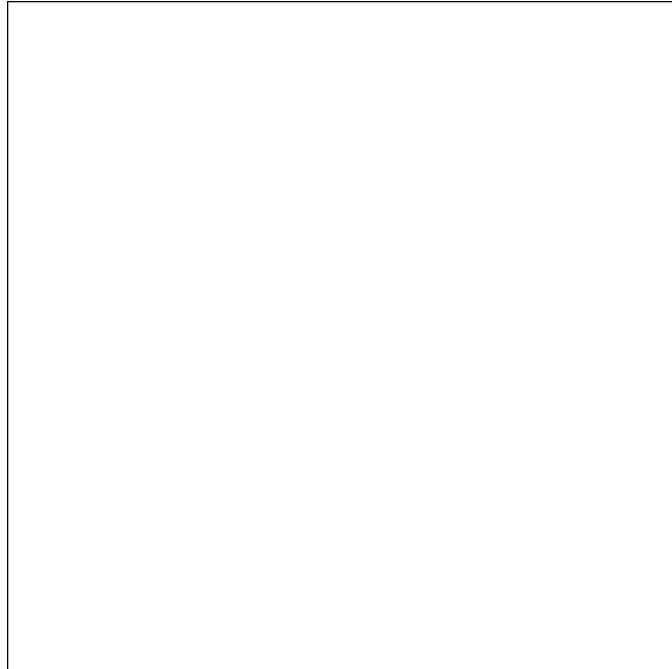




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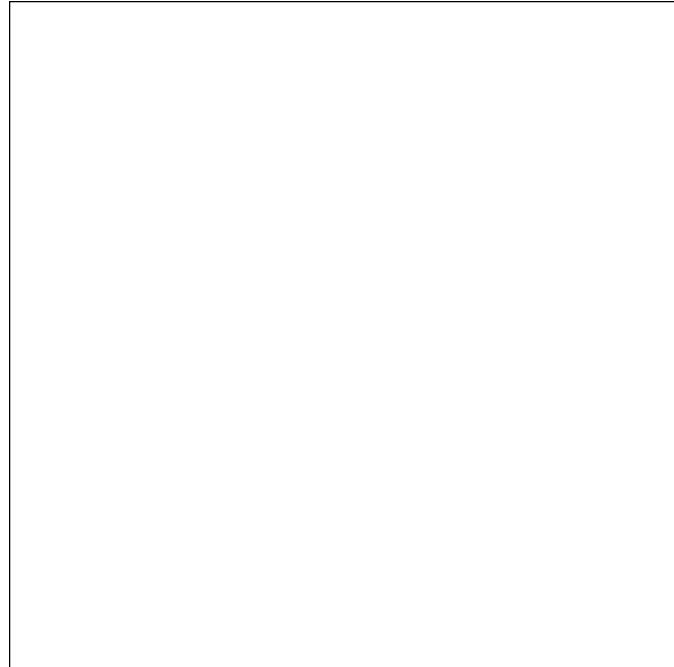
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Gaftokko, hilletin laga cinaa deemite.

