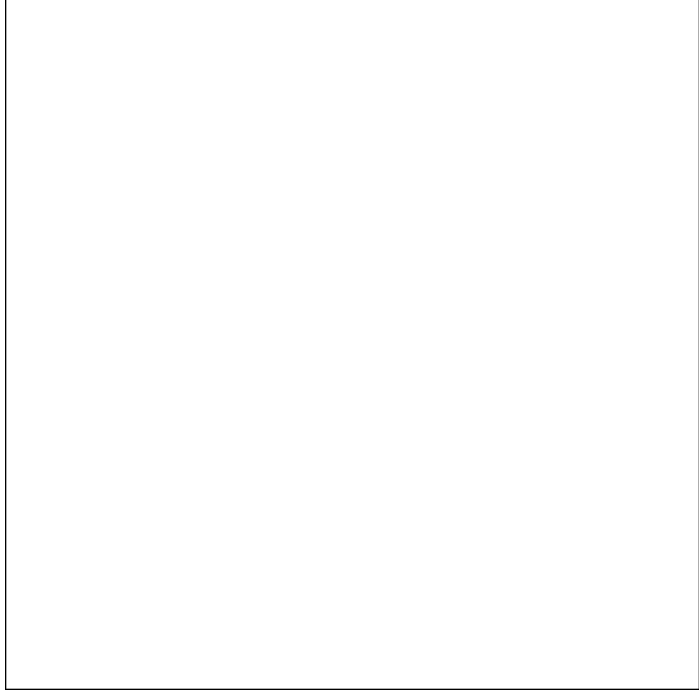







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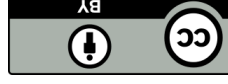
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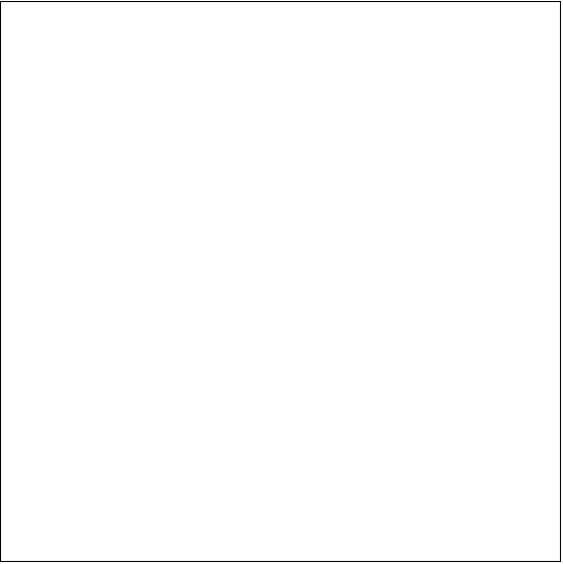
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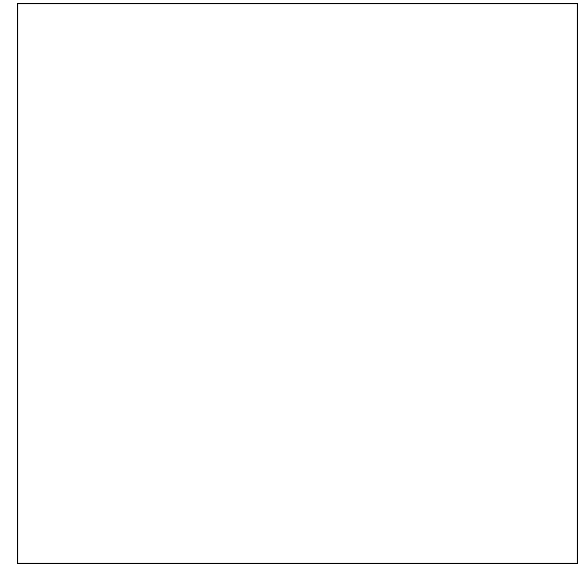
Bogogolotala go ne go le kgosi e bidiwa Mothupi. O ne a dula mo ntlong ya segosi le mmakgosi le morwadiabona, kgosigadi Dineo. Kgosigadi Dineo o ne a le bontle jwa go tshwana le naledi, mme banna botlhe ba motse ba ne ba batla go mo nyala. Kgosi Mothupi o ne a batla magadi a a thibang letsatsi.



