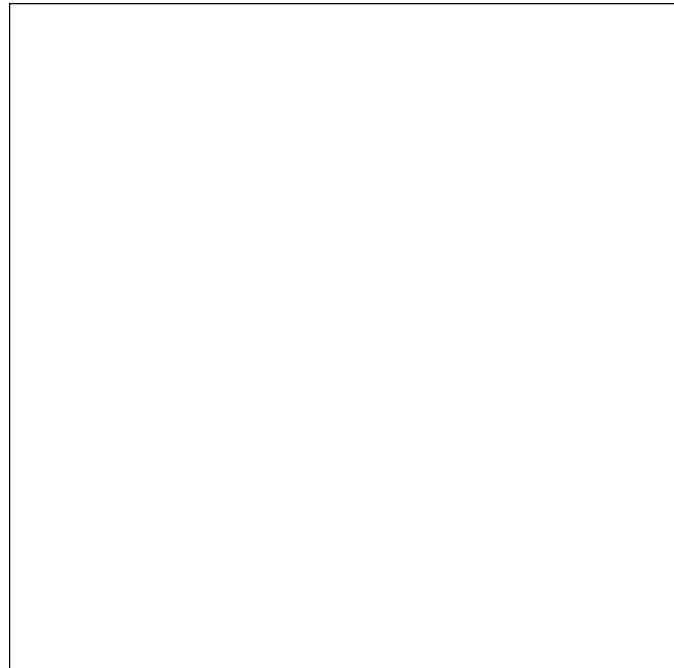




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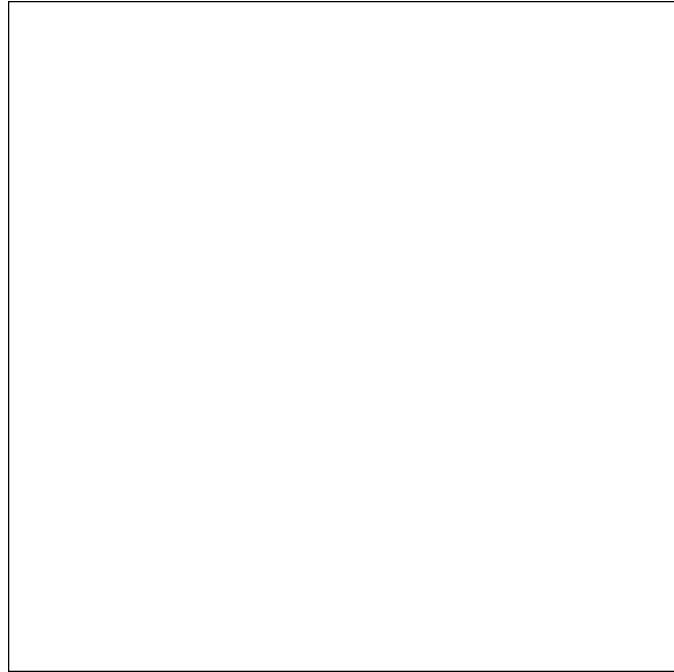
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Hapo zamani za kale, paliishi familia
yenye furaha.

Hawakugombana hata kidogo.
Watto walwasaidia wazazi
nyumbani na shambani.



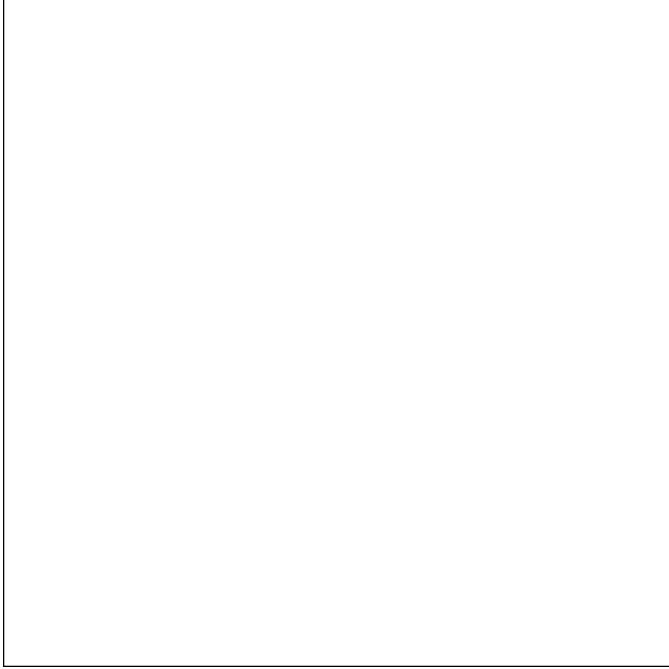
Lakini, walikatazwa kwenda karibu
na moto.

