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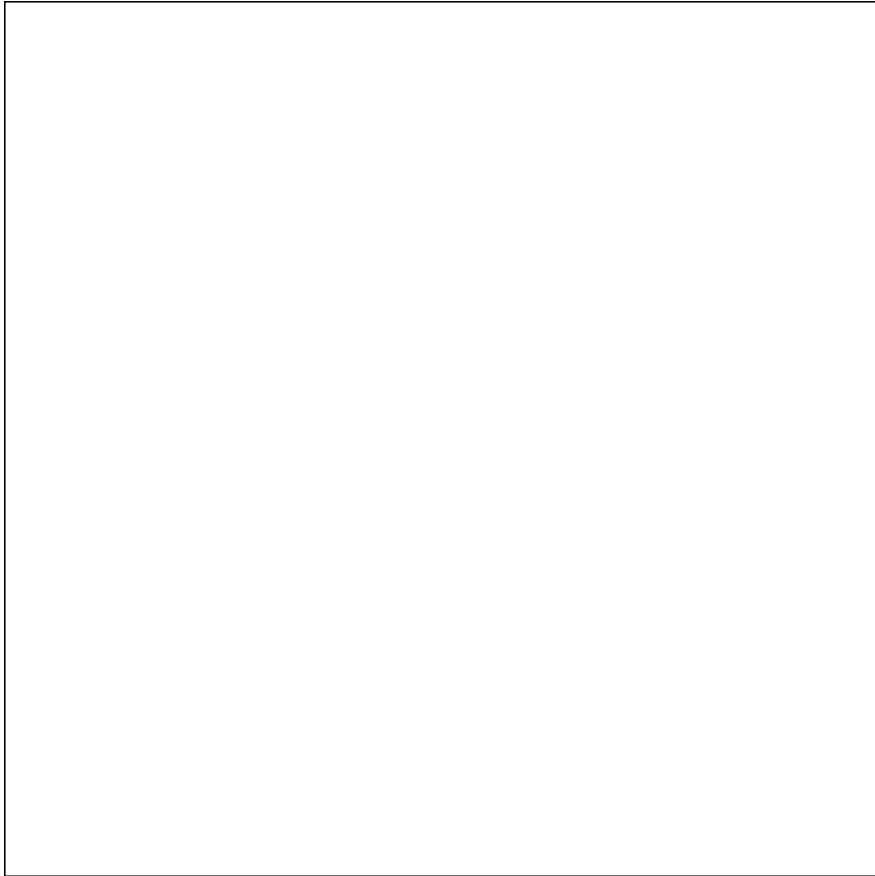
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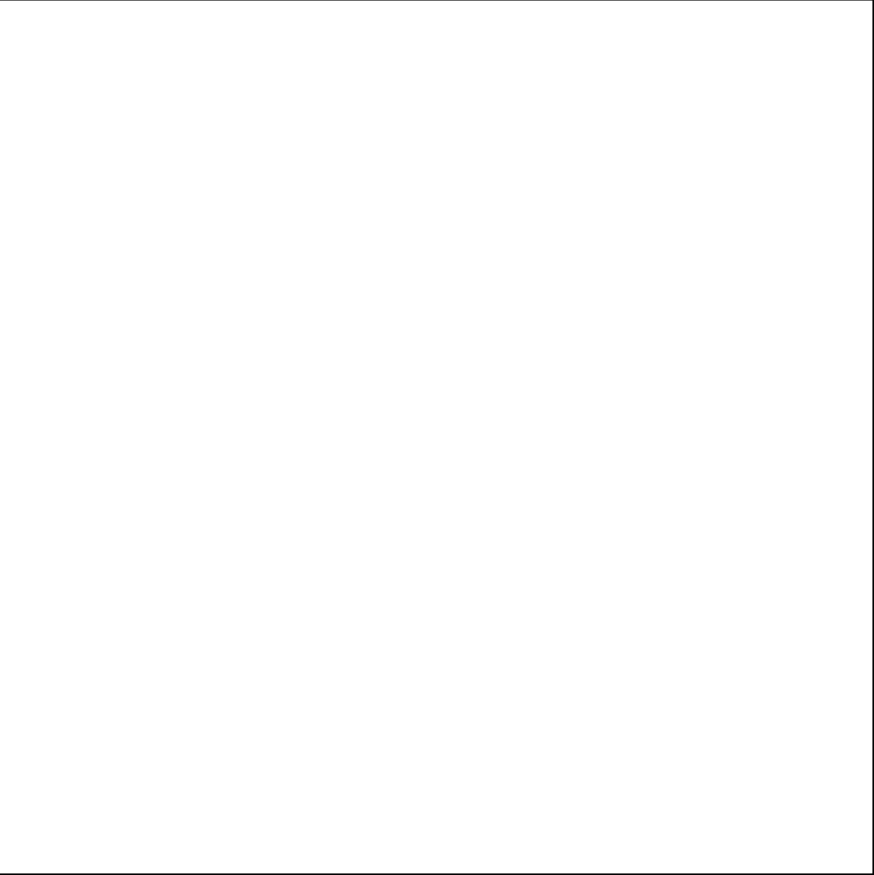




