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- D wa i d ugur amenzu ara d-temmager tayri-nney! Acḥal tuy i yi-yeqreḥ lefraq-nni isehlen... i kem-id-cedhay, ney i yi-yenya ttnefcic!... ma d rrwaḥ-a yer Qana d ajdid akk yer yur-i. Ata yesseyli-d deg ul-iw yiwen n leḥzen werǧin i s-ḥulfay. Wissen ihi m'ad tbeddleḍ rray?
- Lemmer am nekk ur d-ttmenniy asikel-a, ur s-qqarey xir ad d-lhuy d ccetwa deg leɛli n Ṣṣaɛid¹ mi ifat zhiy da deg lqerb-ik; tili awufan ad tkemmel temlilit-a! Meɛna d acu ara d-xedmey? d baba i yebyan, i ixeddmen akka segmi yewwi tastayt². Yennum yal tegrest ilaq ad iruḥ ad d-yesɛeddi ayyur ney sin deg Qana, yur ɛemmi-nni ixeddmen d ttbib.
- Ahat zemrey ad d-ssugney takunin³ deg allay, ur d-ssuguney amek ara tili tudert-iw deg sin-a n wayyuren i d-iteddun, acku s tayri-m kan i εacey, ma d timlilit tuyal-iyi d tannumi, yess kan i sgunfuyey ma lliy εyiy ney i txessi tmes n ccuq-iw. Amek ihi ara xedmey, acu ara yilin di lεewn-iw?

Dya tsers yiwen ufus d axemri yef tayet-is, tesself-as deg lḥenk-is s yixfawen iḍudan-is, tuyal testewtew-as s ameẓẓuy, tenna:

 Lukan ur krihey annect-en, ad k-d-iniy err kan tabladt yef ul-ik tedhud s wayen nniden, acku s ssber-nni yelhan kan ara

¹ D tamennaț i d-yezgan deg unzul n Mașer.

² Tastayt: lantrit.

 $^{^3}$ Takunt : $seg\ tmcqt,$ le<code>e</code>geb, ayen ur nettwafham deg ugama, yeff<code>y</code>en i tannumi (miracle).

neṭṭef alamma tekfa teswiɛt-a n lbeɛdan u ad nuɣal ad nemlil. Yerna ɣas akken, nekk ad k-d-iniɣ ay a sseɛd-ik, a yir zzher-iw!

- Amek meḥsub?
- Tezriḍ nekk segmi ara yibey ur ferrḥey s tira-k, acku ur tezmireḍ ad yi-d-taruḍ; uma kečč ad k-id-yaweḍ kan ustewtew n wul-iw yal m'ara afey tagnit akken ad k-d-aruy ciṭṭ s tuffra. Anwa yesɛan ihi zzher deg-ney?
- D win kan izemren ad d-yini kra akken ad yekkes γef ul-is.
 Yenna-d akka, idel-d udem-is yiwen usigna berriken.
 Yesmeεḍel, yuɣal yesteqsa-tt:
 - Tesεiḍ arraw n εemmi-m ?

Dya mi tesla i wakka tecmumeḥ acmumeḥ-nni i d-yeqqaren tefreḥ imi iga annect-nni d aybel, tɛedda terra-yas :

— Ih, llan... maca d igerdan akk. Yerna yas lukan akken nniḍen, ur tesɛiḍ ara tagadeḍ a bu tismin, a yiwen uxewwaf... ma d tura awi-d imi-k ad k-beqqiy sslam, u ad nernu ad d-nini deg sin awal-nni ijerrḥen ulawen: « Qqim di lehna. »

Seg uzekkuya, atan ad ilin deg Qana sin n medden i iszizen fell-as: taḥbibt-is Σ ayda, d umdakal-is n temzi, aselmad Ḥmed Merzuq ukud tuɣ yeɣra zik, i yesɣaren tura deg Qana. Maca ma yettnermis d umdakel-is s tebratin, akked teḥbibt-is ur yezmir, imi tayri-nsen tella mazal teffer, ur tewwiḍ imawlan.

Mi ϵ eddan reb ϵ a n wussan yef usikel n Σ ayda, atta dya tewwed-as-d syur-s tebrat :

« Wehmey deg lxiq-a i yi-yenyan yas yid-i i tellid... ih, aql-ik yid-i, taswiet mačči teğğid-iyi, ama deg uhetwir n wass ney deg tsusmi n yid; yid-i i tellid, m'akken ara fkey tit seg usfaylu n tmacint akken ad waliy igran-nni ur nettfakka d tezdayin yembacaden ta yef ta; yid-i, yas ma lliy gar wat uxxam n cemmi la smeḥsisey i lehdur-nsen, ttarray-asen, ney la ttadsay d wa akken selley i wayed; yid-i yal taswiet, deg yal

amkan; amek ihi ur k-id-tejjmey ney ur d-gerriy deg lweḥc d wuzu segmi beɛdey fell-ak!

