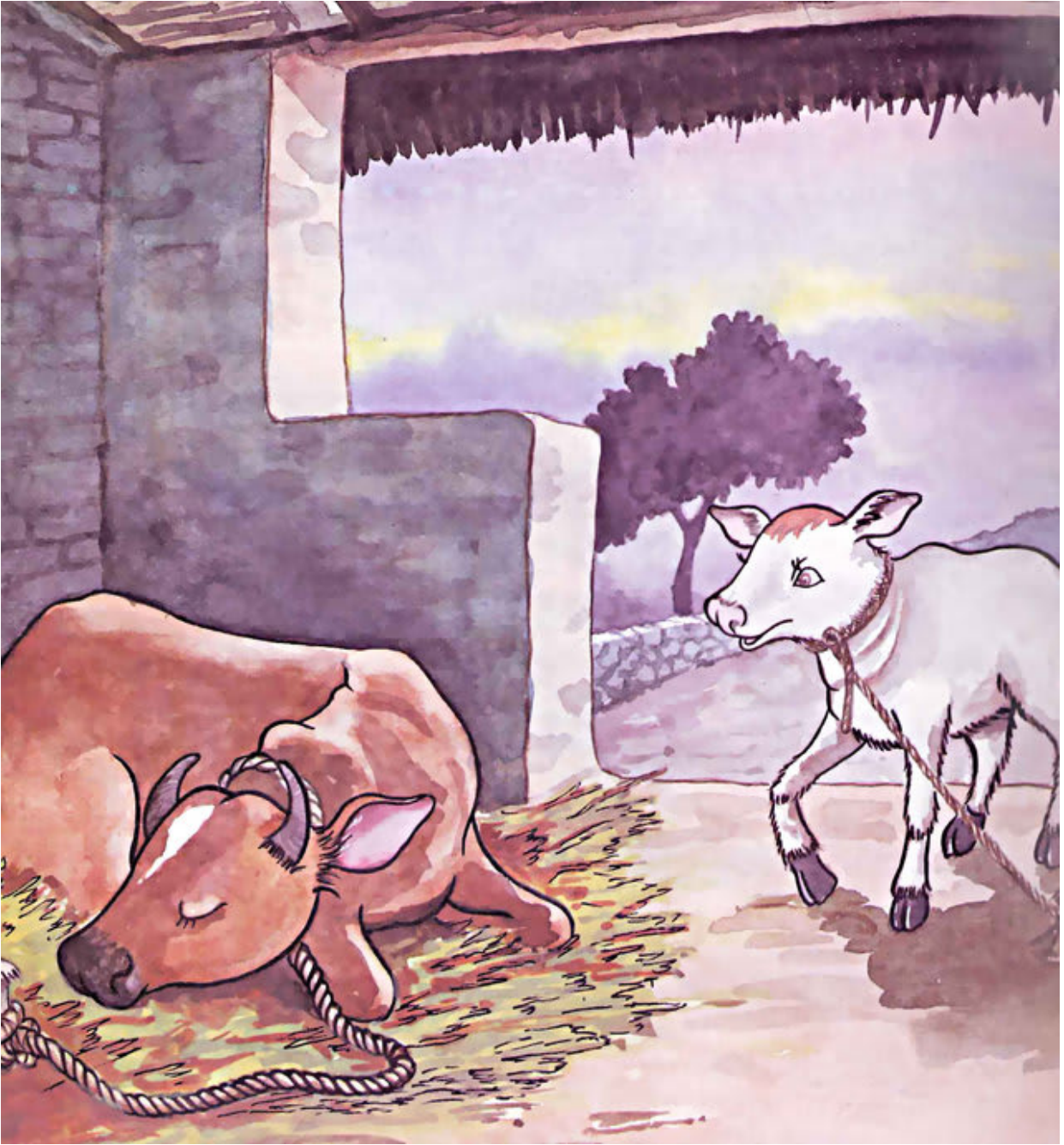


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