FETTERED DESTINY

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Chapter 1

Ndakapetanisa maoko uku one gumbo ndichiritambisa-tambisa ndakatarisa Phiillip uyo aive achiumba mazamu maviri emajecha,one ramai vangu nerimwe ramai vaMuchanyara.

Muchanyara wacho aive akatomirawo neche kune rimwe divi ,tese tichingoshandisa maziso pakutaura nekupindurana.



Vaikuza vaive vakati vamwe kuside kwaMuchanyara vamwe kuside kwangu, vachitonyombana zvavo izvo zvaibva zvaita kuti ini naMucha tiwedzere hasha.

Muchanyarawo ainge apfumba zvibhakera, chest yakaitwawo puffed out. Maziso aive achipindurudzwa-pindurudzwa, achiti akambodzika neni okwidza neni.

Maziso edu paakasangana ,Mucha akabva afambisa muromo wake akandituka zvandisina kutonzwa .Shatisiro yaive yakaitwa face ndoyakaita kuti ndione kuti apa ndatukwa.Ndakapindurudza maziso ndikaridza tsamwa yakatondityisawo neniwo ndokupfira mate pasi.

Phillip paakangoti "Zamu ramai vaMucha iri" ,ndakabva ndakasika kuribwazha zamu racho



asati atomboenda kure nekutaura, Muchanyara achubva awedzerawo hasha. Muromo wake waiva wotamba-tamba maoko ese achidedera ndikanzwa kamoyo kangu kutomuka nemufaro nekuti ndizvo zvandaitoda chaizvo zvekuti atsamwe. Akatarisa zamu ramai vangu raive richiri rakaumbwa zvakanakisa ndikakasika kumuvhurisira maziso nekumusikiza chibhakera. Zvekuputsirwa zamu randaive ndakayamwa ndaisatombozvitendera kana kamwe chete!

Nekuzeza kunzi igwara Mucha akabhidhaira akananga pazamu ramai vangu ndikamugamuchira achiri kure ndokubva tatotanga kurovan vanhu vakatangawo kukuza zvaitipa nyemwe rekuramba tichirovana.Ndakazongonzwa ndarohwa mavhiri ndikanodonha mujecha ,Muchanyara kwave kuita zvekundigara matunduru akatanga

kundirova kumeso kwega kwega.

Ndakanzwa kuchema kwaZvisinei, kamunin'ina kangu kandaiva ndabatisawo shamwari yangu ainzi Chido, moyo wangu ukarwadza.Kaive ne2years kaZvisi kacho uye ndini ndaiwanzogara ndiinako since mai vedu vaive vasiri kunyatsozwa zvakanaka.

Ndakaita simba ndikabata ruoko rwaMuchanyara kwave kumuti ngaa nemazino akatanga kubowa.Handina kusiya kusvika tazorandutsirwa nemwana waSahwira wababa vedu ainzi Ishu.Akangoita zvekutimhura nezijamhu ,achiti "Simukai apo." kwakutanga kudzinga team rese raive raunganira dhudhu iri.

"Ndichakubata zidofo remunhu! Ndosaka mai vako vasingadiwe nababa!" Muchanyara



akakwamatata achindinongedzera ndikati "Ndinokudzemura izvezvi so, ndosaka mai vakowo vakaitwa zvekukechwa nemudzonga wenyama paBhora apo!"

"Baba ndoda kuvaudza Zvamada! Ndinovaudza chete." Akapopota ave kutochema ndikati "Enda unovaudza ndosaka uchiita basa rekubikira imbwa!"

Ndakatora Zvisi aive oramba achichema ndikatanga kumusvusvudzira uku misodzi ichibuda.Mucha aiva onangawo kumba kwavo achiita zvekubhidhaira achiti akambofunga zvimwe zvekutukirira ombomira otanga kutukirira.

"Hauna kukuvara?",Chido akazobvunza achindizunza jecha raive mumusoro ndikati

"Haa handina, handei."

Haana kuita nharo akanditambidza jira ndikasungirira mwana wamai vangu kumusana ndokutsiga zidish rangu raive nehembe dzandaive ndabva mukuwacha tikatanga kufamba naChido.Shungu dzandaive ndisati ndanyatsopedza dzaimbondibata ndichifamba kudaro ndombodzibuditsa nekuchema kusvika tatosvika kumba.

Takazopesana naChido ave kuenda kumba kwavo ini ndichaendawo kwedu.Ndaitoziva kuti baba vakangouya chete ndaisvikorohwa nenyaya yekurwa naMuchanyara iyi.

Sezvineiwo ndakasvika amai vatobvawo kwavaive vaenda kumaricho kwakutanga kuvarondedzerera zvese ndichichema.



"Zvamada haunzwe iwewe, ndogara ndichikuudza kuti Muchanyara mupengo! Haana kutosiyana namai vake ipopaye.Unotozviziva ipapa kuti baba vako vakazvinzwa izvi iye haarohwe vanouya kuzotsika iyewe pano!"

"Mama Muchanyara anodenha."

"Akudenha zvinengei?Unozviziva kuti anenge achingoda kukurovesa iye haatorohwi ipapaye nababa vako!"

"Mama Muchanyara akanonyora zita rangu padombo rekwamai Modias riye."

"Zvine basa rei?"

Ndakabwaira-bwaira tumisodzi twese twaive mumaziso kwakubva twanyatsobuda ndikanzi "Unochemei ipapa?Ndati zvine basa rei?"

"Mama akanyora zita rangu nenhunguru, zvakanyatsoita white kunge pakaiswa pendi paruware paye.Kundinyora kuti Zvamada vs Peter manje ,ndinodanana naPeter here inini?"