« Yerna yur-k ad s-tiniḍ d ayfal i yefley ma ur k-d-uriy ara zik ; ata uxxam n ɛemmi yeččur d igerdan, ur yi-ttaǧǧan ad snuffsey ula dqiqa weḥd-i. Dya imeslayen i d-yeddan deg lkayeḍ-a llan ffyen-d seg iḥulfan-iw, yejmem yes-sen wallay-iw, ḥuzan akk isyafan¹-iw, rniy ḥefḍey-ten awal s wawal uqbel ad yi-d-ylint tegnatin ad ten-jerrdey s tuffra i tziri n wayyur i d-yettakren iman-is si ṭṭaq mʾakken tuy yeqqen yiḍes allen ara yi-d-iwalin... Suref-iyi ihi ma ɛeṭṭlent fell-ak tebratin-iw, testeqsiḍ kan ul-ik ma tebyiḍ, acku cukkey yeqqar-ak-d dima deg umkan-iw ayen ḥemmley ad k-t-id-iniy.

« Deg ayen yerzan Qana, ad d-iniy teḥma ddeqs-is, ma d ayen nniḍen, nekni aql-ay deg lyerba, lukan ur d ayen yettaf baba deg-s i ṣṣeḥḥa-s, ur t-ttaǧǧay ad yernu da dqiqa. »

Yetwennes ihi akken yezmer yer lkayeḍ-a ideg yufa kra n ṣṣber d tmedhiwt d lehna.

Yuy lḥal amdakel-is Merzuq yella ur iḥebbes ara s unermes yid-s, yas ur d-ttawint tebratin-is kra umaynu, meḥsub d tin usiweḍ n sslam kan, ccuq yer tmurt, d umeslay yef useggas ayurbiz yettgamin ad ifakk ney imuras unebdu i iḥar ad d-awḍen. Maca tikelt-a yerna-d ayen nniḍen mi d-yura:

« Acḥal d abrid i k-nniy belli aql-i ttɛicey da deg Qana am akken iɛac kan baba-tney Adem qbel ad d-yexleq Rebbi seg-s yemma-tney Ḥewwa. Werǧin i d-ṣebbḥent wallen-iw deg tmeṭṭut, ulamma ssya yer da ẓerrey imdukal-iw ttcewwiṛen yer kra uwemmus n lqecc aberkan iteddun akken yekbel ad s-tiniḍ d tagut-nni n ddexxan anezẓaw², u ad d-inin muqel tameṭṭut-ihin...

 $^{^1}$ Asyafa: si tclh: ayen swayes yetthulfu yiwen, yettnermis akked ugama (tawalit, timesliwt, atg).

² Anezzaw: tanga ideg ggten iferdisen, yemseččen mlih, yeqwan... (dense).

« Maca iḍelli yeḍra-d wayen ara yeqqimen deg umezruy n Qana; ata yusa-d ihi umaswaḍ¹ n tezmert Dr Sami Ḥusni yer wurti azayez, dya tedda-d yid-s yiwet n tuzyint ur neffir udem-is, thuzz akk tamurt, tezlez-itt yef uzar. Acku netta d abyas, ur yecliɛ deg ayen qqaren wid i iḥerrṣen iman-nsen, yerna yettaf dima amek ara sen-yerr ṣṣerf i wid yebyan ad farṣen kra, armi yuyal d amedya i medden. Ur iɛeṭṭel ara ihi yekker lexber, yewweḍ imezzuyen, dya aten-a uzzlen-d akk yemrisen² yer wurti, gar iselmaden d ijenyuren d imarayen, teddun-d ttṣewwiben tikrabaḍin, ttseggimen iṭerbac yef yiqerra; lukan tezriḍ tibḥirt-nni imir, ad s-tiniḍ d kra n wurti deg Heliopolis³ ney deg Qser-Nnil.

« Yiwet akken n tlemzit deg-s, tecbeḥ, tettawi yid-s tafenda ḥlawen n Lqahira ; anef ihi i tnezruft n Qana ad tefreḥ s rriḥa-s yeṣfan... »

Dya yedduqes wul-is mi yeyra tabrat-a, imi ur s-d-yegri din ccekk yef lal n zzin-a yesheblen arrac n Qana.

D lewhayem aten-a wawalen i d-yewwin lferḥ d lğerḥ yef tikelt, ulamma yugar deg-sen lğerḥ. Yefka-tt lḥal yeɛni ad tezhu Qana d wid tt-izedyen s teḥbibt-is u ad yeqqim netta deg Lqahira la d-yeggar fell-as nnhati?