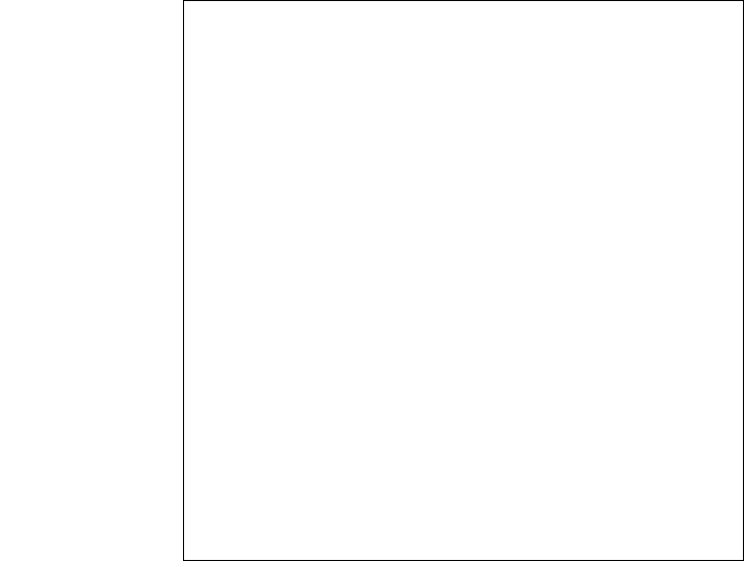
Gauti le ntlo ya segosi go ne go dula kgosana
nngwe e bidiwa Moroka o mogolo. O ne a bidiwa o
"mogolo" ka gonne o ne a obamelwa ke batho
botlhe ba motse. Fa o ne o sa mo obamele o ne a
go tihagisetse kotsi! E ne e se kgale mosadi wa ga
kgosana Moroka a tihokafetse ka ntsha ya malaria.
kgosana o ne a batla mosadi yo mongwe.



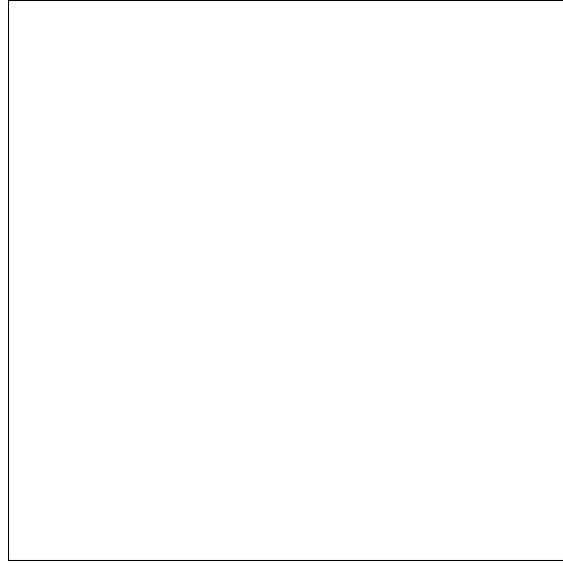
Ka jalo kgosana e e nonneng ebile e tsofetse e, e ne ya etela Kgosi Mothupi ka maikaelelo a go ntshetsa kgosigadi Dineo magadi. Fa banna ba babedi ba ba ntse ba bua, mothusi wa mo ntlung ya kgosi, Phemelo, o ne a utlwa puisano ya bona. Phemelo le kgosigadi Dineo ba ne ba utlwana thata.