"Unorwadziwa nei kana usingadanane naye Peter wacho?"

"Zvinobhowa mama!"

"Nditori nebp dzangu kudhara Zvamada usandistresse ,ezvi makumbo angu akazvimba.Kana zvanetsa washeni yacho unoiitira zvako pano ,zvekurukova wosiya."

Ndisati ndatopindura takabva tanzwa kamuridzo kandakaziva kuti ndekababa vangu. Vaigara vachidaro nekuti vaive munhu aifamba nedanga rembwa dzavo. Vaive muvhimi and imbwa dzavaive nadzo dzacho dzaive dzakawanda.

Seipapa dzakabva dzaita kumwararira nemusha wese muridzi akazosarosvika idzo dzatozorora kare.

"Sekai mhanyira baba vako", mama vakadaro kune munin'ina wangu wandaisiira uyo akabva atomhanya kwaiuya nababa kwacho.

Kwaingove kumhanya nekusvikomira mberi kwavo chete kwaaiita.Baba vacho vaisatombomusimudza kana kumuvhurirawo zino sezvinoitwa nevamwe ana baba. "Zvamada!" vakasvika nekundidaro baba ndikacheuka ndichiti "Baba", kukanzi "Ipa mwana kuna mai vake ndoda kumbokuzvindikita! Hindava usinganzwe iwe?"

"Baba Precious mambonzwa here nyaya yacho?" mama vakademba-demba vakapindurwa kunzi "Ndiwe unenge uchifurira mwana iwewe nenyaya yako yeshanje!"

"Ndanga ndiriko kurukova kwacho here ini?",mama vakadaro vachizvibaya pachifuva .

Baba vakaita sekunge vasina kutonzwa zvavaive vabvunzwa zvacho ndokubva vatonditendeukira vachiti,"Zvamada!", nevoice rizere nechichidziro ndikachimbidzika

kutoburutsa Zvisi uyo akabva angomhanyawo kuna mama.

Baba vangu vaiti kana hasha dzabata vaisakusiya.Ndaimbonzwa vachipopoterwa nagogo ,amai vavo vachinzi vaive neshavi rehuvhimi.Hanzi ndiro raiitisa munhu hukasha hwakadaro nekuda kungorova-rova vanhu.

Kupera kwegore kwega kwega taitoziva kuti vaitobikirwa doro voitirwa bira.

"Enda unozvitemhera shamhu yako tione", ndakavhundutswa nevoice ravo raisatorambika ndikasimuka ndokunotemha zijamhu remuhabhurosi kwakuuya kuzovapa.Hapana kuvatiza kwandaigona kuita nekuti ndaingozosairirwa imbwa ndobatwa nyaya yacho yobva yawedzera huremu.

Vakatambira shamhu ndokumboitarisa kwakuzoti "Manga muchirwirei?" ndikatanga ndatarisa mama avo vaive voita sekunge vanoda kutochemawo ndikapindura ndichiti "Muchanyara akandinyora kuti ndodanana naPeter kudombo rekwamai Modias,saka ndangomubvunza ini baba iye kwakutanga kutondinyomba."

"Wave kuita zvevakomana ka?"nyaya yakandipandukira zvino ndikati "handizvizive ini,kunyepa kwake baba!"

"Waziva sei kuti ndiye akanyora?"

"Ndakaudzwawo naGretwin waanobva naye kuchikoro."

"Ndizvo zvandinoda kukurovera izvozvo!"

Havana kuzopedza nguva vakabva vandipfugamisa mberi kwavo ndikatanga kubhurwa naro zijamhu.Ndakatanga ndichademba nezita ravo kupedzisira ndave kungoshinyira ndichisiya vachipedza shungu dzavo dzese.

Imbwa dzavo dzaive dzakuhukurawo nekoko nekuona vatenzi vari pahasha.I think kwaitova kubvunza kuti "Atenzi toruma munhu here?", nekuti dzaisada kuvaona vachinetsana nemunhu.

Dai pasina mbuya vangu vakazouya kuzotobata mwana wavo zvimwe dai ndakaurawa .Vakasvika vachiti "Musadaro kani mwanangu", kwave kuita zvekudetemba vari kure vachizeza kuzobatanidzwawo ipapo ndichibva ndazosiiwa.

"Aiwa mwanangu hamurove mwana kudai! Munomukuvadza uyu Zvamada ,haikonai kudaro zvenyu.Musikana atokura kauyu achada here kugara achirohwa?"

"Haanzwe uyu ndosaka ndichimurova, anenge achifurirwa naamai vake."

Amai vangu vaive vangoti zii zviye zvekuratidza kuti vaive vapererwa. Zvaitooneka kuti moyo wavo uri kurwadza and it broke my heart kuvaona vakadaro.

Baba vakatakurana nembwa dzavo vachibva vangobuda vasina kuoneka vachinanga kwavaNyachide vavo mai vaMuchanyara.

Gogo vakasara vachinditi "Aiwa siyana naye

Muchanyara hauone kuti ane mhepo?"

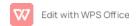
Ndakashaya simba rekupindura ndikangokwidza nekudzikisa madzihwa neshungu.

Vakaendera vachiti "Hapana chaunobva Zvamada nekuti wanyarara",ndikati "Gogo baba vakandivenga ava, ndoshaya kuti ndakavatadzirei inini", ndakapedzisira ndaita zvekuhwihwidza ndichizvirova-rova pachest .

Vakatura zibefu gogo ndokuzoti "Chinyarara kani Magumbo", vachindibhabhadzira kumusana.