Isedda ihi ad yaru i umdakel-is u ad s-yini belli tinna yessengugin akken Qana d taḥbibt-is n wassa, d taxḍibt-is uzekka; maca iεawed yerra aḍar, seg akken yella kra deg ul-is i s-yennan tif xir ma yeffer kullec, u ad yeḍleb kan seg-s ad s-d-yeḥku fell-as imi tuklal ad d-awin fell-as awal deg sin.

Baqi ikukra ciṭuḥ, yesteqsa gar-as d yiman-is ma mačči d asyalli⁴ ara yesyalli yef teḥbibt-is!

³ D yiwet n lḥuma deg Lqahira, qqaren-as s taεrabt Miṣr-al-Jadida.

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Amaswad : win yessefqaden i wudusen izuyaz am i γ erbazen, sbiṭarat, atg. (inspecteur)

 $^{^2}$ Amris : win ixeddmen γ er hedd, γ er kra n tkebbanit.

⁴ Yesγalli yiwen: yeqqel d aγalli, am win ara tceyyeε kra n tmurt ad d-yawi sser n tmurt-iden taεdawt (espionner).

D ayen iğuzen yesni deg isudaf n tayri?

Mačči tif xir ma yeṭṭef iman-is ur tt-ireddu¹, ur yettcukku deg-s?

Maca nndama-yi i yendem taswiɛt, ur tessaweḍ ara ad tessens ayen akk irekkmen deg ul-is d iḥulfan berriken; yesṭaxer-itt ihi yef uqerru-s, yura i umdakel-is akken tuɣ i d-imeyyez deg uferfud-nni amenzu.

Mi isedda kra, tewweḍ-as-d tebrat-iḍen syur umdakel-is, yenna-d deg-s yef Σ ayda :

« Kullec ibeddel, ama deg Qana ney deg tudert-iw nekk. Ur teqqim Qana d azekka-nni kan ilem, yessewḥacen s yimi-s i d-yeldin; ur teqqim day tudert-iw d tayufi²-nni d karuh ur nkeffu. Ih, imi qqley ttekley belli yal tameddit ad d-zrey udem-nni acmamaḥ ur neffir, d-iḥeyyun ayen immuten deg terwiḥin irennu yettarra-d asirem... annay ay tecbeḥ, ay temleh!

« Tura ɛelmey d yelli-s n gma-s umaswaḍ n tezmert, ney lḥaṣun d aya i ɛelmen deg Qana s umata, ladya ilemziyen. Ččan-tt akk s wallen, yerna ahat d dderz-a yekkren ara yeǧǧen ibabaten ad asmen ciṭuḥ u ad ɛefsen yef wansayen n Ṣṣaɛid d wid tt-izedyen, akken ad ǧǧen yessi-tsen ad ffyent w'ibyun izer-itent; yerna ayen i d-yellan d nekni ara ifarṣen.

« Ur ttagad yef gma-k, imi d asaḍ³ abyas ur yettezwir ḥedd yer kra; atent-a dya wallen-iw ttɛeddint gar tiyaḍ merra akken ad d-jebdent tid-is nettat, ihi ur tettɛeṭṭileḍ ara teẓreḍ anda i t-ttrajunt tnutam⁴ i s-yeffer lmektub!»

D acu akka i d-yeqqar Merzuq yef allen-is i d-ijebbden tid-is? Tura allen-is netta anef ad d-jebdent ayen byant... ma d tid n

¹ Rdu ḥedd d turda: seyleḍ, sukkes-d i ḥedd tuccḍa ney cceṛ i yexdem (accuser).

² Ta
γufi : $si\ tcl\dot{h}$: amullu n win ur nes
εi ara yexdem neγ yettrajun kra idulen (ennui, dégoût).

 $^{^3}$ Asaḍ, isaṭṭen : win yemgaraden γ ef wiyaḍ s teb γ est-is d temqidra i yuklal γ ef wayen i d-yettḥelli (héros).

 $^{^4}$ Tanatamt, tinutam: $\it si$ $\it tclh, ayen$ i d-yettasen ur yebni hedd fell-as (surprise).

temdakelt-is, ayen ara ttwajebdent ney ara s-rrent? Wissen m'ad yili d tamuyli kan tamelsit i d-yeyra Merzuq akken i s-yehwa s ttnafxa-s d wayen i yebya? Acku werǧin i yekkis laman deg Σ ayda; d acu, ur ilaq ad yettu dayen belli amdakel-is yesɛa kra n wallen akken icebḥen, yeqwan, d tuqqsa i teqqsent wi tentimuqlen, yerna — nnig wakken — d aselmad s leqder-is, seg wid yesɛan igerdasen ɛlayen, i yettraju yimal yelhan. Uma netta d axeddam kan n menwala, d lbak kan i d-yewwi, ur s-iban kra yer zzat. Yezmer ihi lxilaf am wa ad ibeddel kra deg tayri?

