

NAYA NGEPHANDLE

KUYOBONANI?

♪ Uma ngi... sesiyivalile inkonzo njengamanje, ngingatsi benginesikhatsi lesimnandzi, ngilalele letimfakazo leti. Futsi-futsi ngesikhatsi ngingena futsi ngabuka lelitabernakeli lelincane, kutsi libukeka lilihle kanjani, akukho kutilandvulela kwebantfu, lapha ngase-Utica, bangeti ebandleni. Ngabe kukhona na? Impela nente lokuhle lapha, bafo bentile, kwenta lekahle, lentofontofo, indzawo lenhle. Nendzawo lapho lengekho ezingeni lelikhulu kutsi utivele nje kwangatsi awu—a—awutivelri ungakadvudvuteki, kodvwa utivela nje ukhululekile, ukahle nje, uhlobile, uhlantekile. Ngiyakutsanda loko ebandleni.

² Ngacabanga, leyonkondlo lencane leyo uMnaketfu Graham... Totimbili lalatifundzile betivele nje—tivele tishaye khona. Niyati, kuyi... Kuyi—yintfo, kutsi labo labavamise kutama kwentela lomunye umuntfu phansi, akaze a—abambeke. Yebo-ke, ngingulomunye wabo, uMnaketfu Graham, ubanjiwe, tikhatsi letinengana, ngako ngiyati nje kutsi kuchaza kutsini.

³ Kodvwa ngatjelwa ngalesinye sikhtasi, kutsi, ngale kaBallard naBallard's, kwakunemfo lowaya ngalapho kuyomtfolela umsebenti, futsi bamcela kutsi asayine ligama lakhe ephepheni. Futsi ngesikhatsi aya kuyosayina ligama lakhe, bekete... irabha ekugcineni kwepereniseli.

Nalendvodza yamtjela, yatsi, "Awunayo irabha."

Watsi, "Yebo-ke, angiwenti emaphutsa."

⁴ NeMnumz. Ballard watsi, "Khona-ke ngingeke ngikhone kukusebentisa. Angeke mosi wente lutfo." Ngako loko kucishe nje... Ngiyacabanga loko kutsi akube liciniso. Uma singasenti emaphutsa, kushokutsi asenti lutfo. Kodvwa lengikutsandzako ngemuntfu, kutsi, uma wenta liphutsa, lisotja sibili selilungele kuvuka liphindze litame futsi. Kwakuvamise kuba neliculo lelincane lebesilihlabela.

Uma ngiwa noma uma ngehluleka, (*lokutsite noma lokunye*)
Angivuke ngitame futsi;
Ngitsetsele, Nkhosi,
Futsi ungitame kanye futsi.

⁵ Ngakhuleka kakhulu kangako, kuNkulunkulu, ngaze ngaba nemahloni ngami lucobo, cishe impela. "Angivuke ngibuye ungitame futsi." Ngihlala njalo ngiwa, futsi sikhatsi ngasinye, leni, Ubenesihawu kungisita kutsi ngibuye futsi.

⁶ Manje, uma nje sikubuka, akukho-awa lonkhe lusuku, cishe impela, kodvwa intfo letsite lesiyentako lengakalungi. Futsi manje kute labancane noma labakhulu, bonkhe bakhulu phambi kwaNkulunkulu. Ngako uma umPhostoli Pawula bekadzingeka afe nsuku tonkhe, sitodzingeka kangakanani ke tsine kutsi sife nsuku tonkhe! Niyabona na?

⁷ Bese-ke, ngiyacabanga, umuntfu lowente lokutsite lokuliphutsa futsi ulungele kulilungisa, umoya lokahle wemKhristu kutsi umcolele loyomuntfu. Futsi kulapho ke la, ngicabanga kutsi, uMnaketfu Graham, kutsi bantfu belibandla, namuhla, baphutselwa ngiko kakhulu; esikhundleni sekutama kuvusa lomuntfu abuye enyuuke futsi, kutsi nje asolo akufucela embili. Niyabona na? Njengoba, niyabona, Khristu, ngesikhatsi siphansi kunabo bonkhe, Wagobondzela wase uyasibutsa, futsi ngako loko kukwenta kube lapho sifanele sibe nalolohlobo lwemoya, natsi.

⁸ Angikhoni nje kubita ligama lakhe; mhlawumbe labanye benu bazalwane bangalibita. Bengisolo ngicabanga ngalo kusukela ngenyukela lapha. Pawula beka...Wabamba sigcila lesibalekako. Angikhoni kukhumbula kutsi ligama laso kwakungubani, njengamanje. Noko, besikweneta sikweneti. NaPawula bekatsanza Khristu kakhulu, waze watfumela kulomphatsi lobekangumnikati walesigcila. Watsi, "Manje sewube ngumnakenu lotsandzekako. Futsi konkhe loko lebekakwentile, nakokonkhe loko lakukweneta kona, uyabona, kufake ku-akhawunti yami. Futsi ngitokubhadala uma ngibuya ngalapha." Niyabona, Pawula bekakadze angumKhristu, sikhatsi lesidze kangako, waze wa-wati kutsi kwakuyini kucolela, kutsi kwakusho kutsini kucolela umuntfu lotsite. Bekakadze acolelwe, cobo lwakhe. Futsi ngicabanga kutsi wonkhe umKhristu, lotsetselelwe mbamba, uyati kubonga kwekutsetselelwa.

⁹ Ngisandza kuva lobufakazi lobumatima uMnaketfu Graham labunikete ngeMnaketfu Busty. Lowo weMnaketfu Rodger... Babe waDzadze Creech. Uhlindziwe, etinsukwini letimbalwa letendlulile, futsi batfola umdlavuza, futsi bavele bamtfunga nje. Ngako asichubeke nekumkhulekela. Kodvwa lenye yetintfo letimnandzi kutendlula tonkhe...Umnaketfu Creech bekangibitile, kutsi ngihambe ngiyombona, futsi bengingati kutsi bekasesibhedlela. Futsi ngesikhatsi ngingena ekamelweni, watsi, "Mnaketfu Bill," watsi, "Bengahlala njalo ngikuva ukhuluma ngekubeka tandla kulomunye umuntfu."

¹⁰ Ngatsi, "Yebo, Busty." Bengimbita nga "Busty." Ligama lakhe lekudlala nje. Ligama lakhe mbamba ngu-Everett. Ngatsi, "Yebo."

¹¹ Watsi, "Ngiyati nje kutsi kungani ngingena lapha." Watsi, "Bekasolo anami kusukela ngingena." Watsi,

"Futsi kukhona Intfo letsite lebeke tandla taYo etikwami, esikhshaneni lesendlulile." Futsi ngale ekoneni wabona umushi wenkosazana. Khona lapho nje uyati kutsi kukhona Intfo lehambako. Kusondzele e-aweni. Kodvwa umusa waNkulunkulu kuloko... Angikusho loku ngoba ngubabe waDzadze Creech. Kodvwa uyindvodza lekahle. Ngicabanga kutsi ngambhabhatisa, eminyakeni leyendlula, eGameni leNkhosi Jesu, kodvwa akazange abe ngulotehlukanisele sibili, Iwati lwekutalwa kabusha lesitsanza kulubona, Mnaketfu Graham. Kungalesosikhatsi lakwenteka khona, lapho esibhedlela. Uyindvodza lentjintjile. Umusa waNkulunkulu, Lowa—Lowamgcoba ngekuPhila lokuPhakadze, waniketa umushi wenkosazana. Nemushi wenkosazana sivumelwano, ugcina sivumelwano saKhe naye, futsi sewulungele kuhamba. Ngijabula kakhulu ngaloko. Ungumnkantjubovu weMphi yekuCala yeMhlaba.

¹² Futsi esikhshaneni lesendlulile, noma manje ekuseni, njalo, ngibitelwe kumngani lomdzala. Angizange...ngibe nesikhatsi lesimatima kumtfola. Labanengi benu bayamkhumbula Nkkt. Morris, entasi edolobheni. Umnaketfu Ruddell uvakashele nje lapho, esikhshaneni lesendlulile. Futsi bekakadze aculekile tinsuku letinengana. Futsi uyabita nje, sonkhe sikhatsi. Futsi ngesikhatsi ngingena lapho, bekabita ligama lami ngesikhatsi ngingena. Watsi, "Billy ungumfana lolungile." Watsi, "Bekanesikhatsi lesimatima." Watsi, "Bengi—ngifuna kumbona ngingakahambi." Khona-ke bekalindza umzuzu nje, atsi, "Senike nambona yini noko? Ngi—ngifuna kubona Billy." Emizuzwi lembalwa, wakhulumu nemyeni wakhe lobekasahamba emhlabeni, o, emashumi lamane, iminyaka lengemashumi lasihlanu leyendlula, wakhulumu naye. Futsi ucala kukhulumu nalabatsandzekako bakhe. Niyati kutsi loko kusho kutsini, kutsi kusedvute nje neliGede.

¹³ Futsi akumangalisi yini loko na? Ngisho aphumphutseke ngako konkhe...Useveni lebumnyama. Uneminyaka lengemashumi layimfica budzala, khona impela emashumini layimfica, cishe emashumi lasiphohlongo nemfica, intfo letsite. Futsi manje, noko, emehlo akhe asondzele kakhulu ngakulololunye luhlangotsi, aze akhone kubona ti-tintfo ngakulololunye luhlangotsi, futsi angakhoni kutibona kuloluhlangotsi. Nike nacabanga ngaloko na? Bukisisani lotsandzekako, ngesikhatsi behlela ekupheleni kwemgwaco? Babukisiseni.

¹⁴ Lomdzala uMnaketfu Bosworth, lobambisene nami lomdzala, ngaphutfumela entasi eFlorida, kuyombona, Meda nami, cishe eminyakeni lemibili leyendlula, ngesikhatsi afa, cishe ni...emashumi lasiphohlongo nentfo letsite, emashumi lasiphohlongo nakune, ngiyakholwa. Bekasandza kubuya e-Africa nami, emhlanganweni. Nako kulele lemesabako

nkulunkulu, indvodza lendzala ekoneni lelincane. Ngangena, ngi... Leyo lemincane, imikhono lemidzala yelulekela kimi, mnkantjubovu lomdzala cishe loneminyaka lengemashumi lasikhombisa yekushumayela. Futsi ngambamba ngetandla tami kanjalo. Ngamemeta kakhulu, “Babe wami, babe wami, tincola ta-Israyeli, nebagibeli bemahhashi lapho.”

¹⁵ Futsi ngahlala phansi eceleni kwembhedze naye, ngabeka inhloko yakhe etikweli hlocombe lami. Ngi... Bekatsi kungibhambadza. Watsi, “Ndvodzana,” watsi, “ungehluleki. Shaya lawomasimu, masinyane, ngoba asinaso sikhatsi lesinengi.”

Ngatsi, “Uyacondza kutsi uyahamba na?”

¹⁶ Watsi, “Yebo. Ngiyahamba, masinyane nje.” Watsi, “Ngifuna kukutjela lokutsite, Mnaketfu Branham, lesi sikhatsi lesijabulisa kunato tonkhe semphilo yami.”

¹⁷ Ngase ngitsi, “Ungakusholani loko, Mnaketfu Bosworth, kepha ube—ube ufa?”

¹⁸ “Ngani,” watsi, “noma ngumuphi umzuzu, ngibuke Yena kutsi ete emnyango, atongilandza, loWo lengimtsandze yonkhe leminyaka lena.” Ngi... Simshiyile, umkami nami, kwase kutsi-ke ngesikhatsi sesibuyela emuva... .

¹⁹ Cishe li-awa noma lamabili ngaphambi kwe kutsi afe... . Bekalele, futsi wavuka, wabuka ekamelweni. Watsi, “Babe!” Waphakama emandleni akhe futsi wachawula uyise, nenina. Watsi, “Nangu uMnaketfu John. Waphendvuka enkonzweni yami, eminyakeni lengemashumi lasihlanu leyendlula. Nangu s’bani-bani.” Wachawula tandla nalabaphendvuka kuye lebese bahambe iminyaka neminyaka.