Tingi aliishi na bibi yake.

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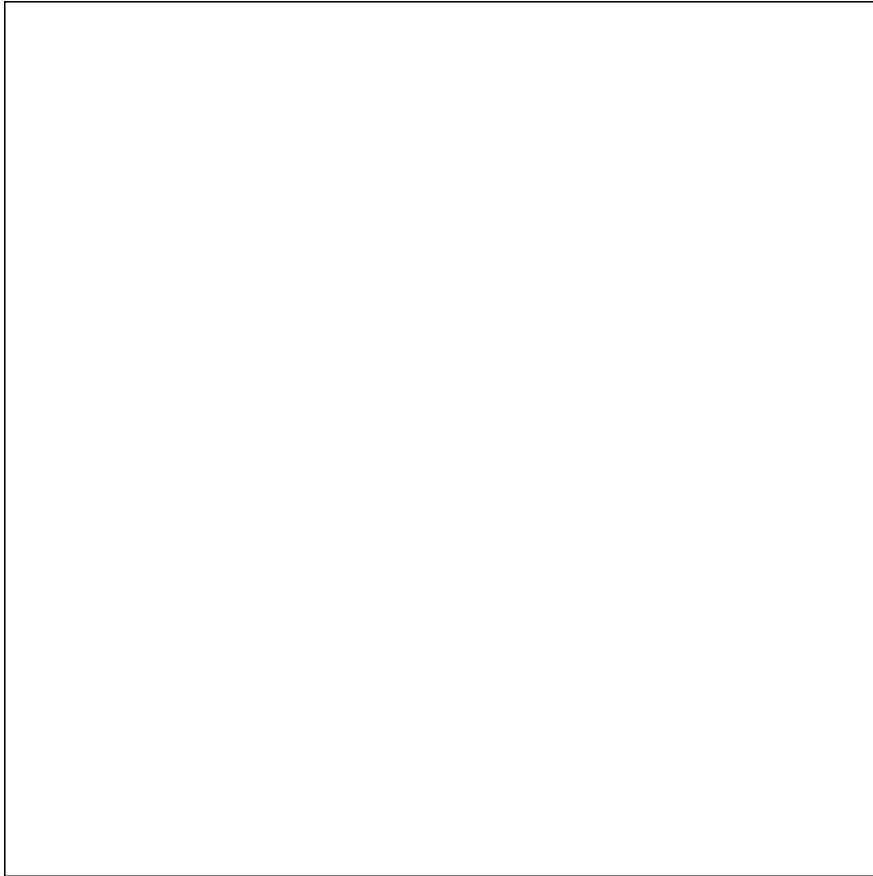
Tingi lived with his grandmother.



Alizoea kuchunga ng'ombe na bibi yake.