Ndakamboti hwihwidzei mbijana ndokuzosimuka ndikagamhina ndakananga muroom mandairara.

Gogo vakambotaura namama ndokuzoita



zvekutodaidzira vari panze vachiti "Ndava kuenda ini Zvama iwee, chirega kuchema ugozotarisawo mai vako vasiri kutonzwa zvakanaka ava."

Ndakapukuta maziso ndikati "Horaiti gogo",ndikavanzwa vave kufamba vachienda kumba kwavo uko kwaive kusiri kure.Taigara pamusha mumwe chete nanagogo vangu.Musha wacho waive wakakura zvekuti taitombofamba mbijana kuti tisvike kwagogo.

Taive takaganhurwa neminda pakati pedu .Mai Mucha nemhuri yavo vaigarawo kumhiri kwataitoganhurwa nerukova.Kumaraini kwedu vaisawanzokusvika zvavo, gogo nanatete ndivo vaiwanzoenda kumhiri kwavo ikoko kunovaona.

Ndakazobuda mumba ndanzwa Zvisinei



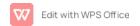
kachichema. Moyo wangu waienda kure pese pandaikanzwa kachichema, hameno maybe it was because ndaigara ndiinako nguva zhinji. Vamwe vezera rangu vaigona kuda kundiseka vachindidenha nenyaya yekuswera ndakabereka mwana asi nekuzvijaira I didn't even mind. Ndakabuda ndikaenda kukitchen kwaive namama ndikavaona vari busy nepoto yesadza.

Ndakasvikotora mwana kwave kutanga kumusvusvudzira kusvika sadza raibva.

Ndakangodyisa mwana chete ini ndikatadza kutodya nekudumbirwa kwandaive ndakaita.

Amaiwo vakangoti nyobvo-nyobvo ndokutorisiyawo ndikavati "Hamuna kudya wani mama?" ndikaita sekunge ndatovadenha.

Vakatanga kuchema zvaisiririsa ndikapinda busy yekuvanyaradza.Ndaitoziva kuti pakadai



vaibva vatanga kutochema nenhamo dzavowo dzekusiiwa nemurume.

Vakazonyarara patove paye vachibva vatongosimuka nekutonanga kunorara,ndikasarawo ndichirongedza maplates ataive tadyira ndokuzoenda kunorara.

Ndakarara zvekufa chaizvo nemarwadzo ekurohwa ndikazotomutswa ave makuseni namama vachiti "Ndichambosvika pachipatara apa", ndakabuda mumba ndikati "Muri kunzwei?", zvikanzi "Makumbo aye ari kungozvimba Zvamada,wosara wotarisa vana ava handiti?"

Ndakagutsurira musoro ndikazoti "Ndokuperekedzai here?", zvikanzi "Sara ndiri kubuda natete Gire ,vari kuendawo kumagrosa



vanoda kunotenga zvinhu zvavo.Ukapedza basa pano wonodongorerawo gogo vako vari vega uko ana Tashinga vapinda makuseni nhasi."

Ndakagutsurira musoro zvekare ndikavatarisa vachibuda. Vaiita zvekuzvuva makumbo aive akazvimba kuita mazitanda chaiyo ndikaguma ndadzunguza musoro.

Ndakasara ndikaita basa rese repamba kwakuzokwidzawo kwagogo ndikanoitawo basa rese since vezera rangu vaigara ikoko vese vaive vaenda kuzvikoro.

Mama havana kutora nguva vakadzoka vachiri kungodhonzana nemakumbo avo ayo aive awedzera kuita mazitanda,ndikavati "Zvanzii?", zvikanzi "Iii hanzi ndiende kwaMurehwa chaiko bp yakakwira.Zvino handina kana ne cent chairo, gogo vako vandanga ndichitemba vati



mari yese vaipa tete Grace. Ndapererwa ini!"

"Ko kufonera sisi Pure?", I insisted.

Vakatanga vambotura zibefu ndokuzoti "Wotombozama uri iwe zvimwe anganzwa, inini haasi kutoda zvekutaura neni Pure iyeye!"

"Nekuti?", ndakabvunza ndikangopindurwa nekurovaniswa kwemaoko.

Ndakatora phone yaive pamakumbo pavo ndikakwereta airtime kwave kufonera Precious wacho uyo akambotora nguva asina kudaira. Yakazodairwa ndapera chido ndikatanga nekungoti "Sisi mai varwara kuno, makumbo ari kuzvimba izvezvi vatonzi vaende kuHospital asi vashaya mari." Akambotora nguva akanyarara Precious wacho kwakuzoti "Kurwara kwei?" ndikadzokorodza kuti "Makumbo akazvimba hanzi ibp" ,akaridza chikwee chakandivhundutsa ndokuzoti "Mazvokuda ayo! Ndisiye zvangu ini,handina kana mari ipapa nditori nemwana ari kuda kubhadharirwa fees kuchikoro uko. Mama havatonzwe kana kamwe chete zvako iwe Zvama, havanzwe!"

"Sisi" ndakaita zvekukakamira ndatoshamiswa nezvavaive votaura zvacho ivo vakatoenderera vachiti,"Ndakavaudza kuti ikoko handisi kutouya ,ende for sure handitouye kwaGoso kwenyu ikoko kusvika kwarongeka! Vanonyadzisa fani amai, vari kuda kuramba vachingoitwa makorokoto nemukwasha nezera ravo iroro? This time handina kana napkin zvaro randiri



kuvapa,munoona zvekuita ikoko!"