²⁰ Kwentekani-ke, mngani? Ngicabanga kutsi asicondzi nje kutsi konkhe loku kumayelana nani. Ngalesinye sikhatsi ngiyatibuta, ngisho uma sita enkonzweni, kutokhonta, uma sita i, luhlobo nje lwemcondvo longasiwo, kucabanga kutsi sita nje kuphela kutohlangana ndzawonye. Loko kuhle. Kunenhoso yako. Noma, kutotfokota futsi sibenesikhatsi lesihle, loko kunenhoso yako. Kodvwa sisekulungiseleleni. Silungiselela lokutsite.

²¹ Futsi ngikushito loku tikhatsi letinengana. Kungahle kube kuhle kukwenta futsi. Lapho ngicala kuba mdzala, futsi ngicala kubona kutsi tinsuku tami tiba timfishane, Ngicala kucabanga ngalemphilo lena ngalenye indlela, Mnaketfu Graham, kungatsi beku—bekuliphupho lelibi nje lebenginalo. Labanengi betfu lapha uphuphile, futsi wangena ephusheni lelimatima. Utama kulwa nawe lucobo. Labanengi benu ukwentile loko. Ngikwentile, sikhatsi lesinengi. Utama kutivusa wena lucobo, ngandlelatsite uyati kutsi ulele.

²² Futsi ngitivela kwangatsi kutsi akufane nje naloko lemphilo lengiko. Sekusikhatsi nje sekutsi sicondziswe, futsi yonkhe intfo itawuba kahle, bese-ke yonkhe intfo ita kahle iphindze ikushaye kuphume futsi. Manje, nonkhe nine bantfu, labo ikakhulu lababontsanga yami, niyakwati loko. Tivivinyo netimphi tekuphila! Ngako ngaletinye tikhatsi ngitama kutivusa mine lucobo, “O Nkhosi!” Ngalokunye kwalokusa loku, noma ngalenye yaletintsambama, noma lesinye sikhatsi, ngitawuvuka. NgitobaseBukhoneni baKhe. Khona-ke tonkhe tivivinyo netinsizi kuyobe sekuphelile. Ngiyetsema kutsi loko kuliciniso. Ngiyetsema kutsi ngalelinye lilanga ngiyovuka ngibe njengaYe. Leso sifiso senhliyiyo yami, kukuvuka ekufaneni naYe, kutsi ngiMbome.

²³ Futsi, njengoba Pawula ashо, manje kunentfo yinye lengifuna kucinisekisa ngayo, lapho ngisengakhona, emcondywensi wami lophilile. Ngifuna kuciniseka, kutsi, “NgiMati eMandleni ekuvuka kwaKhe kulabafile,” akunandzaba kutsi yini lenye leyentekako. Uma ngifa ngisindzindzi, futsi bangingcwaba ensimini yembumbi, noma lithuna lami liyoba ngaphansi kwemfula noma lwandle, noma kungaba kuphi, ngifuna kwati intfo yinye. Ngifuna kumati Yena. Nguloko kuphela lokubalulekile manje, kunjalo, kwati Yena eMandleni ekuvuka kwaKhe.

²⁴ Ngoba ngati loku, kunemnyango lomkhulu kakhulu lobekwe embikwami, futsi ubitwa ngekufa, futsi usembikwamunye nangamunye wetfu. Futsi njalo uma inhlitiyo yetfu ishaya, sisondzele ngekushaya kunye kwenhlitiyo kulowomnyango. Ingeke isaphindze ikushaye lokokushaya futsi. Sisondzele ngekushaya kunye nje, futsi ngalelinye lalamalanga sikhuphukela kuloyomnyango. Ubitwa ngekutsi kufa, futsi ngamunye wetfu utohlangana nawo. Futsi uma ngifika lapho, impela angifuni kungena lapho njengeligwala. Ngifuna kungena lapho netingubo taKhe tingigocile, nemusa waKhe. Ngati lentfo yinye, kutsi, uma Abita, niyophuma lapho, ngalelinye lilanga. Nguloko lengikuphilelako, namuhla, kwenta loko, kwati Yena nekumkhonta Yena.

²⁵ Nalabafundisi laba labasebancane lapha, uMnaketfu Graham, futsi njengeMnaketfu Ruddell nabo, Impela ngibakhutsata kutsi bachubeke, chubekani nekuphikelela. Ngesikhatsi ngingena kusihlwa futsi ngahlala emuva lapho futsi ngeva lawomaculo, bahlabela i...uma bashaya sandla, njengekutsi *Wota Futsi Udle*. Ngani, besengimbona Dzadze Snelling, kahle nje, eme lapho, ashaya tandla takhe, kanjalo, ahlabela, “Wota futsi udle. INkhosi iyabita, ‘Wota futsi udle.’” Kahle nje, futsi ngibona bonkhe labo labangcwele labahambile. Yebo-ke, balindze nje ngesheya ngale kwemncele. Futsi ngi—ngi—ngi—ngifuna kubabona, ngalolunye lwaletinsuku leti, make lomdzala, Pugh. Sengiyambona Anti Noan eme ngephandle

lapho emnyango, ngalesosikhatsi ngesikhatsi amubi kamatima. Ngeta ngihamba, uMnaketfu George nami, watsi, “Yebo-ke, kunakunye kuvuka kulabafile,” watsi, “Ngingulowomuntfu.” Sengiyambona nje ngalokucace kangaka, Dzadze Weber nabo bonkhe labo labanye.

²⁶ Awusho, empeleni, ngicabanga kutsi Frankie wenta kahle manje. Ngamshayela, libanga lelidze, ngalolobunye busuku, ngakhuleka naye futsi. Watsi—watsi, “Lesi sikhatsi sekucala ngiva kutsinta kwaNkulunkulu eminyakeni.” Watsi, “Ngitokwenta kuvakasha kwami latabernakeli, lenye yetintfo tekucala, masinyane nje uma sengibuya e-Indiana, ngabuya entasi lapha.” Ngako, ayibongwe iNkhosi. Frankie ungumfana lokahle, umfana lolungile. Unato nje tinkinga takhe naye. Don akekho lapha, ngabe ukhona? Ya. Angikacabangi, lapha. Kodvwa ube—ubenato tinkinga takhe naye, kodvwa Nkulunkulu utomsusa enkhundleni, ngalolunye lwaletinsuku leti, uma angabuyi achubeke. Ngako, asimkhulekele.

Ngaphambi kwekutsi sivule Livi, asikhotsamise tinhloko tefu kumBhali.

²⁷ O lomkhulu, Moya loyiNgewe waNkulunkulu, njengoba kuphila kucala, lokuphila lokusatokufa kucala kwenta tinwele tibemphunga, nekushwaphana kwelibunti, singakuva loko kuzizitela kwekuPhila lokuPhakadze ngekhatsi kwetidalwa tetfu letifako, futsi kuvuvuka kungena emiphinjeni yetfu. Uma sati kutsi kube bekungesiko ngenga yaKho, kutsi, masinyane nje lokuphila loku kungaphela, konkhe kuyobe sekuphelile. Kodvwa, njengoba Pawula wasendvulo watsi, “Akabongwe Nkulunkulu Losinika kuncoba ngeNkhosi yetfu Jesu Khristu.” Kufa kwakungeke kumntinyele, noma kanjalo nelithuna belingeke likhone kumbamba. Nelutfuli lwalowomtimba longcwele lulindza kuvuka, kusihlw, kodvwa umphefumulo wakhe useBukhoneni baKhristu, lowatsi, “Bekuncono, kunekaza nako.”

²⁸ Futsi leliVangeli lelikhulu lalimemetela ngesibindzi ngetinsuku takhe, ngisho nasemvakwetinsimbi telijele, wabhalo ngesikhatsi emehlo akhe bekamhlupha kakhulu waze wabhalo ngetinhlavu letinkhulu temagama. Futsi bekalwe netilwane, futsi bekanemivimba leminengi etikwemtimba wakhe. LeliVangeli lelifanako lelikhatimulako, silwela ngako konkhe lokukitsi, kuLigcina lichubekela embili kute kube ngululosuku.

²⁹ Siyabonga kakhulu ngalelitabernakeli lelincane, ngemelusi walo, emalunga alo, lonkhe libhodi, nalelidolobha lelincane lelime kulo; ngoba ngekwelisiniso, Nkhosi, ngulapho la ngashumayela khona inshumayelo yami yekucala. Futsi ngyiakhuleka, O Nkhosi, kutsi lelibandla lelincane nemoya wekwakha liyohlala kuze kube kuBuya kweNkhosi Jesu,

futsi kutsi bonkhe labangemalunga lapha, futsi bete lapha, akunawubakhona ngisho namunye wabo lolahlekako. Ngikhulekela kuperphama lokukhulu kwakamoya lapha e-Utica. Kwangatsi eMandla aJesu Khristu angatsanyela kulelidolobha lelincane futsi abite labanengi kuKhristu. Busisa wonkhe lokhatsalele letintfo leti, Nkosi.

³⁰ Sitocela kutsi uMoya loyiNgewe ukhulume natsi, kusihlwa. Baphe lowomhlangano lomkhulu, ngeliSontfo, lebawulangatelele. Kwangatsi kungaba yinkhatimulo ngeBukhona baKho.

³¹ Sitseselele tono tetfu. Futsi uma ngengoti bekungabakhona emkhatsini wetfu, longakwati Wena kusihlwa, lelitsempa lelinemusa alishayi ngaphansi kwesifuba sabo, khona-ke kwangatsi bangakutfola kusihlwa, Nkosi, lowomtfombo lomkhulu wekujabula ucubuka ungene ekuPhilemi lokuPhakadze. Vani umkhuleko wetfu lotfobekile.

³² Busisa kufundvwa kweLivi. Futsi kwangatsi uMoya ungatsatsa lamaVi futsi uwahlanyele lapho bebangenta khona lokuhle kakhulu. Ngoba sikucela eGameni leNkosi Jesu. Amen.

³³ Niyati, uma ngifika e-Utica, akubonakali kukuta lapha kutoshumayela. Kubonakala nje kwangatsi kuta lapha kutohulumu nebantfu kwesikhashana, ngoba ngiyanati nonkhe, nekuba nje nenhlanganyelo lencane.

³⁴ Manje asifundze, kusihlwa, kusukela kuMatewu sahluko se 11, emavesi lambalwa, kwehle cishe kuye kule 15.

³⁵ Ngiyatsanza kufundza Livi laKhe, ngoba Livi laKhe licinisile futsi LiPhakadze. Manje, sizatfu ngitsanza kufundza Livi laKhe, kungoba emavi ami ayohluleka, ngingumuntfu, kodvwa emaVi aKhe angeke ehluleke. Nakini nine bantfu labaligugu lolapha, kusihlwa, ngiyati uma kungesiko kufundza leLivi leli, nitotfola lokutsite, nitokuya ekhaya, ngoba loku Kudla uMnaketfu Graham lebekakhulumu ngako. Futsi kwangatsi AngaLiphilisa kitsi, lapho sisafundza.

Futsi kwenteka, ngesikhatsi Jesu sekacedzile kuyala bafundzi bakhe labalishumi nakubili, wesuka wahamba lapho futsi wayofundzisa nekushumayela emadolobheni abo.

Manje ngesikhatsi Johane sekevile ejele imisebenti yaKhristu, watfumela lababili bebafundzi bakhe,

Futsi watsi kuye, Ngabe wena unguye lolofanele kuta, noma sibuke lomunye na?

Jesu waphendvula watsi kubo, Hambani futsi nikombise Johane letintfo leti nine lenitivako nalenitibonako:

Timphumphutse temukela kubona kwato, . . . tishosha tiyahamba, labanebulephelo bayahlantwa,

netihhulu tiyeva, nalabafile bayavuswa, nalabaphuyile unelivangeli lishunyayelwa kubo.

Futsi ubusisiwe loyo, longeke akhubike ngami.