Yeyli-d fell-as leḥzen d ameqqran, yuyal si layas am umyarnni awessar yesfilliten ala i ccer, yerna iḥuss s ssem n tismin yebda la d-yettruḥ seg ul-is, yesluyu-yas idammen... annay... atent-a tura tirga-s d usirem-is deg lmizan...

Maca ussan-nni kan tewweḍ-as-d tebrat syur Σayda, dya yebda la tt-yeqqar s lḥir, iɛawed-as acḥal d tikelt, yufa ur temgarad yef tmenzut-nni, ihi yekkes-as ccekk, yuyal-it-id laman, yerna yeɛreḍ acemma n ḥellu d ṭṭmana, ayen i t-yeǧǧan ad tent-yerr kan yef umdakel-is i t-igren deg lmeḥna, yessekecem-as yir aḥebbiṛ; maca tɛedda kan ssmana tewweḍ-as-d tebrat-iḍen syur umdakel, yenna-yas-d deg-s:

« Amen belli aḥulfu-nni tura mačči kan deg yiwet n tama i yella, acku allen n teqcict-nni — iwumi qqaren Σ ayda — uyalent dehhment-d gar warrac nniḍen akk iḥeḍren akken ad ḥebsent yur-i nekk. Yal m'ara iliy din, ttwaliy deg udem-is yiwen akken n lebyi d umenni i tbeqqu ad teffer s welɛab i tt-tleɛɛeb am tin ur necliɛ di kra, la qqarey deg allen-is tiririt timexfit i d-tettarra i yiznan-nni-inu ireqqen ur nessawal, delluy maḍi tikwal yef ucmumeḥ d amecṭuḥ deg imi-s, yerna ahat d nekk i d-tqessed m'akken ara tlaɛi ɛemmi-s ney ḥedd seg imecṭaḥ-nni-ines s ṣṣut ɛlayen. Ur ilaq ara ad twehmeḍ deg ayen i k-qqarey acku stḥerṣey fell-as, anda teqqel ad yi-taf din ; la tt-ttlaɛiy s ṣṣut xfifen i d-yettbinen ala

yef yicenfiren-iw ma ḥerrken, ttcewwiṛey-as s ucetki d uraju, armi yiwwas mi tella tettqeṣṣir d yiwen akken weqrur si tarwa n ɛemmi-s, sliy tenna-yas, ney tenna-d i nekk, ma tebyiḍ: « Segmi ara d-tekkreḍ kečč d atbaɛ sdeffir-i! amek ara k-teḍru ihi asmi ara uyaley?... », dya rriy-as akken ara d-tsel, nniy-as: « Ahat ur tettuyaleḍ ara!... » Awal-a yesɛa lmeɛna-s syur ilemzi ur nezwiǵ, yellan d axeddam am nekk, yerna zriy yewwi-d lḥeqq-is. Ftu-yi-tt-id ihi tura, imi d kečč kan i d ṭṭbib yessnen lesrar-iw; amek? ad kemmley ney ad s-iniy kan icaḍ-iyi ayen ɛerḍey seg tadfi¹-ya tamelsit u ad zziy s weɛrur i lemḥibba ur nḥellu s lɛeǵlan?... ma d agummu n tayri tura ata yewwa yekna-d, yettraju kan w'ara t-id-yekksen. Acu tenniḍ?... »

A ṭṭlam i d-yeɣlin... a lǧerḥ aqejjam... yeḥṣa di rrayeɛ kan i yebɣa ad yerwel ɣef ayen akka yeqqar, imi s tidet, Σayda d tin iwumi yettuɛer ad teffer lxiq-is ɣas ma teṭṭef deg iman-is telɛeb-itt ur tecliɛ; thedder akk d medden, tettlaɛi irgazen-nni ireẓnen maḍi, ttarrant wallen-is tiririt yeffren... yerna efk-as kan tiqsiḍin n zzwaǧ...