End of Chapter Chapter 2

Ndakaita kupererwa nezvandaiudzwa naPrecious ndikambotarisa phone ndichiti zvimwe ndafonera munhu asiriye kwakuona ndisina chandatokanganisa pakatonzi 'Precious.'

Ndakashaya chekupindura ndikaramba ndakangoshama muromo.

Ndichakangoshama kudaro ndakazonzwa phone



yave kuti dududu, ndikaziva kuti kamari kandaive ndakwereta kaive kapera.

Ndakatura mafemo ndichibvisa maziso paphone ndikatarisa mama avo vaive vakatonditarisawo vachiratidza kuti vainge vakatomirira mashoko angu.

Nyaya nenhumbu yavaive nayo yakandinzwisa hasha but semwana hapana zvandaikwanisa kuitawo kuna amai.

Precious aive avaramwawo nenyaya yenhumbu iyoyu saka kuti ndizovaramwawo ndirini munhu wawaitemba zvaive zvisingaite.

Taive takamboita dambudziko mai vachiri nenhumbu yaZvisinei .Baba vaiuya kumba wovatuka vachivaudza hudofo hwavo hwese. Worse pavakazozvara mwana musikana, vakachiona amai vangu.Ndaive mudiki zvangu



ipapo asi nhamo yataitamba ndaitoiona uye yaindirwadza.

Ndaiona sekunge kwaive kutozvarira vana nhamo chaiyo kwaiita amai vangu and ndaigara ndakapika kuti handidi kuzoitawo saizvozvo.

Ndaingozviudza kuti ndikangowana mari ndaizongoita hupenyu hwekuchengeta vana vamai vangu chete nekuvaendesawo kuchikoro kwandaive ndatadza kuenda.

"Sorry zvako Zvama." mama vakadaro nezwi raizhezhera ndikazvishingisa kuvati "Asi nei muchidaro?", zvikanzi "Yaiva mistake kani Zvama."

"Ndizvo zvamaitaura futi pana Zvisi,hamuone kuti kushandiswa kwamunenge muchiitwa? Tinovapei vana vacho?" "Zvama ndati sorry wani!"

"Sorry haibatsire mama!"ndakadaro ndave kutochema ivo vachibva vatarisawo rimwe divi kwakutanga kupukuta-pukuta kumeso.

Dai ndiine zvivindi ndaida kutombovabvunza kuti vaimboita zvekuita sei chaizvo nababa vangu nekuti hapana zuva randakambovaonawo vachiwirirana zvekuti ndingatoti vaitoitawo rudo.

Pese paiuya baba yaigara ingori herere-,herere tese totozofema kana vachinge vabuda.

Tainge takatonzwa futi nemakuhwa kuti baba vaive vakatoudza mai Muchanyara kuti vakarambana namai vangu.Hanzi vaitoti Zvisinei uyu aive asitori mwana wavo.Pese pavaiuya kumba kwedu vaingonzi vari kufambira vana pamwe nekunoona amai

vavo, mai vangu vachinziwo vari kugarira vana.

"Chinyararai mama." ndakazodaro ndichivabhabhadzira vachibva vambokotamisa uso hwavo vakazvivhara nehembe ndokuwedzera kuhwihwidza.Mapendekete aiita kuoneka kutamba-tamba zviye zvemunhu anenge ari kuchema neshungu ndikapedzisira ndazovasiyawo vakadaro.

Pave paye ndipo pavakazoti "Wadzoka waita mwana mudiki Zvama, zvimwe zvacho kuti ndikuudze kuti zvakazofamba sei zvinotondinetsa,ndinenge ndisingatodewo kuwanza vana."

"Munenge muchida kuzvarira baba mwana mukomana?"

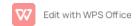
"Hazvisizvo Zvamada."

"Ndizvo ndinozviziva hangu.Kana ivo vasingatione sevana vasiyei vakadaro, hamufe makavafadza nekuti already vakatoitirwa vanakomana vaviri namai Mucha.Zvinondirwadzawo mama kana imimi muchitiona setisina chiyamuro."

"Kwete kudaro kani Zvamada, ndimi hama dzangu imimi vana vangu,unozviziva wani kuti handitogone nemi Zvamada.

Dai musipo ndairaramirei zvangu?"

Misodzi yakadyarana mumaziso mangu ndikakasika kuupukuta ndokugadzirisa izwi ndikati "Saka toita sei? Tarisai makumbo enyu



zvaari kuramba achiita."
"Ndapererwa ini Zvamada, zvikwereti hazvizod kuramba zvichingowanzwa."
"Ko mari yamakaita maricho kwaSabhuku iya makaiitisei?"
"Ndakatenga tumafleece twandakaisa mumba umu."
"Asi nhumbu yacho yatove padhuzesu?"
"Manje manje ipapa."
"Zvino makanyoresa?"

"Handina ini Zvamada."

"Zvazvakaoma! Saka maisada kutondiudza?"

"Ndaitotya kuzopopoterwa Zvamada."

"Ko baba vari kuti chii?"

"Havasi kuda kutozvinzwa izvozvo, mwana wacho vakatomuramba hanzi haasi wavo."

Ndakaridza tsamwa ndokumboti zii mbijana ,ndikazoti "Kuchipatara kuti murege kukuenda hazvitobude, nekuti mukaona manzi endai kuHospital vanenge vatokutadzirirai pakapatara kadiki aka. Regai inini ndimhanye kwambuya Ano ndinokwereta kamari mbijana kekuti muende kwaMurehwa ,ndinozonoshanda zvangu pasina mubhadharo."

Vakangonditarisa ndokugutsirira musoro ndikasimuka ndichiti "Yekunyoresa tozoona kuti tingadii."