mararisaa bareda nyachu dhaadee.
Roobins achuma ture, margaa



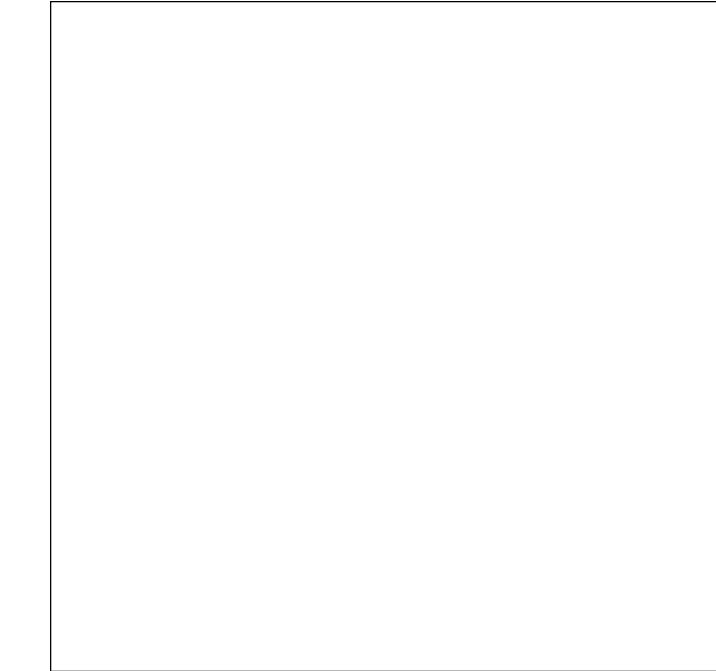


Roobiin akka heleetiin achi jirtu
hinbekinee tasa mila ishee irra
ejetee. Heleetin boyuu claqabdee,
"Ati Roobii akka miila kiyyarra
dhaabate hinagartu?"

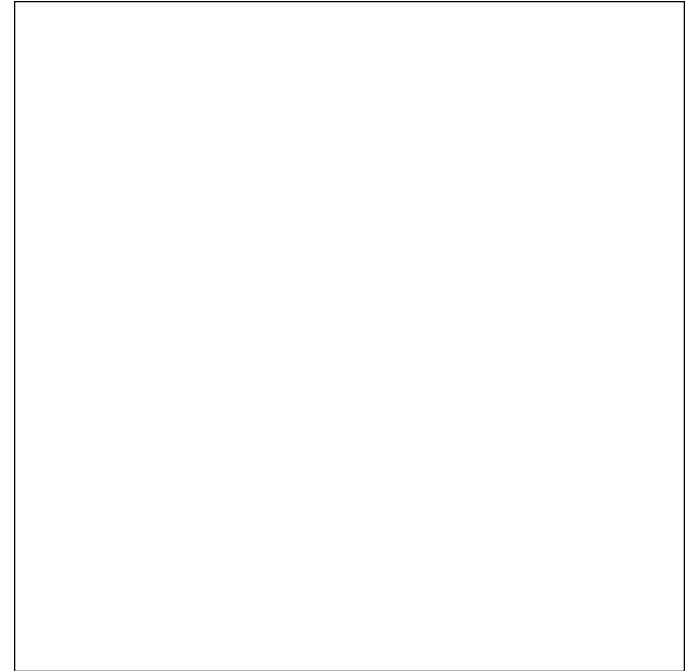
Rifeense Roobii waangubateef
hileetin bayee gammadde. Hammaa
hardhaatu Roobiin sodaa ibbiddatif
jedhe bishaan irraa hinfagaatu.

Rooabin bowuu calqabadee garaa
bishanai ffigide. Rifeense ishee
hunduu ibbidan gubbate. Rooabin
akkani jette, "Rifeensi koo ibbidaa
kanan gubbate! Rifeense koo tokko
hinhafee! Rifeense bareedan koo!"

Rooabin dhifatam hileeti gafatee,
"Ani bayeen gadde. Si'n agarre ture.
Adara nafchisi!" Hileetin kana
otto hindhagahiin Rooabit akkani jette
eyite." Beekka akkani gotee!
Gatokko gatti isaa nikafata!"



Hileetiin ibddaa barbaacha dhaqxee
akkan jette ibbidaan, "Deemi, yeroo
Roobiin bishaan kessaa baate
margaa dheedu deemitu gubbi.
Milaa koo gubba dhaabate!" Ibbdis
akkan jedhe, "Rakkoon hinjiru,
Hileeti hiriyaan koo. Akkuma ati jetteh
godha."



Boddee, Roobiin margaa laga
fagooti dheeda yeroo ibbiddi
"wuuss!" qabate. Ibbiddichis
refeensa Roobii gubuu calqabae.