Futsi lapho basahamba, Jesu wacala kutsi atsi eticukwini mayelana naJohane, Naphuma naya ehlane kuyobonani na? Umhlanga unyakatiswa nge...umoya na?

Kodvwa naphuma kuyobonani nine? Umuntfu lowembetse ingubo lentofontofo na? bukani, labo labagcoka tingubo letintofontofo basetindlini temakhosi.

Kodvwa naphuma kuyobonani nine? Umprofethi? ya, Ngitsi kini, futsi lowendlula umprofethi.

Ngoba nguye lona,...loyo lekubhalwe ngaye kutsi, Bukani, Ngiyatfuma sitfunywa sami embikwebuso benu, loyolungisa indlela yakho embikwakho.

Ngicinisile ngitsi kini, Emkhatsini walabo labatelwe nguwesifazane akukaze kubekhona lovukile lomkhulu kunaJohane umBhabhatisi: kungesiko kuphikisa kutsi loyo lomncane embusweni wasezulwini mkhulu kunaye.

Futsi kusukela ngalosuku, tinsuku taJohane umBhabhatisi kute kube ngumanje umbuso welizulu utsatfwa ngendluzula, futsi indluzula iwutsatsa ngenkhani.

Ngoba bonkhe baprofethi ne...umtsetfo waprofetha kwate kwaba nguJohane.

Futsi uma nitokwemukela, lona ngu-Eliyase, lobekatokuta.

Loyo lonendlebe yekuva, akeve.

³⁶ Uma ngingatama kutsatsa sihloko lesincane, kwentela kukhulumha, kwengcikitsi yalesifundvo lesi, Bengingatsatsa loku: *Naya Ngephandle KuyoBonani?*

³⁷ Johane, ngelusuku lwakhe, kulelive, bekatsatfwa njengendvodza yasendle. Bekangcunu hhafu, sicephu sesikhumba semvu atigocote ngaso, futsi anesilevu umkhikhi ebusweni bakhe, netinwele takhe mhlawumbe tatiphumela emaceleni. Futsi kule...live nje, bantfu ngephandle eveni, bekayindvodza yasendle. Besingambita nge “luhlanya,” lomdzala nje lobekahlala ngephandle ehlane.

³⁸ Ebandleni, njengoba ashunyayelwa, bekaluhlanya. Libandla lacabanga, “Leyandvodza empeleni i, kahle kahle nje, ngumuntfu wenkholo longakabhadli.” Kube bekakadze a, namuhla, bekangaba ngulocatjangwa angasimcoka namuhla njengoba bebamcabanga ngalesosikhatsi, ngoba live aligucuki. Bantfu bayafika, netitukulwane letinsha tivuke, kodvwa umoya

lobusa live, ufana nje njengoba wawunjalo ngalesosikhatsi. Futsi utoba njalo, kuphela nje uma kukhona live.

³⁹ Kodvwa labo lebebamat Johane, labo labamkholwa, baphuma kuyobona intfo leyayiphatseka.

⁴⁰ Lapho liyahlukanisa, namuhla, njengoba kwakunjalo ngalesosikhatsi, emaklasi lamatsatfu lehlukene: live, libandla, nalo sibili, likholwa leliciniso. Nguleyondlela live lelime ngayo namuhla: live, longakholwa; libandla, lilunga lelisivuvu; beseke kuba ngilo sibili, likholwa leliciniso. Labanye bantfu baphumela emabandleni kuyotfola liphutsa kulelobandla. Futsi labanye bantfu bayaphuma kutoba nesigaba lesitsite, noma batocabanga lizinga lelikhulu, noma kuhlanganelia kutijabulisa. Labanye baphumela kutfola kuthula, baya kuyotfola Nkulunkulu entfweni lephatsekako. Leyo nguleyontfoltfola inzuso emhlanganweni. Bengihlala njalo ngisho kutsi liVangeli liveta tinhlobo letintsatfu tebantfu: longakholwa, umzenzisi, nelikholwa. Futsi bekuhlala njalo kungaleyondlela. Kuya nekutsi uyela ini, simo lobanaso.

⁴¹ UMLayeto lawushumayela, ngani, live angeke liphumele kuyova uMLayeto lonjalo. BayoLilahla, namuhla, njengoba nje benta ngalesosikhatsi. Intfo lefanako, uma lowoMLayeto lofanako bewutoshunayelwa.

⁴² Kufanele kutsi Kwakungesiwo uMLayeto lomubi kangako. Jesu watsi, “Kute umuntfu lowake watalwa, kwaze kwabanguleso sikhatsi, lobekamkhulu njengaJohane umBhabhatisi.” Jesu wawuvuma uMLayeto wakhe. Watsi, “Ngabe niye kuyokuva umoya lonyakatisa imihlanga, igobele nomayini? Hhayi Johane.” Watsi, “Khona-ke ngabe naya kuyobona umuntfu logcoke tingubo letinhle na?” Watsi, “Ngiyasho kini, kutsi labo labagcoka tingubo letinhle basetigodlwani temakhosi. Kodvwa,” Watsi, “naphuma kuyobonani pho, umprofethi? Ngitsi kini, lowendlula umprofethi kwakunguJohane. Ngoba nguye lona lowaprofethwa, noma washiwo ngaphambili, kutsi, ‘Uyolungisa indlela embikwebuso baKho.’”

Indvodza lenkhulu, Johane, kodvwa umhlaba wawungeke ukubone ngaleyondlela.

⁴³ Kwakuyini ngaJohane lokwakudvonsa emehlo? Kulabanye babo bahamba kuyobona indvodza yasendle, ijikitisa tandla tayo, ingcunu hhafu, tinwele tigcweli umtimba wayo. Bekangumuntfu nje lobukeka aluhlata, mhlawumbe imikhono yakhe, tandla, ngoba bekangumfanekiso lophelele wa-Eliya, na-Eliya bekayindvodza lephuphuma boyaa.

⁴⁴ Futsi bahamba kuyombona. Labanye babo bahamba bayombona, kubona nje kutsi bekabukeka kanjani. Labanye bahamba kuyobona, kutsi baphikisane naye. Labanye bahamba bayobona, kutfola lokuhle labangakutfola kuko. Nguleyondlela

lobekutoba ngayo namuhla uma efika. Kube bekalapha namuhla noma uMlayeto wakhe bewutochutjwa njengoba wawunjalo nje ngalesosikhatsi, bewuyoba yintfo lefanako. Manje asi . . .

⁴⁵ Uma uMlayeto wakhe wawumangalisa kakhulu, ngalesosikhatsi, kutsi Watamatamisa tindzawo, ake sibone kutsi washumayela ini. Intfo yekucala layishumayela kwakukuphendvuka kubo bonkhe.

⁴⁶ Nekuphendvuka njalo kumphumphutsekisa emehlo alongakholwa, noma lilunga lelibandla. Lilunga lelibandla litivela kutsi alinalutfo lelingaphendvuka ngako. Futsi uma lowomuntfu, noma bantfu, bafike kuleyondzawo lapho ucabanga kutsi awunalutfo longaphendvuka ngalo, usesimeni lesibucayi kakhulu, naloku nje uli—li—lilunga lelibandla, usesimeni lesimatima kakhulu kunesoni esitaladini.

⁴⁷ Ngoba, umBhalo washo, ngale eNcwadzini yeTambulo, tikhuluma ngelibandla, tatsi, “Bekangcunu, alusizi, awekuhawukelwa, futsi aphumphutsekile, kepha bekangakwati.”

⁴⁸ Manje uma umuntfu bekasesitaladini, futsi ayimphumphutse, loko bekungaba kubi kakhulu. Kube bekaphuyle, bekungaba kubi kakhulu. Angcunu; kubi kakhulu. Kodvwa, angakwati, leyo ngulencenye lelusizi. Futsi kunebantfu, namuhla, labatisho kutsi bangemaKhristu, futsi bangemalunga elibandla, labangati kutsi badzinga kuphendvuka. Futsi kutjela umuntfu lotsite loko, kuyabanyakatisa.

⁴⁹ Manje, ngesikhatsi Johane acala kushumayela kuphendvuka kulabobantfu belibandla, batsi, “Buka lapha. Sina-Abrahama longubabe wetfu. Asidzingi lutfo Iwalabashumayeli basendle labaphuma ehlane. Lamacembu langakafundzi, labangasibo bantfu belihlelo. Asidzingi noma ngukuphi kumpongoloza kwabo futsi bachubeka, ngoba sina-Abrahama longubabe wetfu.”

⁵⁰ Kanjalo lowoMlayeto lofanako wawuyophumphutsekisa libandla namuhla. Uma ubute umuntfu, masinyane, “Ngabe ungumKhristu?”

Utsi, “Yebo.”

⁵¹ Ngekushesha batawutsi, “Uwaliphi lihlelo na?” Manje, loko kulungile, kodvwa akukaphatselani ngalutfo nebuKhristu.

⁵² Lomunye wabo utawutsi, “Yebo-ke, ngiyiMethodisti, noma iBaptisti, noma iPresbyterian,” nomangabe baliphi libandla lekwentekako kutsi bahlanganye kulo. Lokulunge ngalokuphelele, kodvwa loko akuwuphendvuli lombuto. Usadzinga kuphendvuka, nekuphendvuka kushukumisa bantfu. Bacabanga kutsi abakudzingi.

⁵³ “Ngi—ngilidikhoni. Ngi...Ngenta tintfo letitsite e—ebandleni.” Loko akubeki eceleni lutfo. Usasolo udzinga kuphendvuka.

⁵⁴ Futsi Johane bekacinisa kalula setsembiso saNkulunkulu futsi ashumayela amelene nenkholo yekuhlakanipha. Futsi uma a...lowoMlayeto lofanako uphumile, namuhla, utoletsa lokungako ku—kushukuma emkhatsini webantu benkholo njengoba kwenta ngalesosikhatsi. Ngoba, umehluko lokuphela labawushoko, “Ekuben na-Abrahama njengababe wetfu,” batsi, namuhla, “Yebo-ke, ngifuna wati, ngililunga lelibandla lelitsite-tsite.”

⁵⁵ Futsi Johane watsi, “Kodvwa lizembe libekiwe emphandzeni yesihlahla, futsi sonkhe sihlahla lesingatseli sitselo lesihle siyajutjwa siphonswe emlilweni.” Futsi watsi, “Uta nesishayisamoya esandleni saKhe, futsi Utoshanyelisia tibuya, futsi ashise emakhoba, bese ubutsela kolo enyangweni.”

⁵⁶ O, akumangalisi Jesu atsi, “Kwakungekho muntru lowatalwa njengaye.” Futsi sizatfu sekutsi Johane ente loku, bekangumuntfu lokhetsekile. Nkulunkulu nakahlomissa indvodza, Uyihlomisa ngemphahla yaKhe luCobo. Abazange baye ngehandle ehlane kuyova kufundzisa kwasekolishi kwekuhlakanipha, intfo letoba njengenkhulomo yasopolitiki. Jesu watsi, “Naphumela kuyokuva ini ngesikhatsi niphuma?” Ngesikhatsi bantfu labeva Johane, beva umuntfu lowatalwa, kusukela esibeletfweni senina, agcwele Moya loNgcwele. Abevanga umncemphetisi eVangelini. Abevanga emahlelo laphikisanako, “*Lona* ucinisile, *naloya* uneliphutsa.” Beva uMlayeto weliVangeli lowajuba enhlitiywensi.

⁵⁷ Johane washumayela umbhabhatiso waMoya loyiNgcwele. Akazange ashumayele intfo lebekangenayo. Washumayela loko lebekakwemukelile.

⁵⁸ Futsi emadvodza aNkulunkulu latfunyelwe emasimini, namuhla, akanalungelo lekushumayela liVangeli, ngaphandle kwembhabhatiso waMoya loyiNgcwele. Leso sidzangakalo sekucala semshumayeli, kutsi agcwaliswe ngaMoya loNgcwele.