Handina kuzomirira kugutsurira kwavo ndakabva ndangonhonga mapush angu aive pamusiwo ayo andakawana akatodambuka, kwakumbotsvage wire nekumagadzira ndokuzobuda.

Kwambuya Ano kwacho kwaisatombove kure. Vaigara kudhuze nebustop uye ndivo vandaimbonobatsira msbasa epamba kumba kwavo vachindipawo kamari kana chikafu.

Ndakasvikoti "Gogoi", ndichiri kure ndikadairwa nemukomana wavo aivabatsirawo kuona



zvemombe neminda achiti "Svikai."

Ndakasvika ndikamuona achitoburutsa zvigubhu zvake zvemvura kubva mubhara ndikati "Hesi Mike." zvikanzi "hesi kani Zvamada, nhasi wakasiyepi kahandbag kako?"

"Iwee kasara namama, ko mbuya varipo here?"

"Vabuda", akadaro achiseka ndokuwedzera oti "Vaende Harare!"

Face yangu yakabva yatouna-una pasina kana nguva ndikati "Hiiii Mike sure here?" atokaseka zvake ndokuti "Bhaizi, mbuya varimo but vari kuda kutobuda zvavo." Handina kuzomirira kuudzwa zvimwe ndakabva ndatonanga padoor pemba yavo ndikati "Mbuya mamukasei?"

Vakadaira vachiti "Ndinengi? Zvamada?" I giggled ndikati "Ehee", kukanzi "Pinda wagona wauya iwee."

Ndakavaona vari mubishi kurongedza hembe dzavo mumonarch ndikati "Kwave kuda kutoenda Harare here uku?"

"Ndave kuda kutoenda ,ko muchato uya zve wandakakuudza wadongorera.Ezvi ndatofonerwa nemuzukuru wangu ari kuuya kuzonditora achinditi atova pa44 apo, apa ndanga ndisati ndatombodii! Munhu wacho iyeye anopopota hake akasvika pasina chandaita."

"Saka matopedza?"

"Ehee nditarisire mapiritsi angu ,urongedze muhandbag mangu umu,mabag wofanoabuditsa panze."

Ndakaita saizvozvo vakazodaidzira ndave panze kuti "Kwamuka sei kumba?", ndikati "Mbuya kumba hakuna kumira mushe."

Vakaita zvekubuda panze zvikanzi "Hanzi chii?" ndikavatsanangurira zvehurwere hwamai pamwe nekuzovaudza zvandaive ndafambira zvemari vachibva vati "Inga zvakaoma, apa handina kana cent unoziva! Ipapa ndakapa mai Vanessa kamari kandaive ndakasungirira akafanotungamira kuHarare atonzi nambuya

vake akasire anogadzirwewo nzwara nemusoro.Zvino unomuziva mai Vanessa ,ndakamupa yebhazi iye kwakubva andibiira futi imwe

yandaiva ndasara nayo! Ndofunga anongoti chembere haizive mari iyi."

"Zvamai Vanessa vakomana, kufarira muchato here kunopa kudaiso?"

"Haa muzukuru wangu ibasa,svinu chairo!
Manje manje ndakabva kumurovesa
nehanzvadzi yake nenyaya dzake dziye
dzekwaBhora kwaakambonoita two days,apa
andiparamurira futi zvimwe! Ndoramba
ndichingorovesa mukadzi mukuru?"

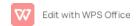
"Haa zvakaoma zvamai Vanessa."

Takamboitaura nyaya yamai Vanessa avo vaive muzukuru wavo wavaigara naye.Vaive vakangomitiswa vaine kamwana kavo one.

Pave paye ndipo pavakazoti "Wotomira kusvika hanzvadzi yamai Vanessa asvika ndotomunyepera kuti uri munhu wechikwereti ndiko kuti mari yacho itobuda. Kuti mai vako vasaende kuchipatara hakutoite,bp yakatoshata zvisingaite."

Munhu wavaimirira wacho haana hake kuzotora nguva yakareba ,akabva azosvika.

Ndaitofunga kuti aive achiuya nebhazi kwave kuzoona pamba pachitosvika mota yandisina kuziva zita rayo. Yakasvikomiswa payard kumberi kukaburuka murume nemukadzi kumashure kukabudawo mukomana.



Mbuya Ano vakamhanya vakasvikohugger zvese murume nemukadzi kamwe chete vachiti "Titambirei,nhaiwe Siddy hautaure kuti mbuya ndinouya nemuenzi?"

Ainzi Siddy wacho akabva adairawo achiti "haasi muenzi uyo, nhaiwe uri muenzi?"

"Handisi muenzi", mukadzi akapindura ,hameno zvavakabva vazevezerwa nambuya Ano vese vakabvaruka kuseka.

Ini ndaive ndangomirawo ndakayeverwa nevanhu vekuHarare.

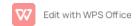
Nezvandaive ndakaita ndaive ndakutongoda kutonhonanga kumba asi nepandaive ndiri zvaisatoita.

Mbuya vaAno vakafamba vakanomhoresa mukomana wekuburuka kumashure vachiti "Hesi Malcom", iye kwakuti "Gogo bhoo?", achivagwinha-gwinha ruoko zvaiita kuti vaseke vachiyuwira kurwadziswa nyama dzavo.

Vese vakazopinda mumba ,umo mandakazoteverawo kwakusvika nekumhoresa vaenzi ,ambuya Ano kwakuita maintroduction acho vachiti "Uyu anonzi Zvamada,muzukuru wangu wekuno." vanhu vese vakagutsurira misoro ivo kwakuendererawo vachiti "Zvamada ava vazukuru vangu vana vambuya Juli, ava ndobaba namai Julian vacho."