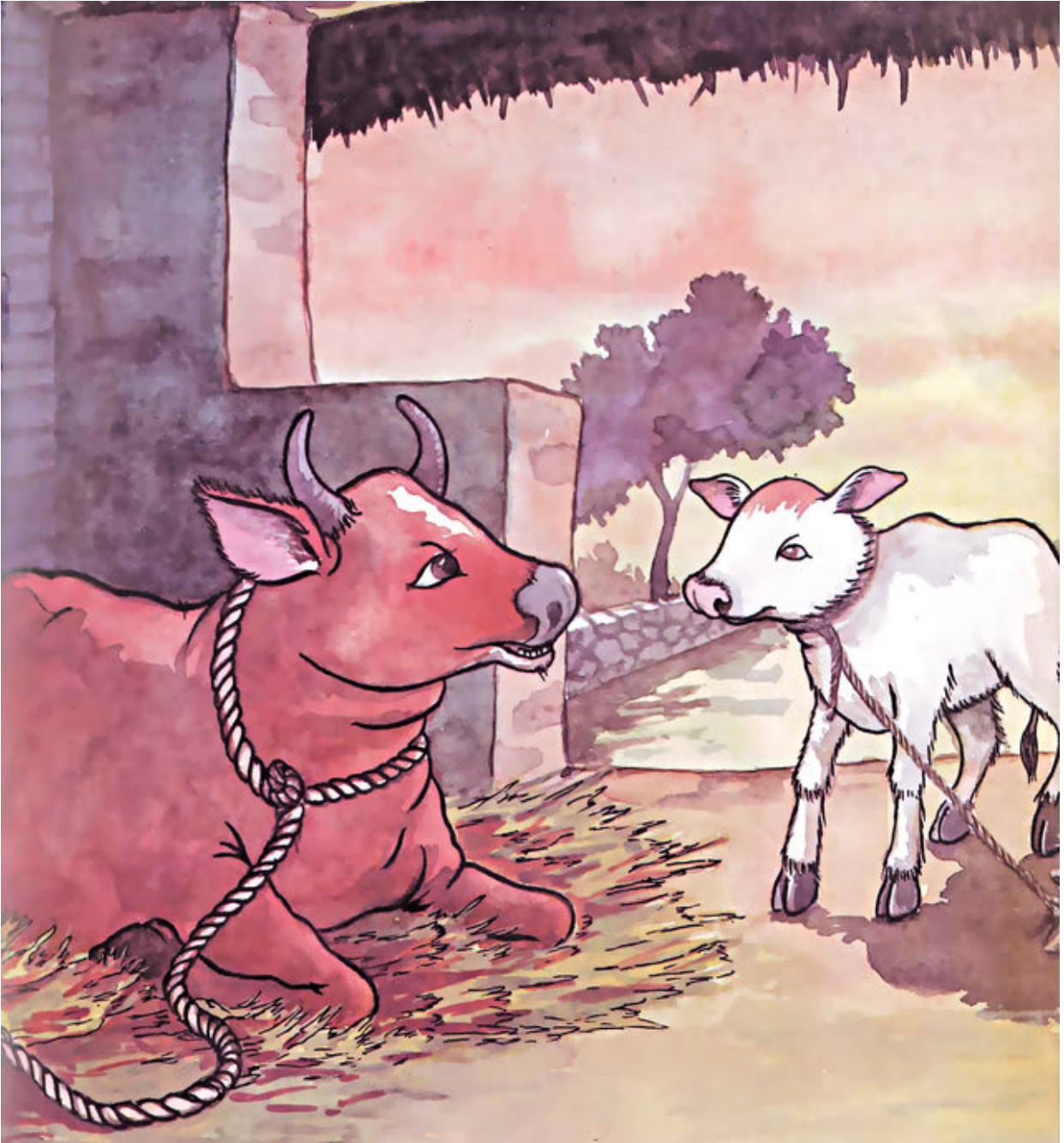
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