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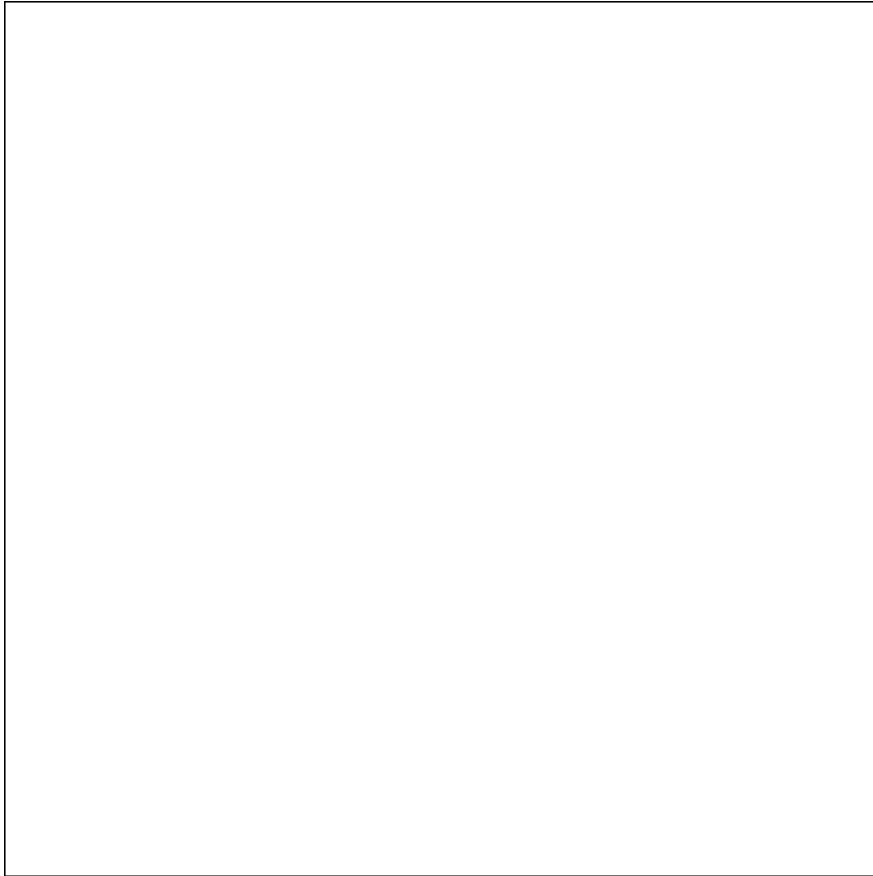
He used to look after the cows with her.



Siku moja wanajeshi walikuja.

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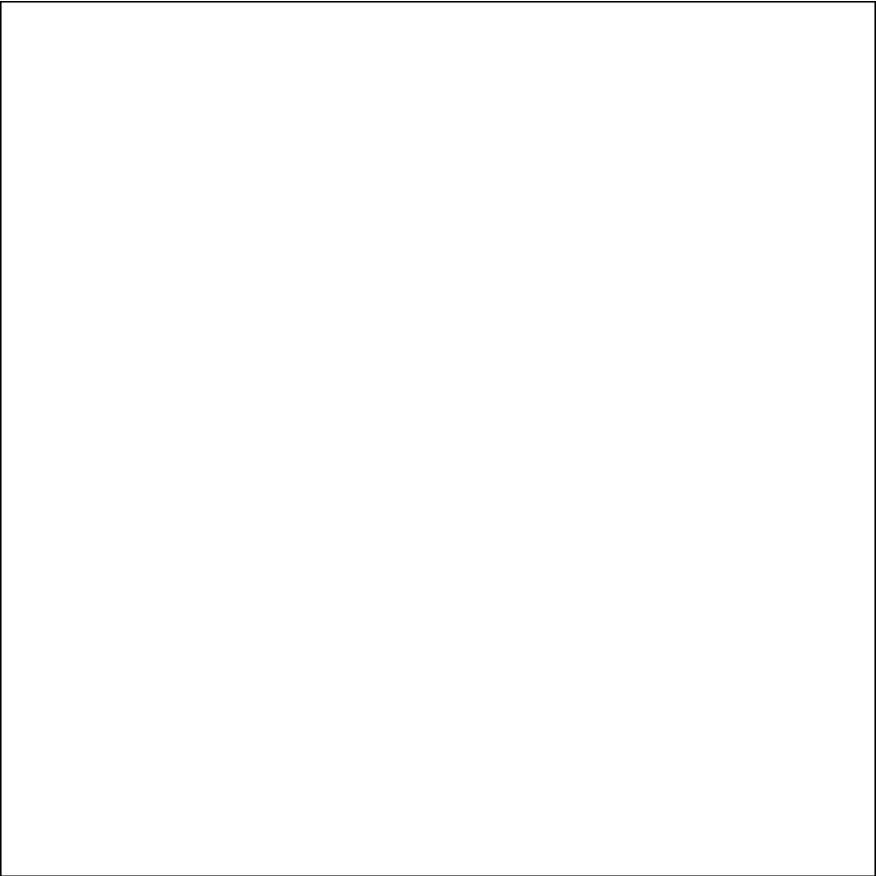
One day the soldiers came.