Diphefo tse di bokete di ne tsa fekeetsa mokoro mme Thabang o ne a palelwa ke go o laola. "Boa tswee-tswée. Ke go itshwaretse. Nka se lo otlhae." Mme go ne go setse go le thari. Mokoro o ne wa fetoga mme boraro jwa bona ba nwela mo metsing a a bogale. Go tloga ka letsatsi leo, moagi mongwe le mongwe wa motse wa ga Kgosi Mothupi o ne a letlelewa go nyala motho yo a mo ratang, mohumi kgotsa modidi.



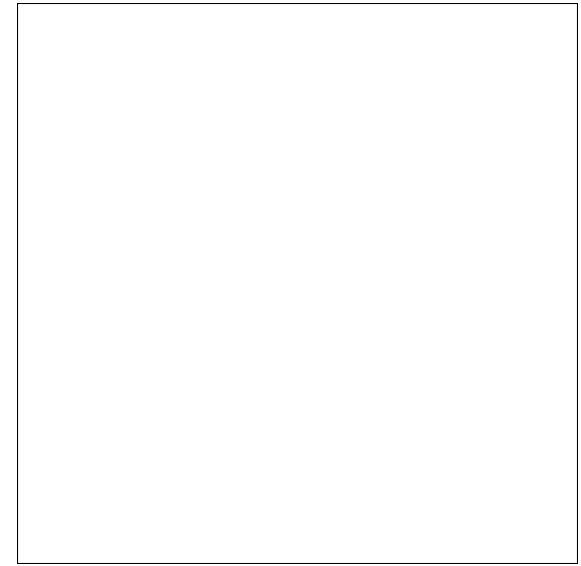
Kgosana Moroka o ne a dumelana le Kgosi Mothupi! gore o tla mo fa bontlhabongwe jwa khumo ya gagwe, go akaretša le nalata, e le yona e neng e le karolo ya magadi. Dipaakanyo tša lenyalo magareng ga kgosana Moroka le kgosigadi Dineo di ne tša dirwa mo sephiring. Kgosi e ne e itse gore morwadie a ka se itumellele kakanyo e.



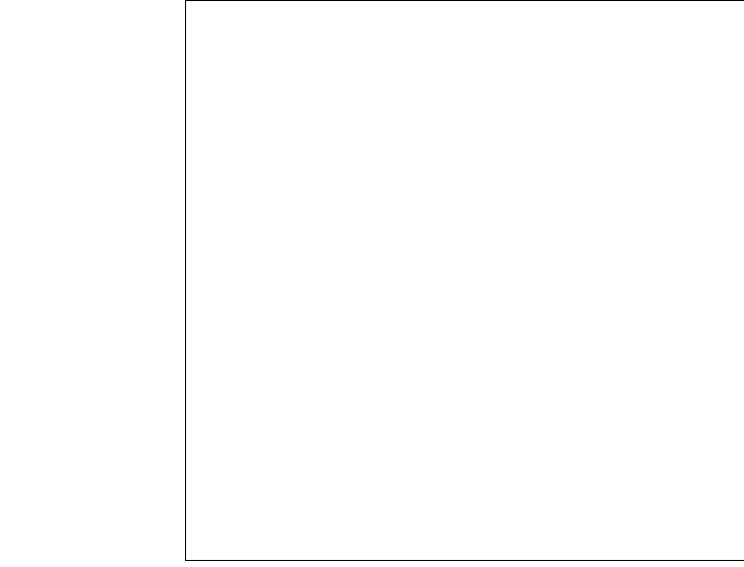
Thabang o ne a gogela mokoro gaufi le bona, mme a re ba palame. O ne a simolola go kgweetsa mokoro wa gagwe ka baratani ba. Fa Kgosi Mothupi le kgosana Moroka ba fitlha kwa ditshtshing tša noka, ba ne ba bona batho ba bararo mo mokorong. Ba lemoga gore baratani ba bašwa ba tshabile.