⁵⁹ “Ngako naphuma kuyobonani ke? Umuntfu logcoke timphahla letintofontofo?” Watsi, “Lubo labagcoke tingubo letintofontofo basetigodlwani temakhosi.” Johane bekakhashane kakhulu neHollywood, kutsi abe ngulogcokisa kweluhlobo lwemshumayeli lovana nebantfu.

“Naphuma kuyokuva ini? Indvodza lenemfundvo lenhle na?”

⁶⁰ Johane waya ehlane aneminyaka leyimfica budzala, umlandvo uyasho. Imfundvo yakhe ivela kuNkulunkulu. Ngani, ngabe bahambela kuyobona umphatsi wakhe wemikhankhaso, indvodza lelichalachala ekukhulumeni lengalungisa imikhankhaso futsi itfole onkhe emabandla kutsi abambisane na? Ngani, kusobala cha. Wekhuta

baFarisi nebaSadusi. Wabita inhlangano yebafundisi “licembu letinyoka.” Watsi, “O, nine timfeti, ngubani lonecwayise kutsi nibalekele lulaka lolutako na? Ningacali nitsi ngekhatsi kwenu, ‘Siba *luku*, noma sibalokwa,’ ngoba Nkulunkulu angamvusela Abrahama bantfwana kulamatje lawa.” Lesikudzingako namuhla kushumayela kwaJohane umBhabhatisi lokunengi, lokugcotjwe ngaMoya loyiNgewe. Akazange sekagodle, ngesikhatsi bambona nakashumayela ngemishado nemadivosi. Washumayela ngalokucondzile ngco, eVangelini lelicondzile, ngoba akaLibuyiselanga emuva. Ngani na? Bekagcotjiwe. Akukho lebekangakwenta ngekuba nguloko lebekangiko.

⁶¹ Ungeke ukhone kwenta lokunye ngaphandle kwalongiko. Nomangabe usoni, awukabopheleki ngekuba soni. Ubopheleleke kutsi uhlale usoni. Ikhona indlela lelungiselelwé wena. Kodvwa kuba soni, watalwa ngaleyondlela. Nkulunkulu akakutfumeli esihogweni ngekuba soni. Nkulunkulu ukutfumela esihogweni ngoba uyala kuperhendvuka futsi utsatse Khristu njengeMsindzisi wakho. Uyala kutsatsa umgwaco longiwo. Utifumela wena lucobo ekuhlushweni. Utfumela umphefumulo wakho lucobo esiphettweni sawo saPhakadze, etikweikutikhetsela kwekuticabangela kwakho. Nkulunkulu akatfumeli muntfu esihogweni. Akazange sekakwente futsi Akayuze akwente. Bantfu batitfumela bona esihogweni ngoba bayala kwe—kwemukela indlela yensindziso. Nkulunkulu aka...Uyabeketela. Akafuni muntfu kutsi abhubhe; akazange akufune.

⁶² Kodvwa bantfu bamane bakhetsé nje kuhamba ebunyameni kuneKhamba ekuKhanyeni. Sizatfu sako kutsi, bane...Batalwa kulesosimo, futsi abanasifiso sekutsatsa kuKhanya. Netifunywa tiyefika, tivelá emphumalanga nasenoshonalanga, nase nyakatfo naseningizimu, futsi tiphonse imicabo. Inkonzo yemaculo, bufakazi, kushumayela, ngesheya kwendlela yesoni, kepha uhamba ngamabomu ayendlule lemicabo bese batsi Nkulunkulu ubophelelekile noma unelicala. Nkulunkulu ulungile futsi ugcwele sihawu. Futsi Bekangeke afune ngisho namunye alahleke. Kodvwa umuntfu ufuna kulahleka ngoba kusifiso sakhe. Uyala kuhamba ekuKhanyeni, nguloko lokumenta alahleke. Kulungile.

⁶³ Manje, Johane, bekamelene nalokushumayela kwekuhlakanipha. Bekangenamfundvo, ngako-ke bekangeke abe nelubanjiswano.

⁶⁴ Ngiyacabanga, ngisho nasedolobheni lalesayizi lena, kube uMnaketfu Graham bekangetama kutsi, “Manje sitoba nemvuselelo lapha, futsi sitohamba kulolonkhe lelidolobha...” Ngibonile ngesikhatsi anemvuselelo yakhe, kutsi, kumahlanganandlela, sibonakaliso lesincane, satsi, “Invuselelo e-Utica.” Alishongo kutsi bandla lini. Litsite nje, “Kunemvuselelo lechubekako. Wota. Wonkhe umuntfu

wemukelekile.” Ngiyacabanga, kube wahamba waya kumshumayeli ngemshumayeli, eveni lonkhe jikelele, bekatoba nesikhatsi lesimatima sekutfola lubambiswano lolugcwele. Bekangeke akwente.

⁶⁵ Uma ngingena lapha kutobamba umkhankhaso naye, uMnaketfu Beeler neMnaketfu Ruddell, natsi sonkhe ndzawonye, sahlangana ndzawonye kutsi sibambe umkhankhaso eJeffersonville noma eNew Albany, noma ndzawanatsite, besiyo—besiyodzingeka sidvonse ticuku ngekushumayela kwetfu lucobo, nangaMoya loyiNgcwele. Emabandla atotsi, “Yebo—ke, site lutfo lesingalwenta ngaloko. Bavela kuyiphi isemina? Kuphi kusekelwa kwabo?”

⁶⁶ Tincwadzi tefu letisichazako, njengoba Johane bekangasho, “Ativel i kini nine baFarisi. Nkulunkulu wangibitela kutsi ngishumayele liVangeli. Nguleto tincwadzi tami letichaza ngami.” Onkhe emadvodza latfunyelwe nguNkulunkulu ema emihlabatsini lefanako. Libandla alikutfumeli. Nkulunkulu utfumela indvodza letfunyelwe nguNkulunkulu. Futsi Johane bekawalolohlolo.

⁶⁷ Jesu watsi, “Naphuma kuyobonani na? Ngabe nahamba kuyobona u—umFarisi, noma umSadusi na? IMethodisti, noma iBaptisti, noma iPresbyterian na? Naya kuyobonani na? Ngabe bekagcoke kahle na? Ngabe be—bekabeka kahle yini enkhulumeni yakhe?”

⁶⁸ Wentani kodvwa wema lapho futsi walahlala yonkhe intfo leyayingakalungi! Nemphatsi wesifundza waphuma kuyombona, lokungumphatsi welive; washayela waya lapho, ahlala nemfati wemnakabo. Johane wenyukela kuye futsi watsi, “Akukho emtsetfweni kutsi umtsatse.” Yebo!

⁶⁹ “Naphuma kuyobonani na? Ngabe nahamba kuyobona umshumayeli welihlelo na? Ngabe naya kuyobona sikhulumi lesihlakaniphile?”

⁷⁰ Ngani, namuhla, loko bekungaba khashane naloko live lelitokufuna namuhla. Leni, bafuna intfo lelichalachala ekukhulumeni; lamakhulu, emathende ladvumile nemijeka, noma Dokotela wetebuNkulunkulu; onkhe emabandla ayabambisana, emadvodza lahlakaniphile lahamba ngembili, tinkhulomo tekuhlakaniphile.

⁷¹ Kodvwa uma ubona indvodza yaNkulunkulu, ngalokuvamile ingephandle endleleni lencamula emkhatsini wetakhiwo ndzawanatsite, eme esitaladini, noma sakhiwo lesincane lesitsite, ashumayela liVangeli lelimsulwa laJesu Khristu. Ngulowomuntfu Nkulunkulu lamtfumile, mnaketfu, abeka lizembe emphandzeni yesihlahla, ashumayela liVangeli kungakhatsaleki kutsi bantfu bacabangani ngako. Uma yedvwa!

⁷² “Naphuma kuyobonani, umuntfu lonemfundvo lenkhulu na?” Impela cha, bekangenayo. Waya ehlane, aneminyaka leyimfica. Waphuma, aneminyaka lengemashumi lamatsatfu.

⁷³ Kushumayela kuphendvuka! Akhuta baFarisi! Wakwentelani na? Akukho lebekangakwenta ngoba nguloko lebekangiko. UMoya wa-Eliya wawusetikwakhe. Akukho lebekangakwenta ngoba bekagcoka timphahla njengoba enta. Imvelo yakhe yayinguloko. Akukho lebekangakwenta ngaphandle kwekushumayela ngebesifazane bakhululeka, ngoba uMoya wa-Eliya wawusetikwakhe. Bekanguloko lebekangiko. Watjela Herodias, wamtjela takhe, ebusweni. Watjela bantfu loko lebekakucabanga. Ngani, akukho lebekangakwenta. Loko kwakulugcobo lwakhe. Bekangu-Eliya.

⁷⁴ Ngako-ke uma wesilisa noma wesifazane... Lugcobo lwakho lusho kuwe. Noma ngabe uyini umoya wakho, uyakuuhambisa. Utanyatanyiswa ngumoya. Futsi uma uMoya waJesu Khristu ukumKhristu, likholwa, akumangalisi angumuntfu longakejwayeleki. Akumangalisi, kukhona Intfo letsite lengena kuye. Kubita kwaNkulunkulu kukuye. UMoya waKhristu uyamkhutsata, futsi utofanele anyakate njengoba uMoya umhambisa.

⁷⁵ Ungake ucabange nje ubona Johane ehlela lapho, atsi, “O, loko kulungile. *Loku kulungile.*” Kuphela nje uma uMoya wa-Eliya wawusetikwakhe, wenta njenga-Eliya.

⁷⁶ Uma utsatsa labantfu laba lohamba manje, basuke bacale futsi batsi, “O, ngitokuba ngumKhristu,” futsi bacale kahle. Intfo yekucala, cishe tinyanga letisitfupha, bacala kubuyela emuva. Bacale ngalapha, ngalapho. Ungasho ngaso lesosikhatsi kutsi lugcobo luyabashiya. Ngoba kuphela nje uma uMoya waKhristu ukini, Utonenta nibe njenga Khristu.

⁷⁷ Manje incumbi yebantfu inemcabango longesiwo waKhristu. Labanye bantfu ucabanga kutsi Khristu bekangusisi. Khristu bekangulomkhulu kunawo onkhe emadvodza. Beyikayindvodza lesibonelo. Akusiko kuphela nje kutsi Bekangumuntfu, kodvwa BekanguNkulunkulu-Muntfu. Beka “Nkulunkulu anatsi; Emanuweli.” Bekangulotfobeke kunabo bonkhe bantfu. Kodvwa, ungaba ngulotfobeke kakhulu, ungtfobeka kakhulu aze develi angakwenti siyebhuyebhu sakhe. Bekatfobeke ngalokwenele kutsi ageze tinyawo tebafundzi. Bekatsetselela ngalokwenele kukhulekela labo lebebahlolahlela tipikili etandleni taKhe. Kodvwa BekanguMuntfu ngalokwenele kweluka intsambo futsiacoshe labantjintjisi bemali baphume endlini.

⁷⁸ Yebo, Johane bekangumuntfu ngalokwenele kutsi abemnene futsi attfobe. Bekayindvodza ngalokwenele kuma elusentseni IweJordan. Bekangalidzingi lisinagogé lelikhulu noma indzawo yekushumayela. Bekatfobekile. Watsatsa tibhakabbaka

letiluhlata. Bekatfobeke ngalokwenele kutsi akabitanga bantfu kutsi babenemali lenengi kangako, kwelusa libandla labo.

⁷⁹ Bekaphila ngetintsetse neluju lwasiganga, tintsetse. Kulelolve, batifaka etikoteleni. Kunaletinkhulu, letindze tintsetse; bayatihlabu, batisile, ngayoyonkhe indlela, kutsi batidle. Nguloko lebekaphila ngako. Nengubo yakhe yayisicephu sesikhumba semvu atigocote ngaso.