Wakawachukua ng'ombe.

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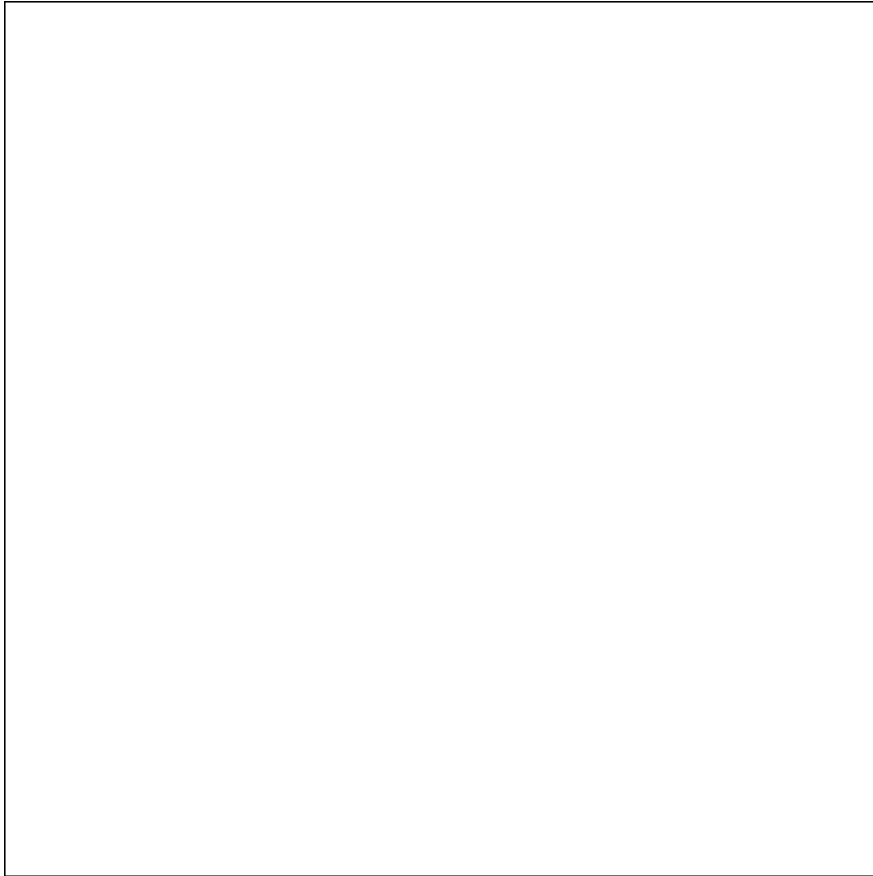
They took the cows away.



Tingi na bibi yake walikimbia na  
kujificha.