A ṭṭlam i d-yeɣlin ihi, a lehzima ineqqen... maḍi kan imi d netta i yebɣa umdakel-is ad t-yerr d rray ɣef lmerta n wul-is... ad d-yelfu yettraju seg-s ad yegzem lxiḍ-nni n tisist iɣer mazal ṭṭfent tirga-s d lehna-s. Zer dɣa atta tqejjimt! Yezmer yeɛni ad yeɛreḍ ad d-yemneɛ lehna-s ma yenna-yas tidet i Merzuq yerna yettkel ɣef tfenṭazit-is d laman-nni akked trugza iss i t-yessen. Maca yeṭṭef ɣer nnif-is i s-yugin ad yili d amattar n tmella² deg tayri, netta la iteddu s yiwen uɣeǧǧaj³ yessḍen ɣer ǧahennama n lmeḥna, am win d-imennan times; dɣa yenna ilaq kan ad yesɛeddi tayri-s deg usekyed-nni qessiḥen akk, syin ha d lǧenna

¹ Tadfi: addad deg yella, ne**y** ayen iss i yettḥulfu win iwumi ye€ğeb lḥal, i yestbennen kra... (plaisir)

² Tamella: rreḥma.

 $^{^3}$ Ayeğ
ğaj : $si\ tcl h\!\!\!/,$ leb
yi, ahulfu n win yeb
yan ney i d-icehwan kra (désir).

n laman ara d-yemlil, ha d ğahennama usettub. Daymi itebbet iman-is, yura i umdakel-is:

« Ma twalad agummu n tayri yewwa, yas kkes-it-id kan ur ttkukru, acku d ta i ddunit, win ur nxerref deg tayri yewwan, deg nndama ara yettdubu; zdem kan ihi ur tthebbir i wayen ara d-yedrun yer lebeid, tezhud s tayri deg lyerba-nni n Qana war ma tgid azekka d anezgum. Acu kan, ur tettu ara ad yi-d-txebbred s wayen akk i d-yettnulfun, imi tura uyaley s ccuq i ṭṭafarey taqsiṭ-a n tayri-k. »

S ṣṣber d layas meqqren ihi i yerja tiririt n wemdakel-is, armi iɛedda lweqt yewweḍ-as-d syur-s lkayeḍ ideg i s-yenna :

« Ṣaḥḥa deg-k a bab n leɛqel, d rray iṣuben! Xedmey a gma akken i d-tenniḍ, fkiy-as ttiɛad s ustewtew, dya ruḥey iḍelli ṣṣbeḥ yer umkan, akken tḥeyyrey gar wamek tḥeqqey d wayen ccuktey, ney ini gar layas d usirem; maca a lferḥ-iw mi tt-zriy tɛedda-d! Yerna, tidet kan, tella tkukra, tban-d texleɛ, ulamma amḍiq-nni tuy yexla, i laman kan i yeyyar deg tuffra yef allen iɛussen. Tesderyel-itt lxelɛa-nni armi ur d-terri ddhen-is mi d-tekka zzat-i, nekk yellan ḍelqey afus-iw ad s-wehhiy, nniy waqil ur yer usiher¹-iw i d-truḥ. Þefrey-tt ihi, rriy-as sslam rniy tebbtey-tt, armi d-tenṭeq la tettergigi, tenna-d:

- « Ur zriy amek i d-usiy... amek uyey awal-ik... aql-i ttergigiy...
- « Dya kksey-as yef lxaṭer, srekdey deg tergagayt-is akken la ttqeṣṣirey yid-s s wayen akk i y-id-yusan d awal iweznen, armi s-iruḥ jjiɛran, yuyal-itt-id laman.

« Aṭas i nmeslay, neɣ ahat nnig waṭas ; lukan tura ad bɣuɣ ad k-d-iniɣ acu i d-newwi merra d awal, ur ttfakkiɣ ur yi-d-keffun lesṭur. Ilaq-ak kan ad teẓreḍ belli d taqcict icebḥen, iḥeṛcen, ukud yelha iɣimi, yerna teṛwa leɛqel, ɣas akken d tin yettḥussun nezzeh, yugar ɣur-s uḥulfu-nni rqiqen d tikli deg usugen. Teẓwer dɣa amek i d-tezzi i tikti-nni n zzwaǧ, ihi ddiɣ-as deg urar, ruḥeɣ-as kan s leḥdaqa d tefses akken ur tettekkes

¹ Asiher: ttiεad

maḍi ṭṭmeɛ, ur s-ttakey kra n lweɛd ; syin mi nekker ad nruḥ kksey-as-d yiwet n tsudent tkad-iyi-d d tin i d tamenzut deg ddunit-iw seg akken ḥlawet... »

Dayen tura, tekfa targit, yemmut usirem, imi atta tsewwel-d yef ul-nni-ines yezran acḥal d lferḥ n tayri, ad d-yegri tura deg layas d lyiḍ.

Yerna ula d tibratin-is nettat ḥebsent, maca izerr akk amek ttæddin wussan-is deg tid n wemdakel-is i s-d-yettawden ta deffir ta.