Vese vakaseka pakanzi baba namai Julian apa ,mbuya Ano kwakunongedzera mukomana aiva asaririra vachiti "Iri ndiro gotwe kuvakomana, ndiye anosiirawo mai Vanessa."

Takaitana matafara kuzivana ndichibva ndazobuda kwakuenda paiva



pakagara Mike uyo aive achitoyeva zvake mota yaive yapakwa mberi kwake.

Pfungwa dzaitoratidza kuti dzaitove kure chaiko ,ndikatosvika ndichimubhabhadzira ndichiti "Uchatenga yako",akaita kakuvhunduka kwakuti "haa iwee chivhuzhi chakapenga ichi."

"Chakanaka kani."

Mbuya Ano nevaenzi vavo vakamboti garei mumba mbijana , ndikazonzwa ndave kudaidzwa ndikasimuka ndokumhanya mumba.

Ndakasvikopfugama pasi zvikanzi nambuya Ano, "Zvama, isirawo vazukuru vangu tea."

Muromo mumwe chete ndakabva ndatoti "Ehoi mbuya", kwave kutosimuka nekunanga kukitchen.

Lucky moto waive uchiri wakabaka, uye tin

remvura yekubikisa raitove pamoto.

Semunhu aiwanzoshanda pamba apa hazvina kundinetsa ndakaboilisa mvura kwakutogadzira tea. Ndichangopedza kugadzira ndakaona mumvuri wemunhu pamusiwo mumba mukavharira nekunhuwirira kwandakaziva kuti kwaisave kwaMike.Kwakaita kuvharira kitchen yese.

Ndakasimudza musoro kwave kutoona ari muzukuru wambuya Ano mudiki wacho wavainge vati anonzi Malcom.

He smiled ndokunditi "Uri kuda kubatsirwa?", ndikagutsurira musoro achibva atotakura teapot ndikateverawo shure ndakatakura macup nechingwa.

Akapinda maive nevanhu ndikateverawo ndichinogadzikira vanhu chikafu ,baba Julian



kwakuti "Aaa chingwa here nhaai gogo?", zvikanzi "Ndicho chiripo Siddy iwee, dai magara mataura kuti muchada kumboita zvekudya ndaigara ndabika mutakura."

"Inini chingwa handidye, I will have plain tea."

"Neni handitochide ndototengera Mike, Zvama uyu ndiye anotombondibikira zvake chimodho.Haiwa anochigona zvekuti unoti ikeke."

Ndaive ndakungotambisa nzwara ndakatsikitsira pasi, pandakazosimudza musoro kwakuona Malcom akatondiyeva slightly biting his buttom lip.

Ndisati ndatarisa pasi akabva atonditsonya ndikashaya pekupinda nekunyara.

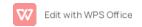
Hana yaive yakutorova zvandisina kunzwisisa ,ndikatozobudamo ndave kutonzwa kutsva.

Ndakadzokera paive naMike tikangoenderera mberi nekutaura nyaya dzemota. Vanhu vaive mumba vakatozobuda zvavo patova paye.

Vakarongedza zvinhu zvavo mumota mbuya Ano kwakuzoti kuna baba Julian ,"Siddy dondipawo ka\$20 chete." zvikanzi naSiddy wacho "Yei?"

"Ndine chikwereti chamai Zvamada che\$20 ,zvino handina kana mari sisi vako vakandinhongera kamari kangu kandaive ndasara nako mumba umu."

"Munonyanya kumusekerera mai Vanessa iyeye gogo!" vakapindira baba Julian vachibata-bata



homwe dzavo dzese. Vakambobuditsa wallet vakasikiza kuivhura ndokuzoridza tsamwa vakati kuna Malcom" Tarisa mari mumota umo, I think \$20 inokwana."

Malcom ndiye akazonotora mari iye kwakudzoka achinditambidza ndikatyora muzura ndichiti "Maitabasa." zvikanzi nambuya vaAno "Zvama dai watonodaidza mai vako ka tanovasiya maMurehwa umu zvaitovaitira nyore."

Baba Julian vakada kucomplaina vachiti vadyiwa nenguva vakanzi nambuya Ano "kana wakanonoka stereki Siddy ka, enda hako ndinotevera."

Havana kuzoita nharo vakabva vangotarisa nguva dzavo pawatch yaive muruoko ndokudungamidza kunogara paveranda



nemukadzi wavo.

Ndakamhanya kunodaidza mama avo vandakasvikira vatozvambarara zvavo pamumvuri.Ndakavabatsira kugadzirira tikananaidzana kuenda kwambuya Ano uko kwavakasvika nekutopinda muroad.

Takasara takatarisa mota naMike ndikazoti "lii rega ndiende kumba Mike ndinoona vana",zvikanzi "lwee ndasiirwa message yako ka!"

"Nani?", ndakadaro hana yakutorova zvikanzi "NaMalcom", ndakaramba ndakamuti ndee achibva ati "Hanzi arikudzoka next week saka anoda kuzokuona, anenge atapirirwa newe chete mukomana wacho uyu."



Ndakaita zvekukwiridza mapendekete mudenga ndichiti "Aaa!", zvikanzi "Haa idzi dzimunhu bhoo manje, dzogara muHarare umu,unenge watopinda Zvamada!"

End of Chapter

Chapter 3

Pauline

Ndaitove pakati pekuona tv ndiina Sekuru baba Mona ,hanzvadzi yamai vangu pakarira phone



yangu.Ndakasekerera ndichiona atori Tawanda aifona ,uyo wandainge ndatove nenguva ndakatarisira call yake.