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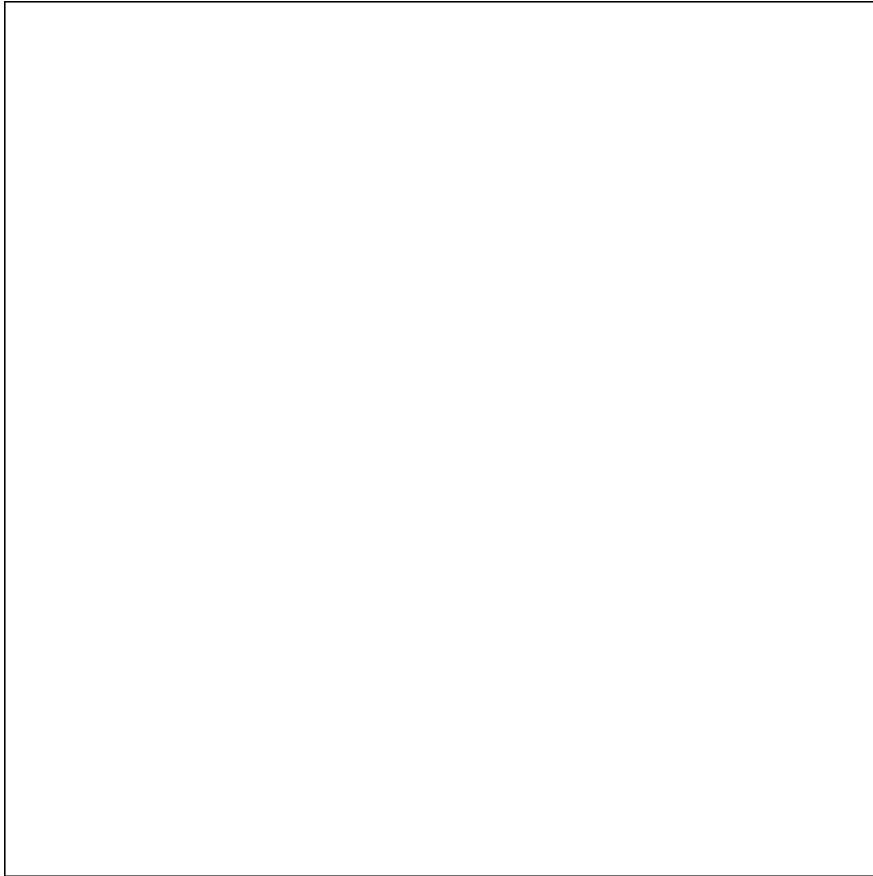
Tingi and his grandmother ran  
away and hid.



Walijificha kichakani hadi usiku.

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They hid in the bush until night.

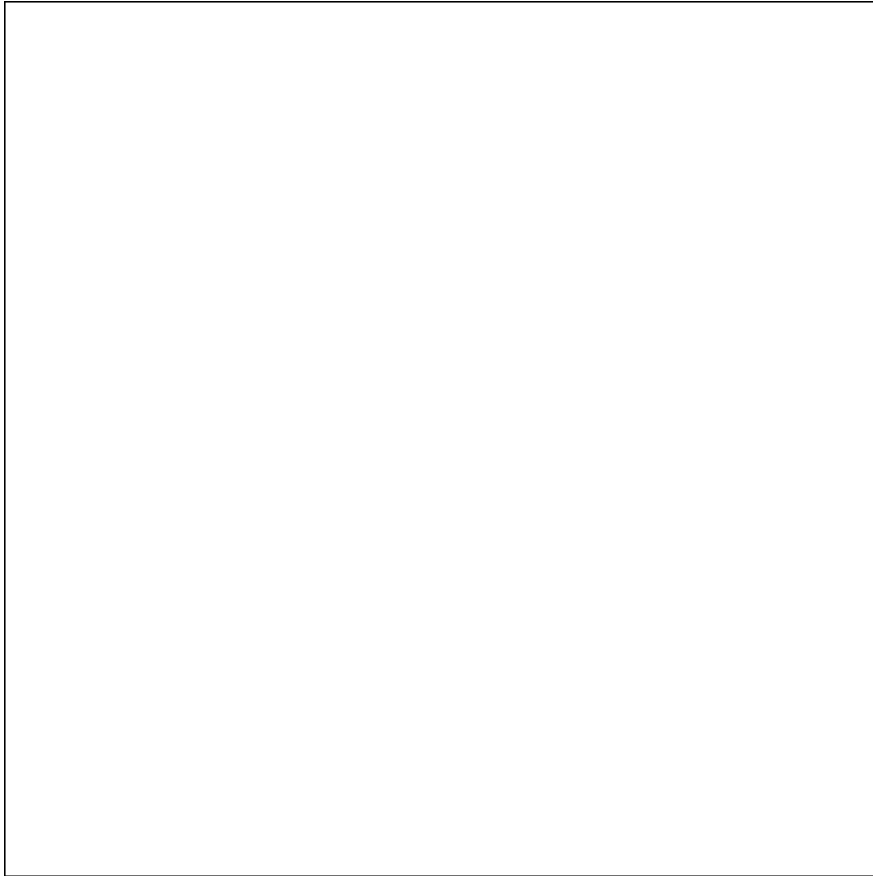


Wanajeshi walirudi tena.