Yenna-yas dya deg yiwet:

« Aql-i — s ugezzul — deg lehna tameqqrant, tuyal yur-i tudert teččur d zzhu d tumert, imi tura d Σ ayda i seiy d lwens-iw deg tasuft¹ n lyerba-yi zzayen d lweḥc-is; dya yal m'ara d-mmektiy belli ssya yer wayyur ad ttuḥermey deg tadfi-ya merra, yettcib uqerru-w si lhemm, ihi u ad tt-id-ḥemmzey yur-i s uramsu², la teddmey kan seg-s tisudan amzun jemmɛey-tent i wasmi ara d-yaweḍ beṭṭu. Ma d nettat tyill ur tettuyal ara yer Lqahira, ney ad truḥ kan akken ad d-tuyal i lebda, imi ur tezri belli seiy taxḍibt i yi-yettrajun d iseggasen-aya deg Lqahira !...

« Yerna mi d-newwed yer wakka, ad k-d-iniy; Σayda, d tidet, d yiwet si tid iwmi yefka Rebbi zzin d ṣṣifa, maca fessuset mliḥ i tikli-nni ur nemɛin; ma d taxḍibt-iw d timsetḥit ireẓnen, yetturebban akken ilaq, ihi tin ǧǧiy-tt kan i zzwaǧ yerna ferḥeɣ yess. »

Yenna-yas-d deg tebrat-iden:

« Suref-iyi kan ay amdakel yef leɛḍil-a ur nelli d lebyi-w. D acu ara k-iniy, ma d tudert telha, d tin d tin... d timlilit kan d umeslay, d usuden, d umḥemmez, d usegri n sslam, tuyaleḍ ar timlilit-nni. Tura attan terya fell-i, yal m'ara tɛeddi ssaɛa tettay-itt yiwet n tawla armi

¹ Tasuft: *si tmcq*, addad n win yellan d awehdani.

² Aramsu: tanekra iğehden n uḥulfu; tayri meqqren (passion).

qrib ad d-neṭqen leǧwareḥ-is, tini-d : ruḥ ɣer baba in'as ayen illan, aql-i d ayla-k i teyzi n leɛmer.

« D lḥeqq-is ad tmenni annect-a, meεna mačči kra n wayen imenna yiwen yewweḍ-it... »

Syin yuxal yura-d, yenna:

« Annay d tannumi i iṣewwben asmeqmeq n leḥya, terra awehhi d aqirri; atta dya tura Σ ayda tettḥawat kan teqqar ruḥ zer baba akken ad yuyal wayen yellan gar-aney deg tin n teḥlalt d usaḍuf. Tella truḥ ad tili tudert d nettat i d lehna s yiman-is lukan ur d ccwal am wa.

« Tidet kan, ufiy yur-s yiwet n lehna i yi-yeğğan tettyiḍ-iyi nezzeh, la tjerreḥ deg tefrit¹-iw. Ur i-yeɛğib wamek i tt-bniy yid-s yef leyder, nekk i d-iqesden ad tt-ğğey, acku di tilawt ur tt-ḥwağey ala i tmedhiwt-nni dehhuy yess deg lyerba-yi ibeɛden. Aḥemmel-a-inu icuba yer win kan umessikel-nni i d-itekken yal lqerr, akken ggtent tmura i ggten lewɛud-is. Yerna acu di-yenyan ay amdakel, send-iḍelli mi d-uyaley syur-s, lliy qqimey akka yer tnarit-iw s leɛqel isewweq la ttmuquley deg idlisen, taswiɛt kan atta tewlaft deg ammud n Ḥmed Cawqi, tuy ǧǧiy-tt din armi qrib ttuy-tt. D tin n texḍibt-iw, s wudem-is ucbiḥ yecrurqen, anda tura sdeffir: « Aktay n takdi² ». D ajelkaḍ n ccedda yessayen deg-i times... ad yi-yeɛfu Rebbi kan ayen yezwaren d wayen yegran a taḥbibt! Ma nniy-d ḥussey i wul yefrawes, mačči d lekdeb; fkiy dya tiṭ s tyawla yer tewlaft-nni akken dehcey, uyaley ffrey-tt yef allen, ney ahat d alleniw i ffrey fell-as, acku ikad-iyi-d imir teɛlem s wayen xedmey, txezzer-d ihi anexzur-nni ur nettaǧǧa ad ɛeddin leyrur. »

Yura-d tabrat-iden, yenna:

« Ur lliy d aqcic atrar am akken tuy nwiy, acku lukan d tidet tili ur tthabiy leyder, ad izmirey i uyurru u ad di-yishil ad tt-leebey s leḥmala

¹ Tafrit: ayen yettaǧǧan amdan ad yemḥsab d yiman-is ɣef kra n tigawt, n lamer, atg (conscience).

