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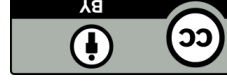
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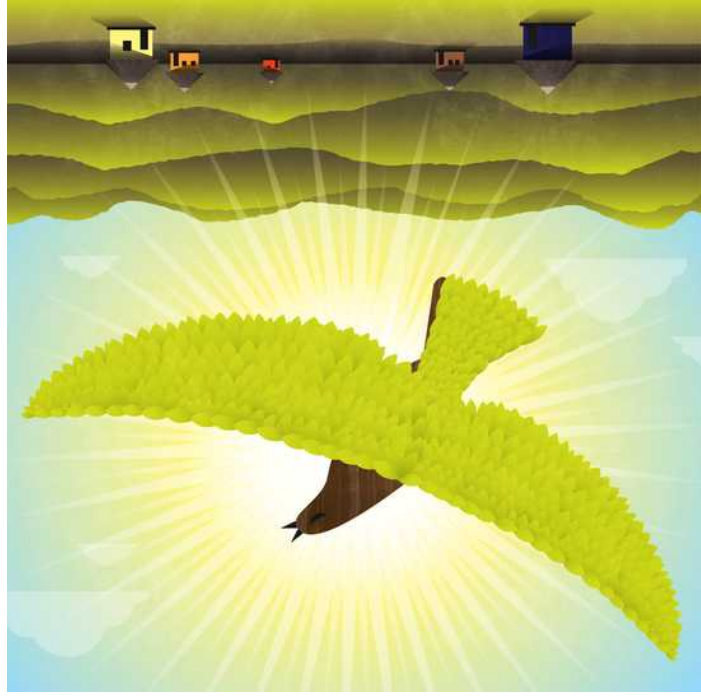


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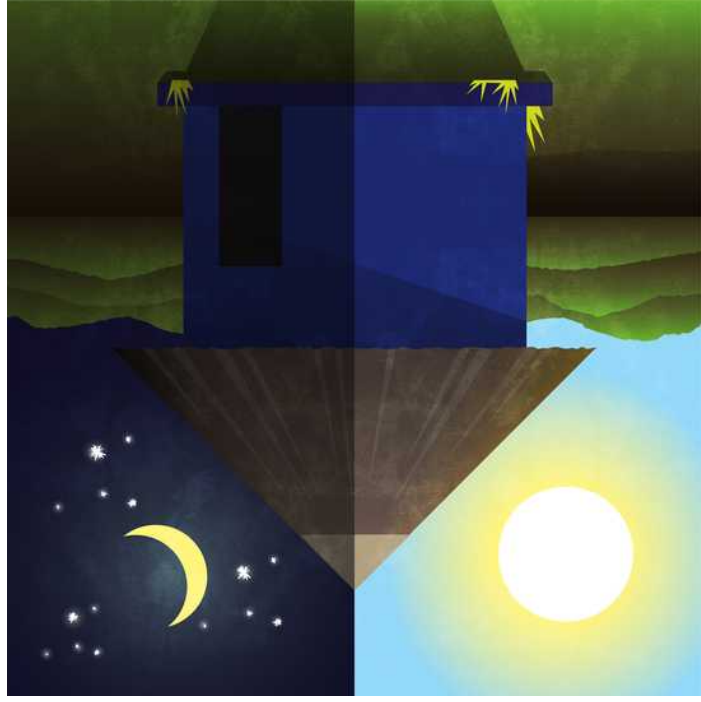
Hapo zamani za kale, paliishi familia yenye furaha.

Hawakugombana hata kidogo.
Watoto waliwasaidia wazazi
nyumbani na shambani.