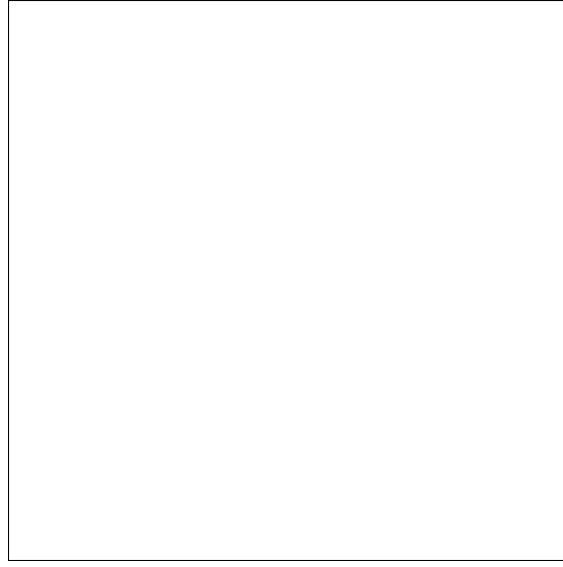
Beke pele ga lenyalo la segosi, Phemelo ne a ya kwa go Dineo. "Kgosigadi ya me e e rategang, rrago o rulagantse lenyalo la gago le kgosana Moroka, mme lona le tla diragala mo sebakeng sa beke."



Lefika o ne a pateletsa mme a tlhalosetsa Thabang mabaka a bona. O ne a tsha legago mme a le fa Thabang. Fa Thabang a utlwa mathata a bona mme a bona legapa le lentle, o ne a ba utlwela botlhoko. O ne a dumela go ba tshedisa noka maemo a loapi a ntse a sa dumele.



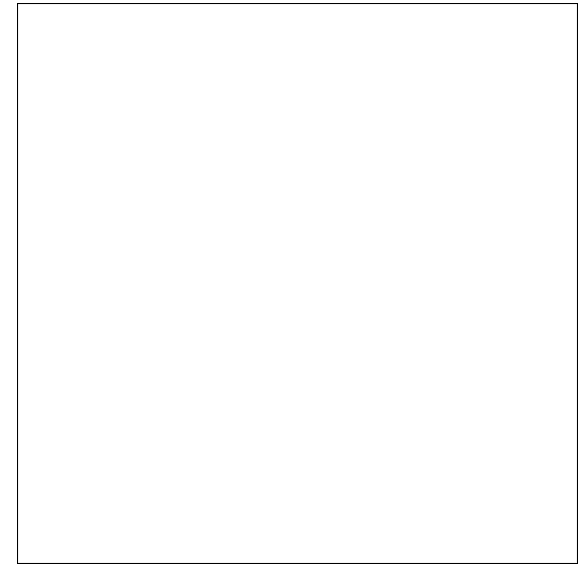
Kgosigadi Dineo o ne a maketse mme a sa itse gore a dire eng. Jaanong a akanya, "Ga ke na go nyala kgosana Moroka, monnamogolo yole yo o nonneng. Le eseng! Ke tshwanetse ke etele Letika ke bone gore a ka se thuse pele go nna thari." Letika e ne e le lekau la ga kgosigadi Dineo.



Thabang rramokoro o ne ntse a baakanya mokoro wa gagwe fa baratani ba ba tla mo go ena. Letika o ne a kopa Thabang gore a ba tshedise noka. Thabang o ne a gana, a tlhalosa gore go tla pula ya matlakadibe mme ga go a sireletsega.