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Then the soldiers came back.

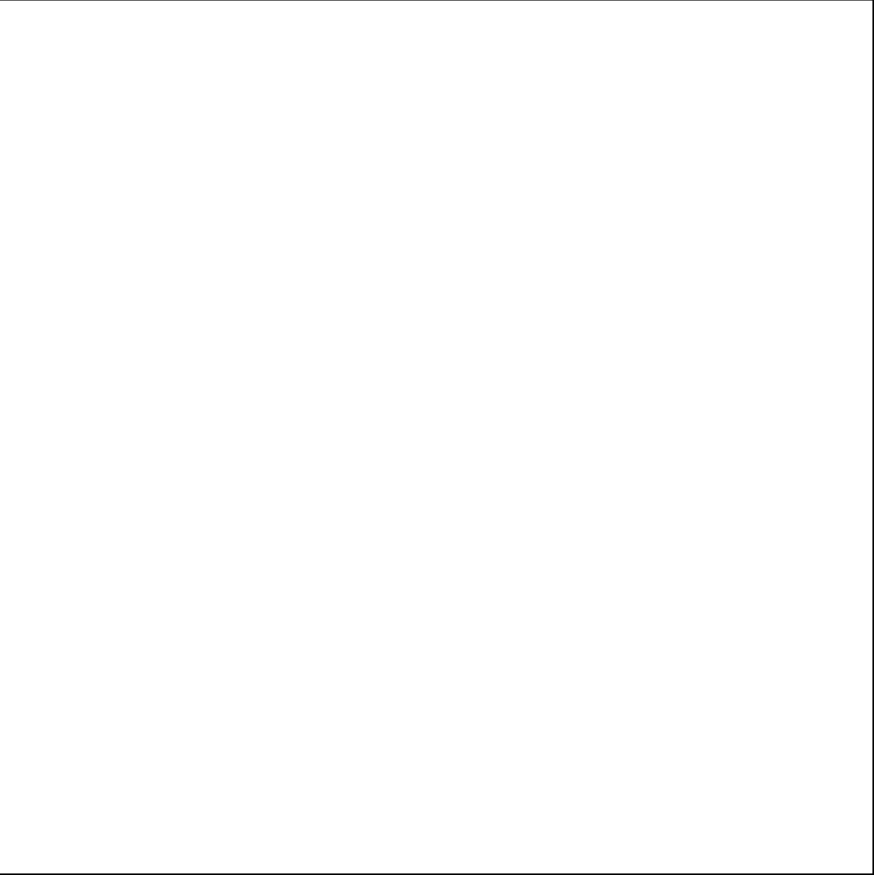




Bibi alimficha Tingi chini ya majani.

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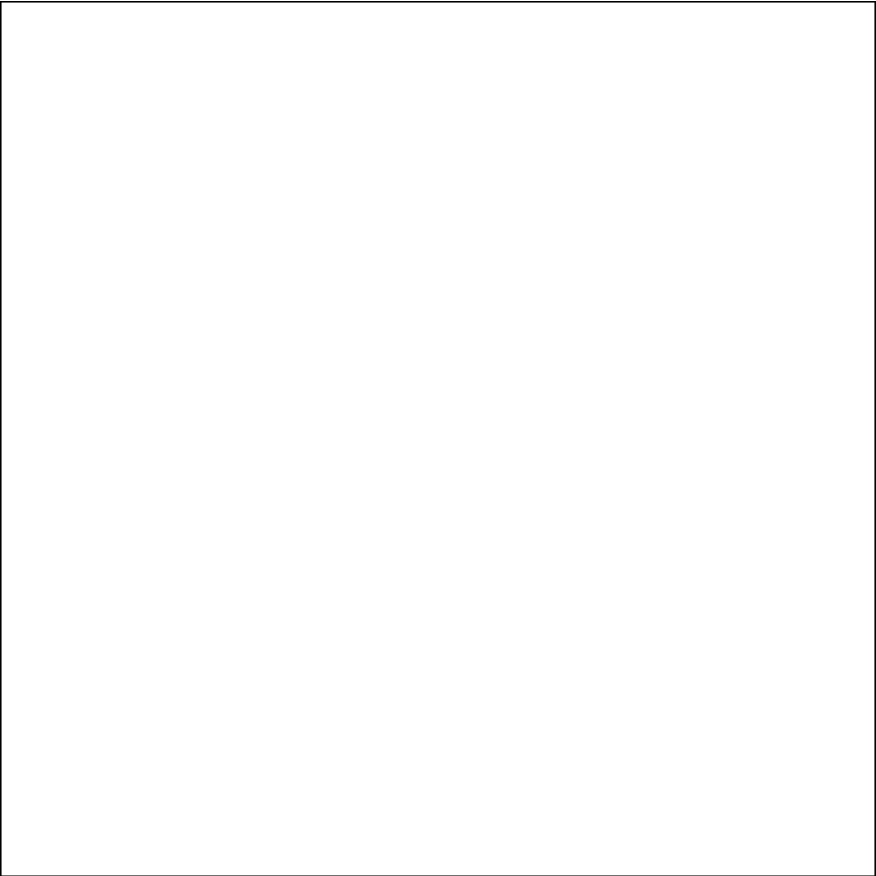
Grandmother hid Tingi under the leaves.