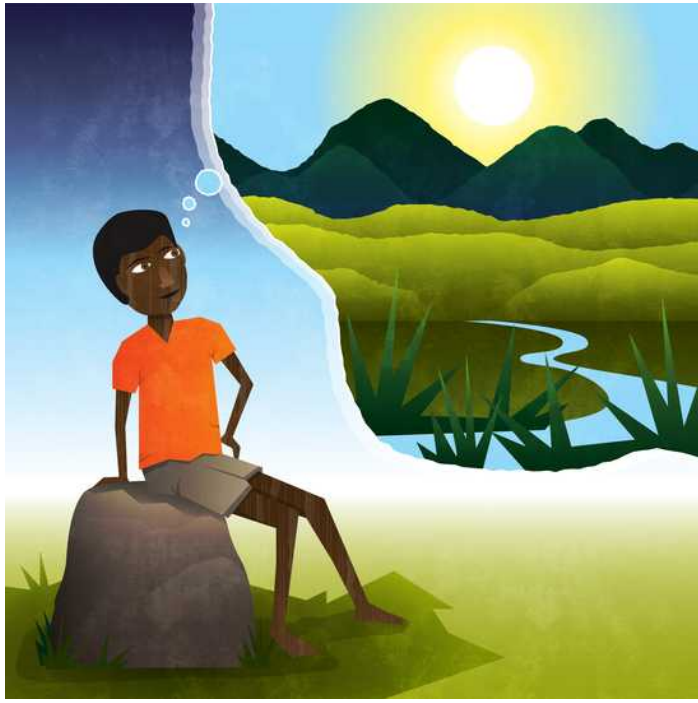
Lakini, walikatazwa kwenda karibu na moto.



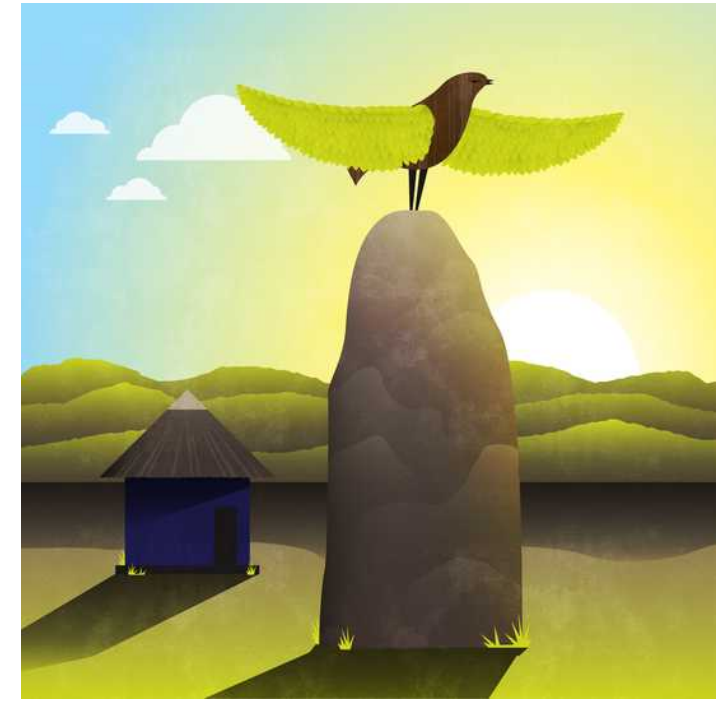
Walifanya kazi zao zote usiku. Hii ni
kwa sababu walikuwa wameumbwa
kwa nta.



Jua lilipochoza asubuhi,
akapeperuka akiimba kwa furaha.



Lakini, kijana mmoja alitamani kwenda nje wakati wa mchana.



Wakamweka ndege huyo juu ya mlima mrefu.



Siku moja tamaa ya kwenda nje
ikazidi. Wenzake wakamwonya
asiende juani. Lakini, hakusikia.



Wakapanga jambo fulani. Walichukua
nta iliyoyeyuka wakatengeza ndege.



Aliyeyuka kwa sababu joto lilikuwa kali.



Watoto wa nta walihuzunika walipoona kaka yao akiyeyuka.