Sekuru vakadzora volume yetv ini ndichibva ndatosimukawo ndichinodairira panze.

"Hesi Tawa",ndakadaro ndichangoisa phone yacho kunzeve zvikanzi "Hesi babe ,uri sei?"

"Ndiri bhoo zvangu ,uri sei iwewe?"

"Handisi bhoo ini, I miss you." Akadaro nevoice raive nekakuyemezeka ndakatanga ndamboseka ndokuzoti

"Handiti I told you kuti ndakauya,nditori muHarare izvezvi so kumusha ndichazodzokera after muchato zvekunana next week ikoko."



"Uri kupi?"

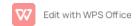
"Kwasekuru kuCharlotte brook."

"Haa saka when will I see you?I miss you Pau shaa."

I giggled ndikati "Chero nhasi", achibva aseka zvekufaririra zviye ndikazoti "Hii zvave zvemangwana ,kwakurisei kuKwekwe?"

"Kwaive kuri bhoo, ndati inini ndakusuwai mai Vanessa.Can't I come to see you nhasi manheru ,ikoko."

"Hii sekuru havatodi munhu anobuda pamba



manheru Tawanda, ndokuona zvemangwana pandichaenda mutown nagogo kunorukwa musoro."

Ndakamunzwa achitura mafemo kwakubva azoti "Okay, ndokuona mangwana acho,but chitoziva kuti pandokubatira hapatomere huswa."

Ndakasekenyeka futi ndikati "Tawanda ka!", achibva azoti "Iii iri bhoo babe ,ndokuona mangwana acho handiti?"

"Okay thanks for calling."

"Tawanda anokudai mai vaVanessa." He empasized



"Neniwo ndinomudawo." ndakapindura smile iri kunzeve uku ndichiblusher as if he was seeing me kwakuzotura mafemo paakakata.

Ndakambomira padoor ndichinyara kudzokera mumba nekuzeza kuzobvunzwa-bvunzwa nasekuru.

Pave paye ndipo pandakazopinda ndikasvikogara opposite sekuru ivo vachibva vanditarisa and he smiled vachiti "NdiT1?", semunhu wandaimboudzawo nezvaTawanda wacho ,ndikagegedzera ndichivhara muromo ndokuzoti "Ehee." zvikanzi "Hanzi chii?"

"Anga achinditi akadzoka, anga asipo ka kubva pandakauya kuno."

"Ainge aripi?"



"Kubasa kuKwekwe."

Tsiye dzavo ndidzo dzakadaira kuti "hoo" nekukwidzirwa, muromo kwakuzoti "Dzitori nenharo handiti? Dzinomboita basa reiko?"

I shrugged my shoulders ndichiti "Iii hameno ,ndongoziva kuti he works for Tandem motors what what."

"Okay, saka ari kuti chii? Hatidi zvinhu zvisina gwara, zvake zvekubooker maroom mumalodges nekurara achisandura mukadzi wangu paBhora apo asina kuroora handizvide!"

"Hii sekuru hapana kulodge kwatakamboenda ,paye paye ndakatorohwerwa mahara."



"Saka wanga uri kupi?Handiti hanzi wakaonekwa nemunhu anowirirana namuchembere?"

"Vanonyepa baba vaya,haa handiti vaitondidawo ndikavaramba here!"

Vakatoseka vachiti "Siddy anga atsamwa paya, haa akakuranga mupfana ,I am sure hauchazvipamhe!"

"Akandirovera mahara Sidney ane hutsinye.Handina kulodge kwandakatomboenda ini sekuru." ndakanyatsonyepa ndakarova ziserious vakatowedzera kutoseka zvavo sekuru vacho vachiti "Haa Sidney anoponda!"

"Ndezve hutsinye zviye! Manje ini anondirova hake asi ndinotomuudzawo one or two ekuti haafe akandikanganwa!"

"One ,two machii manje?"

"Mashoko ka! Ndakamuudza kuti roora usade kungopedzera shungu dzako pandiri ,mhoti kuita mwana kunoku kutokura! Angandirove pamberi pemwana wangu?"

"Haa ndibaba ka ,anenge atsamwa."

"Baba vaJulian not me! Ngaaroore uko arove mukadzi wake! Akandibhowa fani nanhasi hatisi kutotaudzana." "Haa iwee Pau!"

"I am serious sekuru, mama vari kutozviziva.Ezvi gumbo rangu rakaita mwedzi wese richingorwadza iri sekuru ,kurova rudzii ikoko?"

"Haa haafanire kunyanya kukurova kudaro, iwewewo unangwarira hupenyu hwako,ziva kuti uri mai Vanessa.Mukomana anokuendesa kumalodges haatosiri straight, toda vanhu vari straight,vanouya pano voti sekuru inini ndada zvangu mai Vanessa ava,ndizvo here adzimai?"

I nodded ndichipfipfinyika nekunzi adzimai uku zvikanzi "Zvekuti hanzvadzi yangu kana mai vangu varambe vachikwira mabp nemukadzi mukuru anenge iwewe inini handitozvidi Pauline mwana wemukuwasha.Tsiurika ,rereka!"

"Ndazvinzwa sekuru." ndakaita zvekutogutsurira musoro nyaya yacho ikazochinjwa tave kutotaura dzimwe .

Ndakatanga kutoudzwa zvekuti ambuya vangu vandaigara navo kumusha vaive vatova munzira kuuyawo kwataive tiri uku vaina mukoma Sidney.

Kwaive nemuchato saka ini ndaive ndakakasika kutungamira kuHarare kuti ndifane kugadzirirawo nevamwe. Waive muchato wevana vasekuru baba Mona avo vaive matwins vakomana.