Mwanajeshi mmoja alimkanyaga,  
lakini akanyamaza kimya.

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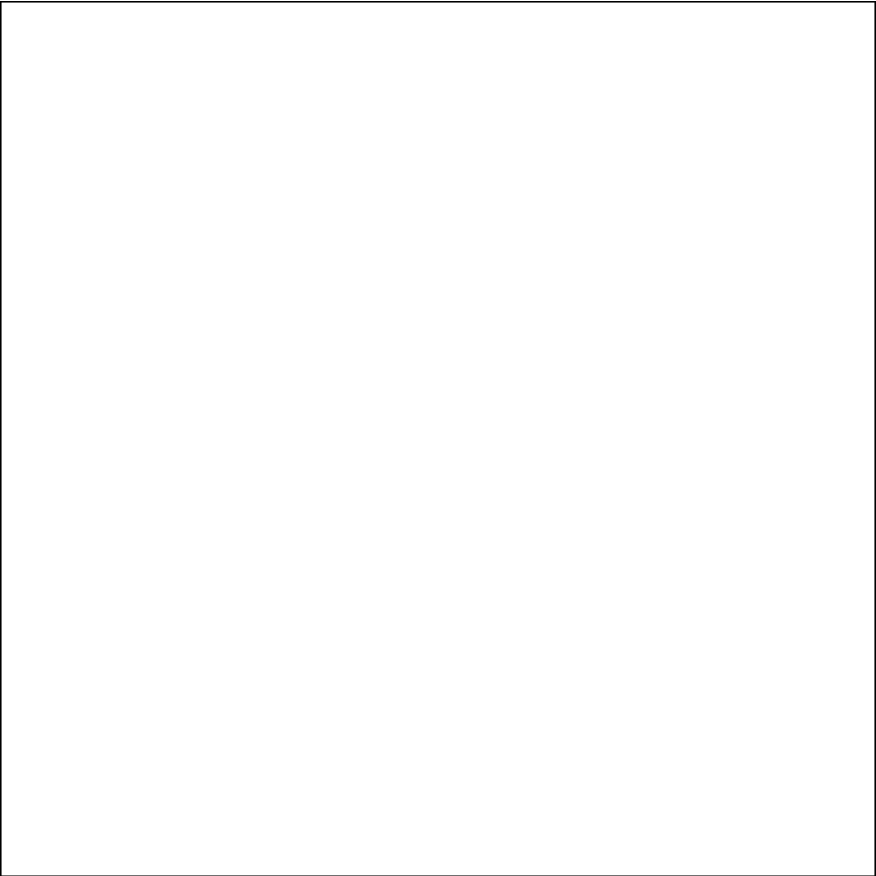
One of the soldiers put his foot  
right on him, but he kept quiet.



Wanajeshi walipoondoka Tingi na  
bibi yake wakajitokeza.

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When it was safe, Tingi and his  
grandmother came out.



Wakajikongoja kimya kimya kurudi  
nyumbani.

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They crept home very quietly.



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