⁸⁰ Jesu watsi, "Naphuma kuyobonani na? Naya kuyobonani na? Umuntfu lobekatonikela ngebaFarisi; umhlanga unyakatiswa ngiwo wonkhe umoya na? Wangena nebaSadusi uma bangena na? Ngalelinye lilanga ungu^{lok}u, nangalololunye lusuku ungu^{lok}uwa"? Watsi, "Anihambanga kuyobona lutfo lolunjengaloko." Watsi, "Ngabe nihambele kuyobona umuntfu lotsite logcoke kahle na? Cha. Sihlakaniphi? Cha. Naya kuyobonani na?"

⁸¹ Watsi, "Hambani nikhombise Johane lokwentekako lapha. Tishosha tiyahamba. Timphumphutse tiyabona. Tihhulu tiyeva. Labafile bayavuswa, nalabaphuyile beva liVangeli lishunyayelwa kubo. Ubusisiwe longakhubeki ngaMi." O, hhe! Leso kwakusibonakaliso saMesiya. Leso kwakusibonakaliso sekumkhombisa.

⁸² Leso ngulesibonakaliso libandla lebungewe leliciniso namuhla, naloku nje awa, kusasolo kuluphawu lwekubita kwaJesu Khristu. Besilisa nebesifazane labamele liVangeli lelimsulwa, lensindziso emphefumulweni, kulabaphuyile, kulabadzingile. Hhayi sicuku selizinga lelitsite leliswenkhe kamatima emabandleni abo kuze kutsi indvodza lephuyile itivele iphumile endzaweni, kodywa sicuku lesitfobekile sebantfu. Ngulapho la liVangeli lishunyayelwa khona. Labagulako bayasindza. Bakhulekela labagulako. Nkulunkulu ucinisa inkonzo yabo ngetibonakaliso netimanga. Nalo ke liVangeli lishunyayelwa kulabaphuyile.

"Hambani nikhombise Johane letintfo leti." O, hhe!

⁸³ Wayitsatsa kanjani Nkulunkulu leyondvodza lete imfundvo; watsatsa leyondvodza lete ngisho nesudu yetimphahla kutsi igcoke; watsatsa indvodza lete imphahla yekumbonya emahlombe ayo; indvodza lete indzawo yekucamelisa inhloko yayo; umuntfu lobekangenako ngisho nekudla lokwenele kutsi ahiale phansi kuko; futsi wetfusa tive ngaye.

⁸⁴ Haleluya! Sihawukele! Uma ngicabanga ngaloko, kungivusela entfweni letsite. Sifanele sente na? Ngatsi kumkami, ngalelinye lilanga, "S'thandwa, sengineminyaka lengemashumi lasihlanu budzala. Ngingeke ngisaba lapha sikhatsi lesidze kakhulu."

⁸⁵ Ngase ngiyaphuma. Ngema lapho emahlatsini. Ngaphumela kuyotingela. Ngema lapho emahlatsini kancanyana.

Ngacabanga ngaloko, “Iminyaka lengemashumi lasihlanu budzala. Yini indzaba na?”

⁸⁶ Khona-ke Intfo letsite yatsi, kutsi itsi kimi, “Nkulunkulu angakucecesha iminyaka lengemashumi lasihlanu, kutsi wente umsebenti wemizuzu lengemashumi lasihlanu.” Noma ngabe yini kuceceshw a lobekungiko, Nkulunkulu uyati kutsi Wentani. Wacecesha Mosi iminyaka lengemashumi lasiphohlongo, kutsi atfole iminyaka lengemashumi lamane yenkonzo kuye. Nkulunkulu ucecesha bantfu baKhe. Nkulunkulu ucecesha liBandla laKhe. Uma kuphela sivuma kuvumela Nkulunkulu abe nendlela yaKhe, ne—kwenta leyontfo lelungile. Uma kuphela besivuma kutinikela tsine lucobo kuYe, nguleyontfo yekutsi siyente.

⁸⁷ Nkulunkulu utsatsa tintfo letilula. Ngaletinye tikhatsi ningahle nicabange kutsi niyingcosana ngesibalo lapha. Labalidlanzana, Nkulunkulu ngalokuvamile ukulabalidlanzana. Kodvwa, mnaketfu, uma Sekalungela kuhamba, Ushukumisa linengi ngelidlanzana nje. UnguNkulunkulu. Utsatsa tintfo letilula. Wakutfolaphi Yena loko lenta umhlab a ngako? Wakhuluma wase utsi, “Akubekhona,” futsi kwabakhona.

⁸⁸ Watsatsa umshumayeli longenamfundvo, wakhulisewa ehlane netintsetse neluju, angenatimphahla cishe lativunulile, ngaphandle kwesiceshana sesikhumba, futsi wanyakatisa tifundza. Neligama lakhe alinakufa namuhla. “Naphuma kuyobonani na?”

Nkulunkulu utsatsa tintfo letilula.

⁸⁹ Watsatsa indvodza, ngalesinye sikhatsi, leyayingabati nhlobo bo-ABC bayo. Watsatsa indvodza ngesikhatsi inkhulungwane yemaFilisti igijimela etikwayo. Futsi yatsatsa litsambo lemhlatsi wemnyuzi, wase utsatsa litsambo lemhlatsi lelilula emlonyen i wemnyuzi, wase ubulala emadvodza layinkhulungwane. O, lowo nguNkulunkulu wetfu, logibela emagagasi laphakeme. Umhlatsi wemnyuzi, futsi wabulala emadvodza layinkhulungwane.

⁹⁰ Lowo Nkulunkulu lofanako, ngalesinye sikhatsi, ngesikhatsi lochoshako wemaFilisti ema eceleni kwemfula futsi edzelela timphi taIsrayeli, Nkulunkulu watsatsa lomdzadlana lodvonsekile, umfana lobukeka azacile nesidubulelo lesilula esandleni sakhe. O Nkulunkulu! Sidubulelo; intsambo ne ju... . ihhukelwe e—esiceshini sesikhumba. Sidubulelo lesidzadlana, intfo lelula kanjalo, futsi wabulala sichwaga futsi wabhacabula leyomphi.

⁹¹ Nkulunkulu utsatsa tintfo letilula. Akubiti tintfo letinkhulu. Kubita tintfo letilula kutsi tisebentiseke kahle. Akusito tintfo letilula ngako nje, kodvwa tifanele tisetjentiswe kahle. Wonkhe umuntfu lobekahlala ehlane bekangesuye Johane. Wonkhe

umuntfu bekaphetse sidubulelo lokwakungesuye Davide. Wonkhe umuntfu bekalitsatsa litsambo lemhlatsi wemnyuzi bekangesiye Samsoni. Kodvwa uma sekusetjentiselwa etandleni letigcotjiwe tenceku yaNkulunkulu!

⁹² Mosi wadzelela timphi ta-Israyeli...noma timphi taseGibhithe, nendvuku leyomile esandleni sakhe. Amen. Mosi, ngalelinye lilanga ligwala, naGereshomu naZiphora, emvakwelugwadvule. Uma sekake wagcotjwa, esihlahleni lesivutsako, nendvuku leyomile esandleni sakhe, umfati ahleti etikwemnyuzi, nemntfwanyana engculwini yakhe; iminyaka lengemashumi lasiphohlongo budzala, nemadzevu aphephetela, waya entasi eGibhithe futsi watsatsa wengamela. Lelula, indvodza yinye lendzala, leneminyaka lengemashumi lasiphohlongo budzala, ineluvondvolo lwemelusi lolomile esandleni sayo, bacosha timphi tonkhe telive, futsi bancoba, baphuma.

⁹³ Kuya ngekutsi wentani. Manje ninekutfobeka lapha. NineliVangeli lapha e-Utica. Ungahle, njengoba ngishito, engcosaneni ngesibalo. Kodvwa yini lota kutoyiva lapha? Ngabe utela kutokutsi, "Ngiya ebandleni"? Ngabe uta lapha nje kutova umnaketfu logwele umusa? Konkhe loko kuhle. Kodvwa asente lokutsite lokungetulu kwaloko. Asite kutotsatsa Khristu. Asite, kutsi sisuke lapha kusihlwu kanye naYe. Asambeni siyophikisana nayoyonkhe intfo leliphutsa, sikujube sikulahle. Umhlatsi, noma ngabe kuyini lokusesandleni sakho, Iwani ngako. Nkulunkulu wasebentisa tintfo letilula, ngetandla letigcotjiwe. Ninemisebenti lelula; lelilula, lidolobha lelincane; labalula, bantfu labancane; lelilula, libandla lelincane. LiVangeli lelilula, kodvwa Ligcotjiwe. Nkulunkulu ngako...

⁹⁴ LoJehova lomkhulu Lowadvuma ngaleyaa, Lowenta tinkhanyeti netintfo tetibhakabhaka, Lowenta umhlaba ngetintfo letingabonakali, wawukhuluma kutsi kubekhona, kodvwa, ngesikhatsi Eta kutovakashela bantfu, Akazange agibele tinkelishi tegolide. Kodvwa Wakhetsa kuta e—esitebeleni lesincane lesingasemagcumeni, nekutalwa kwaKhe kwakusemkhombeni wetinkhomo. Tintfo letilula, kodvwa kulowomkhombe kwavela Imanuweli. Yini lenaphuma kuyoyibona na? Yini leshaya umhlaba namuhla na? Nguliphi likhadi lekushaya lelikhulu kunawo onkhe eMerica? Nguliphi likhadi lelikhulu lekushaya lemhlaba na? Yini intfo lenkhulu yeminyaka yonkhe na? KuPhila neMoya weluswane lolwatalwa emkhombeni, esitebeleni eceleni kweligcuma.

⁹⁵ Tintfo letilula! Tintfo letilula! Kubekwe esandleni senu, bandla. Manje tsatsa luGcobo bese uLusebentisa kahle. Bekangaba...bonkhe bantfwana...Incumbi yebantfwana italelwé etitebeleni. Incumbi yebantfwana ingatalelwé emikhombeni. Kodvwa kungulendlela, wena, kutsi wentani ngaLo.

⁹⁶ Bantfu labanengi ulivile liVangeli lishunyayelwa. Graham unebanakabo labalivako liVangeli lishunyayelwa. Nginebanaketfu nami labaliva liVangeli lishunyayelwa. Unebanakabo, nalabanye unabomnakabo. Kodvwa kunguloko lokwentako ngaKo. Kwente. Loko kwakho...

⁹⁷ Sihlala lapho futsi siphikisane nemahlelo etfu, kutsi kufanele kube nguliphi libandla lesibalo, kumuphi ummango. Loko akusiko loko Nkulunkulu latfumela bantfu kutsi bakuve. Nkulunkulu utfumela bantfu baKhe labanconyiwe, bantfu baKhe labakhetsiwe, kutokuva liVangeli. “LiVangeli likulabaphuile lelishunyayelwa kubo.”

⁹⁸ Lapha esikhatsini lesitsite lesendlulile, esifundzeni saseKentucky, le etulu etintsaben, lendzaba ihamba kanjena, yalona lomncane, make loligugu, lonebantfwana cishe labalishumi, bekalele afa ngesifo sesifuba sengati. O, bekasalaphile futsi wenta yonkhe intfo latiko kutsi yentiwa kanjani, kodvwa leligciwane belimbulala. Belimtsatsa. Masinyane bekasatokufa. Kulabo bantfwana labalishumi, kusobala, bekabatsandza, kodvwa kwakungekho namunye wabo ngaphandle kwamunye lobekayaye asebente. Akukho namunye wabo lobekangamsita. Walala, afa. Watsatsa umbhedze wakhe. Bekangasakhoni nhlobo kuvuka. Lena intfombatana lencane, yenta yonkhe iwashingi, lapho bosisi wakhe besebahambile, bangale kamakhelwane, kuyodlala. Futsi wabaphekela bonkhe lalabanye. Bebabuya ekhaya ngesikhatsi sekudla, bese kutsi uma sekufika sikhatsi sekugeza titja, bebayaye—bebayaye bahambe. Bekubita kutsi akwente konkhe. Kute lomunye umuntfu lobekasele kutsi akwente. Ekugcineni, kufa kwenyukela emnyango, ngalelinye lilanga, futsi kwatsatsa make wakhe.