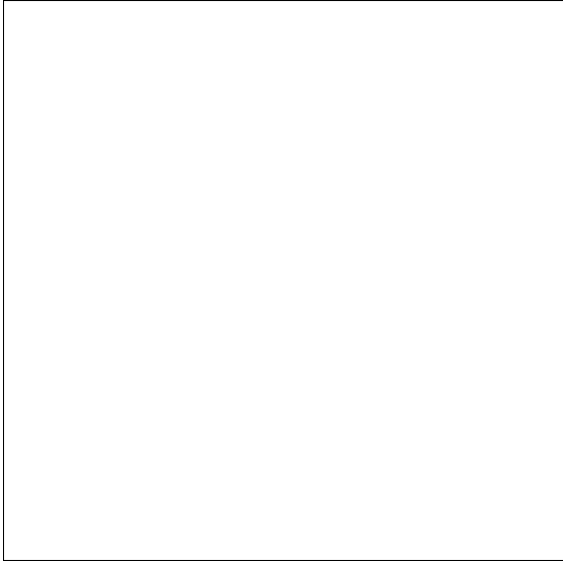
Bosigo joo, Dineo a ngwega mo ntlong. Fa rragwe a ka itse gore o ya kae, o tla tenega thata. O ne a taboga mo gare ga sekgwa se se kitlaneng, se se lefifi se na le mmitlwa le matlapa, go fitlhela a goroga kwa go Lefika. O ne a fitlha a lapile, a tshwerwe ke tlala le lenyora.



Fa kgosigadi Dineo le Lefika ba itlhaganelela kwa ditshitshing tsa noka, go ne ga thiba maru a mantsho. Go ne go tla pula ya matlakadibe.



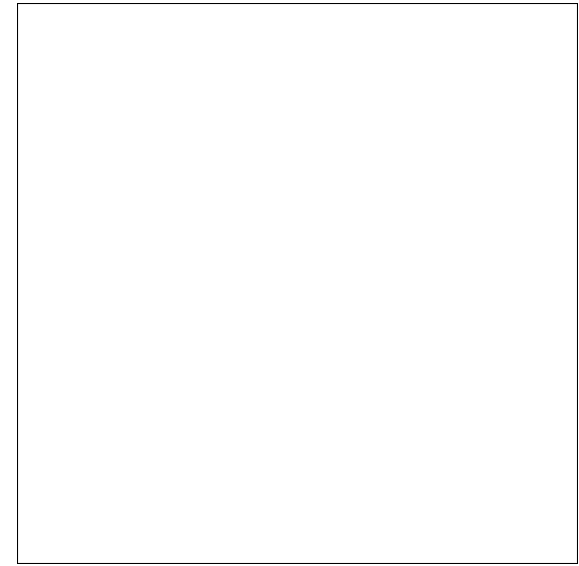
“Moratiwa, goreng o tille o le esi kgakala jaana ka nako e?” ga botsa Lefika. O ne a mo siela metsi mme a mo tlogela gore a ikhutse. Lefika o ne a sa kgone go itshoka fa a ntse a emetse Dineo gore a due.



Kwa ntlong ya segosi, Kgosi Mothupi o lemogile gore kgosigadi Dineo ga a teng, mme a laela bathusi ba gagwe gore ba mmale motse otlhe. Badisa ba kgosi, masole le baagi bothhe ba motse ba ne ba batla gothhe mme ba se bone kgosigadi Dineo. Ba ne ba boela kwa kgosing mme ba mmolela gore ga ba bona Dineo gope. “Tsamayang lo ye go mmata kwa nageng,” Kgosi Mothupi a ntsha molao. O ne a tenegile.



“Kgosigadi ya me e e rategang, bothata ke eng?”
Lefika a botsa. Dineo a hemela kwa godimo mme ka kutlobothoko a re, “Rre o batla go nnyadisa kgosana Moroka yo mogolo. Mme nna nka se kgone go nyala monna yole. Lefika, ke batla go nyalana le wena le fa o le modidi. Ke ikemiseditse go sotlega. Ke a go rata.”



“Fela kgosigadi, ga ke na sepe se nka se fang rrago, o a itse gore ke mosimane wa modidi,” Lefika a lela. “Ke a itse, ke wena fela monna yo nka nyalanang le ena,” ga araba Dineo. O ne a akanya mme morago ga nako a re, “A re tsamae re ye kwa go Thabang monna wa mokoro gore a re tshedise noka. Ka mokgwa oo, re ka tshaba mme rre a ka se tlhole a re bona.”