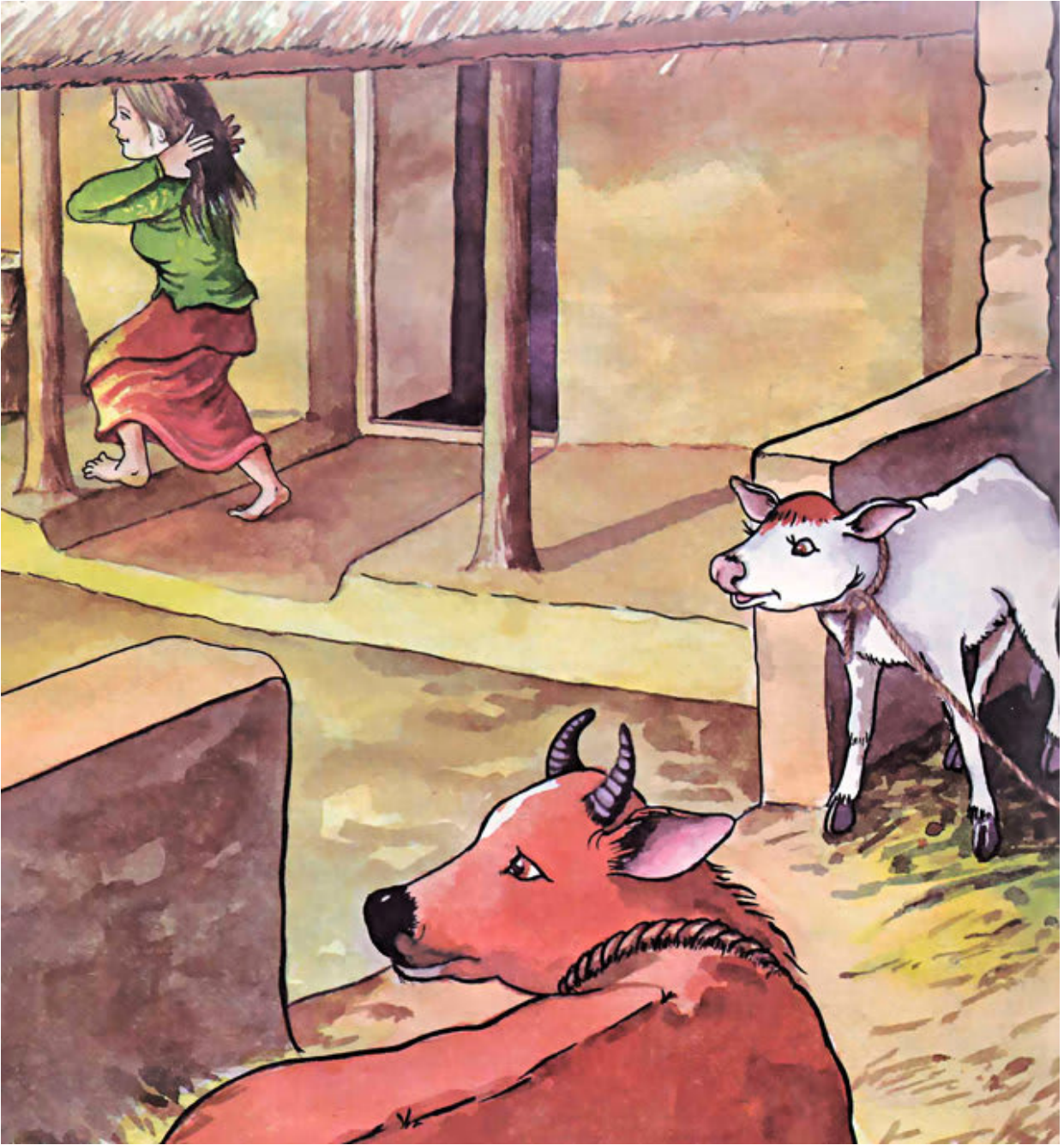
The night is gone, and the light is here. Good morning! Sleep is gone,