² Takdi : d tuṭṭfa deg tikli tamezwarut, sɣur win ur nefki afus di kra n tdukli neɣ n lehmala (fidélité).

i tullas akken i tt-leɛɛben medden s ṣbaḥ-lxir d mse-lxir. Daymi tura aql-i tmeḥḥneɣ s wul-iw yebḍan: ur yi-yeɛǧib ad rzeɣ lɛahed akked texḍibt-iw, ur hennaɣ s wayen ttafeɣ d tayri ɣur Σ ayda ur nebxil di kra armi uɣaleɣ nedmeɣ maḍi.

« Yerna tura mulley dayen, tezga tehlek-iyi tyufi; d acu, ulamma aya d ayen yettilin, ur zriy amek i d-yeɛğel... Ahat ssebba d aktay-nni n texḍibt-iw, ney ma tuy mmyey yef Σ ayda tummya n win yelluzen dya summey i yeḥlawen akk deg-s, ney maḍi, ad d-yelfu ccbaḥa-nni-ines d tisbiyt kan yeffren sser-is d leqder-is n tidet. »

Syin yenna-d:

« Tuyal temlilit lbenna ur tt-tesei, acku si tama eyiy yerna d ayen ur yi-yefki wul-iw, si tama-nniḍen, atta tezga thedder-iyi-d ala yef zzwağ, ur tberru i tecḍaḍt armi uyaley ur zriy amek ara xedmey; yettfakka dya ttiead nekni mazal-ay deg uzernen-nni ur d-nettawi d uḥraṣ ur nemein, la nerggel yef yiwen lameṛ, neṭṭalab ssmaḥ yef wayeḍ, netta kulci yefḍeḥ. »

Γer tagara yura-d, yenna-yas :

« D tikelt tamenzut ara yibey yef ttiɛad, yerna ur ttlummuy deg iman-iw; saramey kan ad tefhem belli akka dayen nekk yid-s, imi d ayen ilezmen kan tura mi newweḍ anda akken ilaq ad tefru, ha yer yeffus ney yer zelmeḍ; nekk ur yi-terri tmara ad xtirey, ur byiy maḍi; attan texḍibt-iw s ccuq i tettraju ad uyaley yerna nettat i yeɛzizen fell-i wala timcerwelt-nni tabelheddart, iwumi ur yefki Rebbi ziy ala zzin-nni anǧi¹ n lekdeb, ur nettɛeṭṭil yettufwar deg uzwu. Tagara n lḥal, ssya yer ssmana taqcict ad tuyal ansi d-tekka. »

Yeyra tibratin-a merra — tid n wemdakel-is, amenyay-is — iyer yerra ddhen akken ilaq.

¹ D anği: rb, (deg Bgayet): yezga-d sufella; nmgl: amedda.

Yella yettnay d sin iḥulfan: win n leḥzen-nni lqayen, n lyiḍ, lehzima d tismin, d keffu n usirem i t-yeǧǧan ur yestbennay kra ma yuki, ur yesgunfuy ma yeṭṭes; akked uḥulfu n wertiḥi i yeyɣaren i ttar segmi yessaweḍ uɣurru ɣer wayen akka yellan d anehzem, ternuḍ ssraya n lehna iraben...

Ur isemmeḥ ula deg yiwet si tebratin-nni ijerrden azemz n zznezla meqqren akk iyef i d-tɛedda temzi-s, dya iga-tent am tfada¹, iger-itent deg yiwet n lḥila n wuzer² i yeffer deg umkan n leḥṣan, yerja...

Tuyal tusa-yas-d tebrat wezzilen syur Σ ayda s yiman-is, la steqqar deg-s ad d-yas ad mlilen anda akken nnumen, lawan n tezwa...

Dya yeqqim kan yettxemmim axemmem-nni n win yettwayen, iwumi yejreḥ wul, armi tt-yefra d yiman-is iruḥ ihi yer umkan usiher deg tsaɛet-nni n tannumi, yerna tikelt-a ur yerji ara, yufa-tt din, temmuger-it-id s yiyallen yeldin d ucmumeḥ inuṛen; iɛuneq-itt-id dya, yessuden-itt yef yimi, akken la yettezmumug sennig wul.

Syin mi qqimen wa yer wa akken tuy nnumen ttyimin deg ussan-nni n lehna yezrin, yesla tenna-d s lferh:

— Yewwed-d baqi wass-nni!