⁹⁹ Khona-ke konkhe kwaphonswa kuye, kutsi abe ngumake ngalesosikhatsi wabo bonkhe labantfwana laba. Lentfo lencane tatane yasebenta, futsi yasebenta, futsi yasebenta taze tandla takhe tabhamuka. Futsi wenta konkhe lebekangakwenta, kutsi abe ngumake, kutsatsa indzawo yenina. Ekugcineni, wasebenta kamatima kakhlulu, futsi angondleki kahle, naye, kwaze kwatsi sifo lesesabekako satfola umtinjana wakhe lovitsikile. Ekugcineni, watsatsa umbhedze wakhe futsi bekafa.

¹⁰⁰ Kwenteka kutsi, eveni lonkhe, thishela waSontfo sikolwa washayela weta ngemoto, futsi wangena kuyombona, futsi wambita neligama. Futsi wa...Watsi, “Uyacondza kutsi sifo sakho sibi mbamba na?”

Wase utsi, “Ngiyacondza kutsi ngiyafa.”

¹⁰¹ Watsi, “Ngisandza kuhlola dokotela, futsi washo kutsi bewufa.”

Wase utsi, “Yebo. Kunjalo.”

¹⁰² Ngani, watsi, “Ukulungele yini loku,” lothishela lolungile watsi, “ukulungele yini kuLangana naloku?”

Wase utsi lodzadze, “O, yebo. Ngikulungele kuhlangana neNkhosi Jesu.”

¹⁰³ “O,” watsi, “loko kuhle kakhulu. Yebo-ke, manje, ukhona kuliphi lihlelo?”

¹⁰⁴ Watsi, “Angikhonti ngisho nakulelilodvwa.” Watsi, “Ngisebente kamatima kakhulu lapha, akukho muntfu lobekatosita. Futsi,” watsi, “A—angisilo filunga lanoma nguliphi lihlelo.”

¹⁰⁵ Watsi, “Mntfwana!” Lothishela lokahle watsi, “Ufanele ube welihlelo.” Watsi, “Utokhombisan? Utawutsi ukhonta kuliphi lihlelo, uma ufika embikwaKhe?” Watsi, “Nguliphi—nguliphi licembu lototihlanganisa nalo na? Hlelo lini longaMtjela kutsi bewukulo na? Nguliphi longamkhombisa lona?”

¹⁰⁶ Lodzadze lomncane ahleti lapho, wadvonsa tandla takhe, letinesikofu watikhipa embhedzeni. Watsi, “NgitoMkhombisa nje tandla tami. Utocondza.” Ngicabanga kutsi loko kukahle.

¹⁰⁷ Uma nje sitoMkhombisa, futsi loko lesikwentile ngaloko Lakubeke etandleni tetfu. Asikwente ngako konkhe lokukitsi. “Naphuma kuyobonani na?” Utobonani Yena kuwe uma uhlangana naYe ngalolosuku na? Uma ute longaMkhombisa kona, lapho yonkhe intfo ikhona kutsi uMkhombise, kucabangeni, lapho sisakhuleka.

Asikhotsamise tinhloko tetfu.

¹⁰⁸ Angabakhona yini lomunye longatsi, “Ngikhulekele, Mnaketfu Branham, ngisaphakamisa sandla sami. Ngi—ngiyeva manje kutsi ngifuna kutsatsa letandla tami futsi ngitinikele kuKhristu, kute Angisebentise”? Phakamisa sandla sakho bese utsi, “Ngikhulekele.” Lapho usaphakamisa sandla sakho, utsi, “Ngitonikela sami. Ngifuna kubusiswa.”

¹⁰⁹ Mhlawumbe labanye benu maKhristu ningatsandza kutsi nitsi, “Ngi—ngiyacondza kutsi a—a—angikatenti nje letintfo lengifanele ngitente. Ngiyacondza kutsi bengivilapha kakhulu. Noko, ngiyayitsandza iNkhosi Jesu. Futsi ngi—ngifuna ungikhulekele, Mnaketfu Branham. Ngitophakamisa tandla tami.” Nkulunkulu akubusise. Loko kuhle.

¹¹⁰ “Ngitotsandza kuba nalokunengi kwaKhe. Ngi—ngiyaMtsandza, futsi ngi—ngifuna kuhlangana naYe ngaloloSuku. Futsi uma ngivula leNcwadzi, angifuni kutsi Atsi, ‘Yebo-ke, ufake ligama lakho eNcwadzini, kodvwa awentanga lutfo.’ Ngifuna kuzuza imiphefumulo. Ngifuna kuphuma ngente lokutsite.” Ngifuna kukhuleka. Nkulunkulu akubusise. Loko yi... INkhosi ikubusise, mnumzane.

¹¹¹ Kunjalo, sandla lesinengi, tandla letinengi. Manje, nine leniphakamise tandla tenu, angabakhona yini lomunye ngaphambi nje kwekutsi sikhuleke na? Nkulunkulu akubusise,

dzadze lomncane. Nkulunkulu akubusise, mnumzane. Nawe ngalapha, mnaketfu.

¹¹² Manje ngisakhuleka, khulekani, nani. Wena utsi, "Nkhosi Jesu, U-Ukhulume nami lapha, khona lapho ngikhona. Manje, kusukela kusihlwa kuchubeke, ngitoKukhonta. Ngiyaphuma, kusasa, kuyokhombisa umbukiso. Ngiyaphuma, hhayi kutsi ngitibonise mine lucobo, kodvwa ngifuna wonkhe umuntfu ati Jesu. Futsi ngitoMentela lokutsite. Futsi ngitotiletsa mine lucobo kuWe khona manje. Futsi Ungitsetselela kutsi bengingulovilaphako."

¹¹³ Mhlawumbe awusuye umshumayeli, mhlawumbe awusuye thishela waSontfo sikolwa, kodvwa wente lokutsite. Ngalesinye sikhatsi fakaza nje eceleni kwesitaladi, ukhulume nalomunyem umuntfu. Phuma futsi uhlabelle emaculo lapho usasebenta emkhatsini wetoni. Khuluma nabo ngeNkhosi. Nguloko lokwentako. Nguloko kuphela Nkulunkulu lakudzingako. Yenta nomayini lesesandleni sakho kutsi uyente. Yente.

¹¹⁴ Manje, Babe Nkulunkulu loligugu, ngekutitfoba nangemoya lomuhle siletsa lencenyelencane yenkonzo ekuvaleni, siletsa timbewu letihlanelwe ngephandle endzaweni, ngekufundvwa kweLivi, kutsi Wabuta lowombuto lowenele konkhe ngalelinye lilanga, "Naphuma kuyobonani na?"

¹¹⁵ Bantfu bayelani enkonzweni? Ku—kujoyina libandla nje noma ubesetigaben tenkholo esiveni? Naya kuyobonani na? Ngabe naya kuyobasebandleni lesive, kushumayela kwekuhlakanipha na? Noma naya kuyotfola indzawo na? Ngabe naya kuyotfola uMsindzisi? Naya kuyobonani?

¹¹⁶ Futsi, Babe Nkulunkulu, kusihlwa, ngeLivi laKho, kubekhona cishe bantfu labalishumi nesihlanu lapha, noma ngetulu, labaphakamise tandla tabo. Ngekuta kusihlwa, bafuna kunikela timphilo tabo. Mhlawumbe emakholwa langemaKhristu, kodvwa bafuna timphilo tabo tikhombise. Mhlawumbe bevile, ngoba bebangakabitelwa kulenkonzo, kushumayela Livi noma kufundzisa Sontfo sikolwa, kutsi bebangenayo incenye. Kodvwa, Nkhosi, akunandzaba kutsi kulula kanjani, kusuka emhlatsini kuya endvukwini leyomile, noma ngabe yini lesetandleni tetfu, asikukhombise. Nomangabe yini lebekwe embikwetfu, asiyente.

¹¹⁷ Nkulunkulu, ngiyakhuleka kutsi Utongcwelisa timphilo tabo, uyigcobe ngaMoya loyiNgewe. Nemitamo yabo, kunoma kungaba yini, kuhlabela, kufakaza, noma kwenta lokutsite, kwangatsi kungaba kwekuhlionishwa kwaKho nenkhatimulo. Siphe kona, Nkhosi.

¹¹⁸ Busisa wetfu loligugu nalowetsembekile uMnaketfu Graham, lome ngakulelideski iminyaka leminengi lemidze. Nalelibandla lelincane, libandla lelingudzadze kulelitabernakeli, njengoba ngingena, kusihlwa, futsi ngibona

kutsi kунетiphambano letintsatfu e—epulpiti, futsi ngibona emabhentji elibandla, futsi, impela, Nkhosi, kufanelekile. Ngulelincane, libandla lelingudzadze etulu lapha edolobheni, kukhanyisa kuKhanya. Nkulunkulu, kwangatsi angakhula abe libandla lelinemandla. Siphe kona, Nkhosi. Kwangatsi kuKhanya kweliVangeli kungakhanya kusuka lapha, kumphumele kulamanye emadolobha. Kwangatsi kungavela lapha bashumayeli labagcotjiwe, labatophuma kulaba, kulelibandla leli, letinsizwa letihleti lapha, loyotsatsa liVangeli angene kuletinye tincenye telive.

¹¹⁹ Cinisa futsi ubusise emadikhoni alo, nemagonsa alo, nawo onkhe emalunga alo. Titfolele ludvumo kuWe lucobo, Nkhosi. Nangalobunye busuku noma lilanga, noma kungaba yini, uma loko kubita kwekugcina kwentiwa futsi sibitelwa ngeTulu, kwangatsi singeta, siletse imiklomelo leligugu kutsi siyibeke etinyaweni taKho, siniketa Wena loko lesikuzuzele Kona. Futsi kwangatsi lempahahla, loYibeke etinhilitiyweni tetfu kusihlwa, kwangatsi singasebenta ngayo, ngako konkhe lokusemandleni etfu; busisa labantfu laba, futsi ubaphe tiphiwo, tiphiwo taMoya, kute basebentele Wena. Mine manje, njengenceku yaKho, ngekutfunywa lokuphiwe nguJesu Khristu, ngibanikela etandleni taNkulunkulu, kwentela inkonzo, eGameni laJesu. Amen.

¹²⁰ Kuneliculo lelidzala, angati noma dzadzewetfu lomncane angalidlala yini, noma cha, *INdzawo EMtfonjeni*. Uyayidlala? Kuhle. Bangakhi loyatiko?

Indzawo, indzawo, yebo, ikhona indzawo,
Kunendzawo eMTfonjeni yami.

¹²¹ Ngiyakhumbula ngesikhatsi sasivamise kulihlabela, futsi sehlele e-altari, ngemadvolo etfu, futsi silihlabele, entasi etabernakeli, eminyakeni leyendlula. Futsi niyati, loluhlobo... Nonkhe nisayitfola leyonkholo lekhululekile lapha, njengoba besivame kuba nayo entasi etabernakeli, lapho ungasolo ushaya khona tandla takho, uyidvumise iNkhosi, sibe nesikhatsi lesimnandzi.

¹²² Bayangitjela, uMnaketfu Ruddell, lapha, unalolohlobo lwelitabernakeli ngephandle emgwacweni lomkhulu. Ngitawutsi shelele ngiphume futsi ngimuve ngalobunye balobusuku lobu. Ngibenesikhatsi lesibi kabi kumtfola afucelwe ngephandle, kodvwa ekugcineni uyabashisa lapho manje. Nkulunkulu akubusise, Mnaketfu Ruddell.

¹²³ Kulungile, sinike ishuni. [Umshayi wepiyano utsi, “Licale.”—Umhl.] O, Mnaketfu Graham, mhlawumbe kuncono ubacalele manje. Ngifuna kulihlabela.

Indzawo, yebo, kunendzawo,
 Kunendzawo yakho eMtfonjeni;
 Indzawo, indzawo, yebo, ikhona indzawo,
 Ikhona indzawo yakho eMtfonjeni.