and hunger is here. Time for
breakfast.



Mother says, "Thuli will come. She will unleash me. Wait, my little

daughter, you may then drink my
milk."



The sun rises and the door opens.
"There is Thuli, Mother. I'm hungry!"
says the calf.



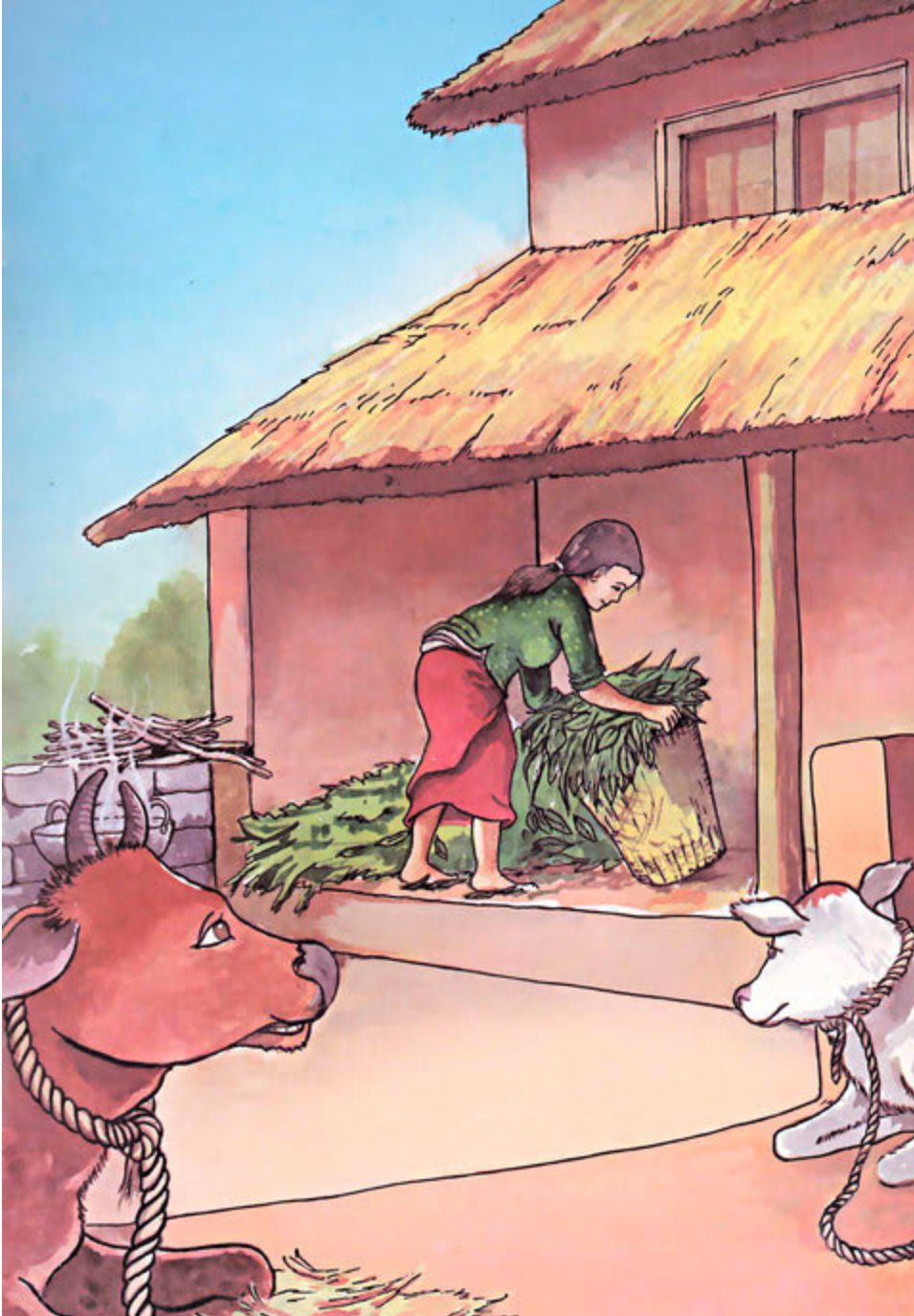
Thuli prepares the the fire to boil the feed for the cows. She hums to

herself while she works.



Thuli lights up the fire and puts the feed on top to boil. When will

breakfast be ready?



Thuli begins to fill the basket with grass for the cows. They are getting

hungrier and hungrier.



"I am getting hungrier and my heart is beating faster," says the calf. "She has

not come yet! Mother, what will we
do now?"



"Let's moo and moo and raise our heads," Mother says. "She will then

remember, and then she will come."



"Moo, moo, moo! Thuli, where are you? I am hungry! Please come here

now."



Finally, Thuli comes. She unleashes the cow and sets down the grass, and

watches while the calf suckles her
breakfast.



When the calf is full, it's time to milk the cow. Now, when is lunch?



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