo; usina Nkololo weNdzimu  
haana butjilo. Ndomukwalila ikoku imwi banogalamoyo  
muzina leNkololo weNdzimu, kuyetila kuti muzibe kuti  
muna butjilo gusingapele.



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