¹²⁴ Niyakutsandza loko na? Manje bukani, nonkhe nine maMethodisti, nemaBaptisti, nemaPhentekhostali, nanoma yini leningiyo. Asitsi, sisahlabela lelo futsi, asichawulane nalomunye umuntfu, embikwakho, luhlangotsi lwakho, nhlangotsi totimbili, nangemuva kwakho, sisalihlabela. Manje wotani. Kunendzawo yetfu sonkhe manje.

Indzawo, indzawo, yebo, ikhona indzawo,
 Kunendzawo yakho eMtfonjeni;
 Indzawo, indzawo, yebo, ikhona indzawo,
 Kunendzawo yakho eMtfonjeni.

O, indzawo, indzawo, kunencumbi yendzawo,
 Kunendzawo yakho eMtfonjeni;
 O, indzawo, indzawo, yebo, ikhona indzawo,
 Kunendzawo yakho eMtfonjeni.

¹²⁵ Anikutsandzi loko na? Niyati, Jakobe wagubha umtfombo. Futsi emaFilisti agijima...asuka, ngako wakubita nge “nzondo.” Futsi wagubha lomunye umtfombo, nemaFilisti amcosha kuwo, ngako bawubita nge “mbango.” Wagubha lomunye umtfombo, lomtfombo wesitsatfu, futsi watsi, “Kunendzawo yetfu sonkhe.”

¹²⁶ Futsi ngako Nkulunkulu wagubha umtfombo ebandleni lemaLuthela, futsi bacosha bonkhe lalabanye babo kulo, emaLuthela. Wase-ke Ugubha umtfombo ebandleni leMethodisti, ngaphansi kwekungcweliswa. EmaLuthela bekakulungisiswa. Bese-ke, kubakungcweliswa, Wagubha umtfombo, futsi manje bagijima bonkhe besuka kuwo.

¹²⁷ Manje Sewugubhe lomunye umtfombo. Awunagama. Cha, kute kwasalihlelo. Ngulolungile, Moya loNgcwele lomsulwa, futsi kunendzawo yetfu sonkhe. Ngoba wena ugibebe likamela lelinesifumbu sinye, emakamela lanetifumbu letimbili, emakamela lanetifumbu letintsatfu, nomakungaba yini, ikhona indzawo yetfu sonkhe.

Indzawo, indzawo, yebo, ikhona indzawo,
 Kunendzawo yakho eMtfonjeni;
 O, indzawo, indzawo, yebo, ikhona indzawo,
 Kunendzawo yakho eMtfonjeni.

¹²⁸ Aniwatsandzi lawomaculo lamadzala na?
 O, ngiyawatsandza nje. Ngi—ngicabanga kutsi, emvakwekushumayela, ngalesinye sikhatsi kubuluhlata kakhulu futsi kuyahhedla. Bese-ke uma sesicedzile ngaloko, niyati, kuyanikolobha nihlobe, khona-ke utiva kwangatsi, sewuhlantwe nje wonkhe, tonkhe tono takho setihambile, wavuma; utivele ukhululekile. O, khona-ke ngiva kwangatsi

ngingahlabela nje. Anitivel i nine na? Loko kudvumisa. Pawula watsi, nakahlabela, bekahlabela ngaMoya. Uma akhonta, bekakhonta ngaMoya.

¹²⁹ Angati noma lodzadze angakhona yini kudlala leli, noma cha. Ngingahle ngingakhoni kulihlabela. Kodvwa ngiyayitsandza lengoma. Uma ungayikhoni, kulungile, dzadze.

Jesu, ngigcine edvute nesiphambano,
KuneMtombo loligugu,
Ungesihle kubo bonkhe, umfudlana
wekuphilisa,
Ugeleta uvela eMtfonjeni waseKhalvari.

Esiphambanweni, esiphambanweni,
Bani yinkhatimulo yami njalonjalo;
Uze umphefumulo wami lohlwitsiwe uyotfolia
Kuphumula ngesheya kwemfula.

¹³⁰ Anikutsandzi loko, s'thandwa na? Uyati, ngente nje loko kuva lamaphimbo lamahle ase-Utica ahlabela, niyati. Kwakuvamise kuba ne-ogani lendzala etulu lapha, futsi beniyoba nemihlangano. Nine bantfu base-Utica niyakukhumbula loko? Uhambe ngale futsi uhlabele etindlini talomunye netintfo. O, ngingatsandza kuya kulomunye wabo futsi, silihlabele. O, hhe!

¹³¹ Cabangani nje, uMsindzisi wetfu loligugu, sifanele sihlangane naYe. Angati kutsi nini; mhlawumbe ngaphambi kwekusa. Kwenta mehluko muni na? Kwenta mehluko muni na? Ngitjele. Sitokwenta, nomakunjalo, ngako ase nje—nje sitfobeke inhlitiyo. Sibeneukholwa. SiMtsandze.

Jesu, ngigcine edvute nesiphambano,
Lapho uMtombo loligugu,
Longesihle kuwowonkhe, lokuphilisa...
(Kuyakutfoba nje, niyati.)
Ugeleta uvela eMtfonjeni waseKhalvari.

Esiphambanweni, esiphambanweni,
Bani yinkhatimulo yami njalonjalo;
Uze... umphefumulo lohlwitsiwe uyotfolia
Kuphumula ngesheya kwemfula.

Entasi esiphambanweni lapho uMsindzisi
wami wafa khona,
Entasi lapho ngakhalela kuhlantwa esonweni;
Lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yahhocwa
khona;
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

O, ludvumo eGameni laKhe, leloGama
leliligugu!
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

Lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa khona;
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

Asiphakamise tandla tetfu manje, uma sihlabela lendzima.

Ngisindzisiwe ngalokumangalisa kakhulu esonweni,
Jesu uhlala kamnandzi sibili ngekhatsi,
Lapho esiphambanweni la Angifaka khona;
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

Atsi, ludvumo eGameni laKhe, liGama leliligugu!
O, ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
Lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa khona;
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

¹³² Bangakhi lofuna kuya eZulwini na? Impela, siyafuna. Yebo, mnumzane. Ngifuna kuhamba. Ngisendleleni yami. Ngiyatsanza nje kwati kutsi nginemadvodza ami nabodzadzewetfu bahambisana. Yebo, mnumzane.

Wota kuloMtfombo longihlantako,
Phonsa umphefumulo wakho lohluphekile etinyaweni teMsindzisi;
O, tiphonse namuhla futsi upheleliswe;
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe leliligugu!
Lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa khona;
Ludvumo ku...

Loko kuhle kakhulu!

Ngisindzisiwe ngalokumangalisa kakhulu esonweni,
Jesu uhlala kamnandzi sibili ngekhatsi,
Lapho esiphambanweni la Angifaka khona;
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

O, ludvumo eGameni laKhe leliligugu!
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
Lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa khona;
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

Wota kuloMtfombo locebe kakhulu futsi lomnandzi;
Phonsa umphefumulo wakho lohluphekile... tinyawo teMsindzisi.

Ungatsanza kwenyuka uguce phansi sikhashana na?

. . . -lusuku, futsi upheleliswe;
 Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
 Sihlabela, ludvumo eGameni laKhe, liGama
 leliligugu!
 O, ludvumo eGameni laKhe, liGama leliligugu!
 Lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa
 khona;
 Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
 Kuhlabela, ludvumo ku . . .

¹³³ Labanye benu bangatsandza kwenyuka futsi baguce ngase-altari manje na? Yenyukani nalomfana lomncane. Wotani.

Ludvumo eGameni laKhe leliligugu!
 O, lapho kuyami . . .

¹³⁴ Mnaketfu Beeler. Mnaketfu Beeler. Mnaketfu Beeler. Wota lapha, wena mzalwane. Mnaketfu Ruddell.

. . . LiGama laKhe!
 Kuhlabela, ludvumo kuyaKhe . . .

¹³⁵ Angabakhona yini lomunye longatsandza kukhuphuka futsi aguce phansi na? Yenyuka, uma nifuna kunikela timphilo tenu kuNkulunkulu, lapho Moya loyiNgcwele aseselapha.

Lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa
 khona;
 Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
 Wota kuloMtfombo locebe kakhulu futsi
 lomnandzi;
 Phonsa umphefumulo wakho lohluphekile
 etinyaweni teMsindzisi;
 O, tiphonse namuhla, futsi upheleliswe;
 Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
 Kuhlabela, ludvumo eGameni laKhe, liGama
 leliligugu!
 O, ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
 Lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa
 khona;
 Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
 Kuhlabela, ludvumo eGameni laKhe, liGama
 leliligugu!
 Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
 O, lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa
 khona;
 Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!
 Ningete neta yini kuloMtfombo locebe
 kakhulu futsi lomnandzi;
 Phonsa umphefumulo wakho lohluphekako
 e . . .

¹³⁶ Ningete nenyuka, kusihlwa na? Niguce phansi futsi nikhuleke. Noma ngubani lofuna kuta, etc.

. . . ekhatsi namuhla, futsi upheleliswe;
O, ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

Kuhlabela, ludvumo eGameni laKhe, liGama
leliligugu!
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe leliligugu!
O, lapho enhlitiyweni yami iNgati yabhocwa
khona;
Ludvumo eGameni laKhe!

¹³⁷ O, sikhatsi lesimangalisa kanje pho! O, sasivame kulihlabela
kanjani leloculo lelidzala!

Kuyoba sikhatsi lesimangalisako sakho,
Sikhatsi lesimangalisako sami.
Uma sitolungiselela kuhlangana naJesu
iNkhosi yetfu,
Kuyoba sikhatsi lesimangalisa kanjani pho.

¹³⁸ Anikutsandzi loko kukhonta ngaMoya na? Yebo, mnumzane.
Nje wondla wena, ngemphefumulo wakho. Haleluya! Haleluya!

¹³⁹ Ngijayabula kakhulu kubona Billy ativel a ngaleyondlela.
Ayibusiswe inhlitiyo yakhe! Asihlabele leliculo manje.

KuneMtomblo logewaliswe yiNgati,
Lemunywe emtsanjeni yaImanuweli,
Lapho toni tibhukusha khona ngaphansi
kwesikhukhula,
Kusuka onkhe emabala ato elicala.

Sonkhe kanyekanye manje. Sisite, Mnaketfu Graham.

KuneMtomblo logewaliswe yiNgati,
Lemunywe emtsanjeni wa-Imanuweli,
Netoni tabhukusha ngaphansi
kwalesosikhukhula,
Kusuka lonkhe libala lato lelicalal.
Kusuke lonkhe libala lelicalal lato,
Kusuka lonkhe libala lato lelicalal.
Khona-ke toni tibhukusha ngaphansi
kwalesosikhukhula . . .

¹⁴⁰ Niyati, angikaze ngicabange ngaleloculo ngaphandle uma
ngicabanga ngalendzaba lengatjelwa yona ngalesinye sikhatsi.
Kwakungaphandle le etabelweni eArizona. KwakunaTim Coy.
Bekangumholi kumaNdiya, futsi luhlobo lwemfana lositfunywa
senkholo. Futsi bekakadze ajikiselwe elugwadvule, futsi
akayitfolanga indlela yakhe yekuphuma. Futsi bekagibebe
lihashi lakhe, liphelelw ngemanti. Bekakadze alahlekile
tinsuku letimbili noma letintsatfu ekhatsi lapho, onkhe
ematsema ekutsi uyoke aphume beselingasekho. Watsi
bekafakaza emhlanganweni, futsi washo kutsi kwakubukeka

kumnyama kabi kuye. Wase utitsela emkhondvweni wetindluzele, ngaphandle elugwadvule, futsi watsi lelihashi lebekaligibebe, watsi, lase litsi aliphele. Beka... Ngikholwa kutsi watsi ligama lakhe bekungu Bess. Futsi watsi beka—be—bekalivela, bekasolo ahamba. Babanetiphepho tesanti letinengana, nemakhala alo besanemakhekheba esanti.