Iεawed-d i wawal-is, yenna : « yewweḍ-d », yuɣal imuqel-itt s wallen yennecraḥen ideg ffrent lewhayem, yenna deg ul-is : « D leεğeb, ziɣ i tzemremt ad teffrem ayen iss i tḥussemt a tilawin u ad d-tesbanemt ayen ur nelli! »

Ma d nettat tențeq-d imir, tenna:

— Zemrey ad k-d-ḥesbey acḥal d tasint i yabey yef uxxam s kra yekka lweqt-a iḍulen, awer s-iɛawed kan Rebbi.

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Tafada : tiwriqin yedduklen seg ixfawen-
nsen ideg ttarran leḥsab n wussan deg useggas.

 $^{^2}$ Uzer : tanga swayes mmugen « wacciwen » n yilew ne $\!\gamma$ lfil (ivoire).

- Waqil tceyled deg lehsab armi ur tufid ad yi-d-tarud.
- Testehzayeḍ?... lukan kan ad teẓreḍ acḥal i yi-d-tettekkar tebrat akken ad k-tt-id-aruɣ! D tukerḍa kan i d-ttakreɣ iman-iw yer yiwen wemkan yeṭṭurfan deg uxxam anda ur yi-d-ẓerren warraw n εemmi... yerna ttafen-iyi-d dima, sexsaren fell-i taswiɛt, sruḥuyen-iyi isugnan-nni iqewmen, d yiḥulfan yeḥman, syin ma ifat kfiɣ-tt ur ttafeɣ ara tt-yawin ɣer lbusṭa.
 - Ihi yella yuεer-am ad teffγeḍ din...
 - Tikwal kan, ma ddiγ d εemmi.
- Amek armi ur tetteffγeḍ ṣṣbeḥ... εemmi-m ixeddem, iberdan xlan!
- Lukan xedmey akken ad terwi... netta ilemziyen n din d imelluza merra ur neswi kra, ur nessi ula d isey...
 - Akka, yah!
 - Ih, ay a ϵ ziz...
- Nekk fkiγ-asen lḥeqq... amek ara izer ḥedd udem am winnainem ur tkeččem tayri ul-is! Meɛna d acu i am-xedmen yeɛni armi tḥekmeḍ akka fell-asen s leqseḥ?

Tessusem taswiet, tuyal tenna:

- Ulac, d lumur kan akka n menwala ur ttağğan yilmezyen... mačči d kra... anef-as tura i waya... cukkey nessa ayen ylayen ugar iyef ara nmeslay...
- D ayen ibanen... d acu, aql-i sḥassfey dayen kan, imi ata i ikteb-iyi ziy ur zehhuy s tadfi-nni iḍ-a... acku d yemma i yuḍnen, ilaq ur ttɛeṭṭiley ara ad uyaley yur-s. Ad tt-neǧǧ kan ihi i tikelt nniden.
- Acu k-yuyen? Mačči akka i k-ssney! teqqareḍ-d tehlek yemma-k... yak ur tt-yuy wara... ney ilaq ad tt-tawḍeḍ tura yakan?

Imir iḥuss yebya ad yeṭṭerḍeq, ahat akken ara yifsus seg urkam yerkem yer daxel d tuhsift i yemdel; yenna lemmer kan yezmir ad yerr i uḥezzez-nni u ad t-id-yefḍeḥ akken ilaq deg tidet-is tucmit yerna ddnub ur t-yettawi, la deg tmella la zzat teydemt, imi d lḥeqq-is ma yessufey urrif yewwḍen s ajmam, yerra-d ttaṛ i wul-is yulwan ney yemḥeq ayurru d tissettet.

Maca tuy yessaweḍ yer yiwen usagen ideg ireṣṣa, yerna akken i d netta, d win irekden, ireẓnen, ur d-nesbeyyin yer berra, leɛqel i iyellben deg-s wala urrif; yerra ihi deg zzɛaf-is, yenṭeq yenna s yiwet akken n talwit weḥd-s:

— A niɣ εyiɣ, tceɣɣbeɣ, yettwaɣ-iyi lxaṭer; lukan ur xaqeɣ ad kem-zreɣ, tili ur qebbleɣ ad ǧǧeɣ yemma nettat attan teṭṭef usu... ihi ad tt-neǧǧ kan dayi assa ɣas war lebɣi... ma d tura, ax ad m-d-fkeɣ yiwen usefk igerrzen. Lḥila-yi n wuzer... d acu kan, ad ḍelbeɣ seg-m ur tt-tleddiḍ alamma telliḍ weḥd-m deg texxamt-im akken ad tfarṣeḍ tanatamt tamerbuḥt mebεid i wallen iɛussen... u ad m-d-iniɣ ar tufat ur nettḍul a taḥbibt...