jua lilipochomaza asubuhi,
akapeperuka akiimba kwa furaha.

Walifanya kazí zaó zote usiku. Hii ni
kwa sababu walikuwa wameumbwa
kwa nta.



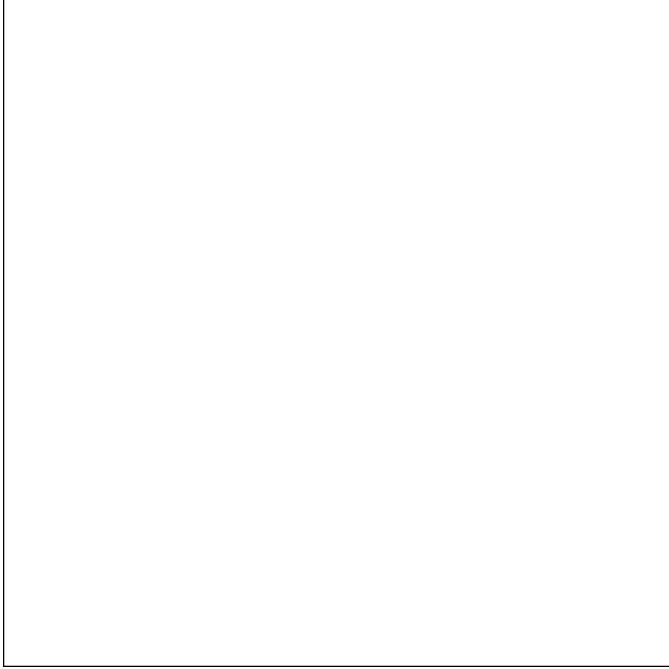
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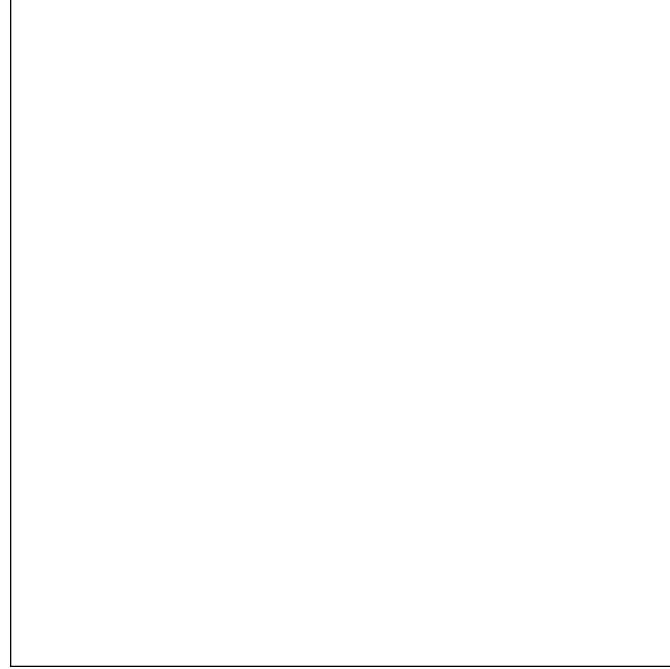
Wakamweka ndege huyo juu ya mlima mrefu.

Siku moja tamā ya kwendā njē
ikazidi. Wenza ke wakamwonya
asiede juani. Lakinī, hakusikia.

Wakapanga jambō fulani.
Walichukua nta iliyoyeyuka
wakatengēza ndegē.



Aliyeyuka kwa sababu joto lilikuwa
kali.



Watoto wa nta walihuzunika
walipoona kaka yao akiyeyuka.