¹⁴¹ Futsi ngulesisizatfu bagcoka lawomaduku asentsanyeni. Uma siphepho sesanti sesichubeka, bavele bambonye ngalamaduku ebusweni babo. Ngigibebe lihhashi sikhatsi lesinengi, nemphefumulo wami umanti, bewuvele nje—nje wente likhekheba lelicinile ebusweni bakho kanjalo, bagibela. Lotofuli, tinkhomo, niyati, netintfo, embikwakho. Netiphepho tesanti tiluphuphutse kanjalo.

¹⁴² Watsi bekacabanga kutsi kwase kucishe kube kuphela kwemgwaco kuye. Bekayendza, cobo lwakhe, lihhashi lakhe. Angakhona... Ungaphila ngaphandle kwemanti kumelihhashi. Ngako, watsi bekayendza lapho. Watitsela kulomkhondvovane wetindluzele, futsi watsi wativela akahle kakhulu. Wacala kwehla ngalomkhondvovane wetindluzele. Futsi wagibela wase ucalu kugibela, wase utsi wagibela wehla ngemkhondvovane kancane. Watsi, o, kwakubonakala kwangatsi kwakukadze kunemakhulu endluzele ehla ngalowomkhondvo. Futsi wacabanga, “Yebo-ke, lowomkhondvo wendluzele uholela emantini, ngako ngitowatfola emanti.” Futsi watsi wacala ngekugibela lihhashi lakhe.

¹⁴³ Futsi watsi wefika endzawaneni lapho indlela yehlukana kane iye esayidini linye, futsi watsi lelihashi belifuna kutsatsa lowomkhondvo. Watsi, “O, cha, Bess. Ungeke uwutsatse lowomkhondvo.” Walibamba ngelitomu, futsi walidvonsela ngalapha. Watsi, “Hamba ngalendlala *lena*. Imakeke kahle. Kulapho la indluzele iyekhona kuyonatsa.” Futsi lihhashi lajika, lachubeka nekukhala, likhala. Futsi watsi bekajabule ngalokwecile, bekanetinsimbi temasondvo, futsi wavele nje walisika lelihashi laze nje lema lapho, lopha. Futsi watsi alihambanga. Belifuna kutsatsa lomkhondvo lomncane.

¹⁴⁴ Niyabona, kungaleyondlela ngebantfu labanengi. Batsanza kutsatsa umkhondvo wabomabonakudze, tihlabani tabhayisikobho, batsatse umkhondvo wekutsandvwa bantfu, kutsi babe ngumuntpu lotsite lomkhulu. Niyabona na? Abawubukisisi lowomkhondvo lomncane.

Kunemgwaco lomkhulu loholela eZulwini,
 Kufiphele lapho, umkhondvovane, ngako
 batsi;
 Kodvwa lowo lobanti loholela ekubhujisweni
 Ubekwe timphawu futsi wavutsa indlela
 yonkhe.

Batsi kuyobakhona lokukhulu kugalelwa
 kwetinkhomo,
 Uma emakhawa njengetinja letincane
 titokuma;
 Bayobekwa lumphawu bagibeli bekweHlulela,
 Lomisiwe futsi wati lonkhe lumphawu.

Nilivile leloculo.

Ngako ngiyacabanga ngitawuba lihhashi
 lelidukile,
 Umuntfu nje lolahliwe kutsi afe,
 Bewujutjwa esicukwini nabolomakhaya,
 Ngesikhatsi uMphatsi walabo bagibeli
 endlula.

¹⁴⁵ Watsi wacabanga ngaloko. Watsi, “Ngikuvile loko . . .” Walibuka, wase uyacabanga, “Yebo-ke, Bess, ungi—ungitfwele yonkhe lendlela. Bengicabanga kutsi ngitokufa, ungetfwele kwaze kwaba lapha. Futsi bengihlala njalo ngiva lawomahhashi anekutivela ngekwemvelo kwati kutsi emanti akuphi. Ngako uma ngikwetsembile kwate kwaba lapha, ngitokwetsema kutsi wehle ngalomkhondvovane lofiphele.”

¹⁴⁶ Nguleyondlela lengiva ngayo ngeliVangeli. Akukho kucatsanisa Loko nelihhashi lelitokwetfwala, kodvwa ngetsembe iNkhosi phansi kuloku, imphilo kanjena. Uma umkhondvo sewufiphala, entasi ekupheleli kwemgwaco, ngifuna kuMetsema. Niyabona na? Lenkholo yakadzeni yangisindzisa emuva ngaleya, eminyakeni lengemashumi lamatsatfu leyendlula, ingetfwale lonkhe lelibanga. Uma ngihamba esigodzini selitfunti lekuwa, ngifuna lesentakalo lesifanako lesivakala enhlitiyeweni. NgitoSetsema ke.

¹⁴⁷ Watsi wagcumela kulo, wacala kwehla. Bekangakahambi sigatjana, waze watitsela echibini lelikhulu lemanti. Watsi bekakulawomanti, awasaphata nje, futsi amemeta ngalo lonkhe liphimbo lakhe, advumisa Nkulunkulu. Wageza emakhala akhe, wase uphonsa emanti etikwakhe, futsi amemeta futsi achubeka.

¹⁴⁸ Watsi waphuma nje emantini, wase utsi weva umuntfu ahleka. Wabuka elusentseni, kwakusicuku sebafo beme lapho nencola lendzala lembonyiwe. Bonkhe bebadzakiwe. Bebakadze balapho ephathini lenkhulu yeluhlobo lolutsite, iphatyi yekutingela, noma lokutsite. Futsi watsi bebanekudzakwa lokukhulu. Futsi bebabonakala kungatsi bayamati. Futsi watsi . . . Watsi, “Phuma!”

Watsi, “Ngiyabonga, bafo.”

¹⁴⁹ Futsi watsi, “Ngiyacabanga ubulawa yndlala.” Wabatjela kutsi, bekakadze alahlekile tinsuku letinengana.

Watsi, “Yebo.”

¹⁵⁰ Watsi, "Yebo-ke, sinenyamatane lapha." Ngako ba... Wadla inyama yenyamatane. Watsi, "Kulungile," watsi, "futsi wena unguJack, noma iTim Coy, u—umholi wamaNdiya?"

"Ya."

¹⁵¹ Watsi, "Yebo-ke," watsi, "nganca yekutsi ninenyama yenyamatane lemmandzi, manje," watsi, "sinatfo lesimnandzi kulelijeke sitokusita njekahle." Watsi wamnika lijeke.

¹⁵² Watsi, "Cha, bafana. Ngiyabonga. Anginatsi." Watsi, wabeka lunyawo lwakhe emuva, watsatsa tindlela takhe, futsi wabeka lunyawo lwakhe etinyatselweni tesihlalo selihhashi.

¹⁵³ Watsi umfo lomncane wayendza, cishe adzakwe hhafu, watsatsa sinye saleto tibhamu, emaWinchester, wase uphonsa libbosho ekhatsi kuso. Watsi, "Buka, Tim! Nangabe lenyamatane yetfu beyimnandzi kakhulu kukondla, ungetami kucabanga kutsi ulunge kakhulu kutsi ungeke ukhone kunatsa inkantini yetfu!" Uyatati kutsi tidzakwa tinjani.

¹⁵⁴ Watsi, "Bukani, bafo," watsi, "Angicabangi kutsi ngikahle kakhulu kutsi ngiyinatse, kodvwa," watsi, "Anginatsi nje." Watsi, "NgingumKhristu."

¹⁵⁵ Watsi, "A! Phuma kuleyontfo." Watsi, "Utonatsa lenkantini noma nakungenjalo ngitakubhobosa ngenhlavu." Etama kumkhohlisela kuko.

¹⁵⁶ Watsi—watsi, "Awume umzuzu nje. Ngaphambi kwekutsi ufa leyonhlavu kimi, ake ngininike indzaba yami." Watsi, "Ngatalewa esifundzeni saseKentucky." Watsi, "Babe wami wafa, sidzakwa, agcoke ticatfulo takhe." Watsi, "Sasihlala endlwaneni lendzala yetingodvo. Futsi ngalokunye kusa lapho lilanga licala kuphuma, umushi uvundle phansi endlini lencane, indlu lendzala yetingodvo, beyite ngisho ne—nesiyilo setingodvo ngekhatsi kuyo." Watsi, "Make loligugu alele lapho kulombhedze wetinhlanga afa." Watsi, "Lowo kwakungumake wami." Watsi, "Bengineminyaka lesiphohlongo kuperhela budzala." Futsi watsi, "Wangibitelala eceleni kwembhedze, wase uyangigaca, wanganga. Watsi, 'Tim, sengiyakushiya. Babe wakho wafa, adzakiwe, agembula, wadutjulwa wafa.' Watsi, 'Ngetsembise, Tim, ngingakafi, kutsi awuyuze unatse sinatfo sakho sekucala, noma udiale ngemakhadi.'" Watsi, "Ngesikhatsi ngicabuza make ngimvalelisa, ngametsembisa loko." Watsi, "Angikaze ngenatse kusukela ngalelolanga, nhlobo, emphilweni yami." Watsi, "Manje uma ufunu kudubula, vele udubule nje."

¹⁵⁷ Futsi cishe ngalesosikhatsi sibhamu sadubula. Lelijeke lenkantini lachuma esandleni salendvodza. Umfo lobukeka angotingoti waphuma engoceni. Bekafunwa. Bekangulomunye wabosidlani. Watsi, "Umzuzu nje, Tim." Watsi, "Ngivela esifundzeni saseKentucky, mani." Watsi, "Ngetsembisa make wami kutsi angiyuze ngenatse." Watsi, "Bengisolo ngimile lapha ngilindzele kutsi baze babekahle futsi badzakwe, khona-

ke bengitobashaya, bonkhe enhloko, futsi ngitsatse leyomali lebebanayo kubo.” Batingeli! Watsi, “Nguloko lebengikumele lapha. Kodvwa ngesikhatsi ngiva bufakazi bakho, Intfo letsite ikhulumile enhlitiyweni yami.” Ngatsi, “Ngiyacolisa kutsi ngephula setsembiso sami kumake.” Watsi, “Kodvwa ngesikhatsi livolovolo lami lihaza kuletotoingoce taseZulwini ungvile ngisayina setsembiso kutsi, ‘Angisayophhindze ngisinatse futsi, kusukela kulesikhatsi lesi kuchubeke.’” Watsi, “Lesi sikhatsi sami sekuyekela.” Bengahlala ngicabanga ngaloko.

Kukhona uMtfombo logcwaliswe yiNgati,
 (akunandzaba noma bewungagijima wehle
 ngalomkhondvovane lomdzala lofiphele),
 Lemunywe emitsanjeni ya-Emanuweli
 Lapho toni tibhukusha ngaphansi
 kwesikhukhula,
 Kusuka onkhe emabala ato elicala.

Ukwenta kanjalo-ke.

Tibhukusha ngaphansi kwesikhukhula,
 Kusuka lonkhe libala lato lelicalala.

¹⁵⁸ Nali lelinye liculo lengilitsandza kahle kakhulu.
 Nginesiciniseko kutsi nonkhe niyalati.

Lukholo lwami lubuka etulu kuWe,
 Wena Wundlu laseKhalvari,
 Msindzisi webuNkulunkulu;
 Manje ngive ngisakhuleka,
 Susa lonkhe licala lami,
 Futsi akutsi mine kusukela namuhla
 Ngibe waKho ngalokupuhelele.

¹⁵⁹ Niyalati na? Niyalitsandza na? Asilihlabele, ke. Asisukume sisalihlabela.

Lukholo lwami lubuka etulu kuWe,
 Wena Wundlu laseKhalvari,
 Msindzisi webuNkulunkulu;
 Manje ngive ngisakhuleka,
 Susa lonkhe licala lami,
 O akutsi mine kusukela namuhla
 Ngibe waKho wonkhe!
 Lapho nginyatsela ekudidekeni lokumnyama
 kwemphilo,
 Nelusizi lwandza ndzawotonkhe kimi,
 Bani Wena nguMholi wami;
 Yala bumnyama bugucuke . . .

Mnaketfu Graham.



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