Paive pangosara three days chete kuti muchato wacho uchisvike. Taive tatotengerwa hembe dzakanaka-naka nagogo mai Mona, ndangosarirwa nekungogadzirwa musoro zvese

nenzwara.

Pakataurwa nyaya yekuuya kwaambuya iyi ndakarohwa nehana since ndaive ndakavabira mari yavo pandakabva kumusha.

Ndaive ndakatongozvijaira zvekuvabira mari kana kuvatsotsa tumachange twaisara pese pavaindituma kumashops. Chembere yacho yaigona kutadza 1+1 asi mari yaisaitadza kana.

Ipapa ndaive ndavabira nekuti vainge vandipawo yebhazi yakakwanirana iyo yaisatondikwanira.

Ndaida kufamba ndichitengerawo mwana wangu tunonaka mutown ndikaona zvekukumbira zvichinetsa kwakubva ndangoita hwekuba. Ambuya vangu ndivo vaive vanditora mushure mekunge ndaita nhumbu ndichangopedza kunyora form 4 yangu.Muridzi wenhumbu yacho aive airamba achiti nhumbu yanga isiri yake.Baba vangu vakatsamwa pazvakaitika pacho vakatondidzinga pamba ,ambuya vangu ivavo, mai vaamai vachibva vanditora.

Vakandichengeta kusvika ndisununguke mwana wangu zvekuti pandakazonzi ndidzokere kumba kwedu ndakatoramba.

Ambuya vaigarika navo nekuti kwavo kumba kwaive kusina tumitemo-mitemo.Kwaive kwatozoipa mazuva iyaya pandaive ndarura naTawanda zvekusvika pakusiya mwana ndichinorara kulodge kwaBhora,ndikazopondwa namukoma Sidney.

Tawanda ndakatanga kuzivana naye pandakamboenda kunoona tete vangu vaigara



kuWadzana.Akangonditakura nemota ,ndiri paShowground paye tikabva tatochinjana manumbers kwakubva tatotanga kutaura tese pamaphone kusvika azondiudza kuti anondida.

Haana kutoita basa nekuti ndaive nemwana wangu, akangondida ndakadaro achipota achimboita zvekuuya kumusha ,pamwe pacho tichionana pandaimboshanyawo muHarare.Relationship yedu yainge yatove ne7months.

Takamboti taurei mbijana nasekuru, ana ambuya vaive varehwa vachibva vazosvika.

Zveshuwa vakasvika vaina mukoma Sidney,mukoma Malcom nemumwe mukadzi wandakabva ndatoziva kuti ndiye aive akufambidzana namukoma Sidney.

Kupinda kwavo kwakabva kwachinjisa mood yangu,ndikazongosimuka imomo ndokuenda



zvangu muroom mamainini Maya mandairara.

Ndakasvikoona Vanessa kakatokotsira ndikakakissa pamhanza ndokuzvambarara nemanhede ndichibva ndatotanga kutaura naTawanda paphone.

Takataura zvekutsiva mazuva ese ataisataura zvakanyanya paaive ari kubasa kuKwekwe. Ndaingoudzwa tumasilly nothing's ndichigegedzerawo nekutoona kunge munhu wandaitaura naye wacho ndaitomuona.

Ndakazovhiringwa ndanzwa kaknock padoor ndikatanga ndazvigadzika zvakanaka nekuzvigadzirisa hembe yaive yatofuguka ndokuzodedzera kuti "Pindai", pachibva papinda mukoma Malcom.

"Ndeipi", vakadaro vachiuya kuzogarawo kuedge kwebed ndikati "Bhoo muri sei?"



"Ndiri bhoo, ko watizirei maiguru nhaiwee?"

Ndakaridza tsamwa ndikati "Maiguru vaani?"

" Vako ka!"

"Ndisiyei zvangu ini!"

"Uchiri wakangotsamwira Makuruwani?" He asked laughing ndikati

"Kwazvo!",ndokuzoenderera ndoti "Imi hanzi ndevekupi mai vave kufambidzana nemukoma venyu ava?"

Vakaseka zvavo mukoma Malcom ndokuzoti "Iwee ibabie iri ,haasati atomboita mwana



ipopaye."

Ndakaseka zvine noise ndichirovanidza maoko ndokuzoti "Haa imi ka, hakuna musikana akadaro!"

"Shuwa ka,munhu anenge angononokawo kuroorwa."

"lii anoita kunge munhu mukuru." Ndakadaro ndichirovanidza maoko zvekutopererwa chaizvo ,vakatoseka zvavo mukoma Malcom wacho .

Vakambotamba naVanessa pave paye vachibva vazonditi "Nhaiwe unoziva musikana anonzi Zvamada?"

"Wekwedu uku here?"

"Ehee." Vakadaira vachigutsurira ndikati "Ehee ndomuziva ,mumwe ane tundebvu so."

"Yaa, iyeye."

"Ndinomuziva zvangu."

"Hanzi vasikana vane tundebvu vane hasha?"he asked

I shook my head ndikati "Ayehwa, hanzi vanongodika so."

"Haa iwewe so", he said that shaking his head ndikati "Aita sei Zvamada?"

"Ndiri kuda kumuita muroora wako."

Ndakasekerera ndikati "Kari bhoo manje kaZvamada, ndiye musikana musvinu wandakatoonawo maGoso mese."

"Saka anoita?"

"Imi mave kutoda zvemumwe munhu imi makabva mukutambwa yakapenga manje manje apa."

Vaiva vabva mukurambana nemukadzi wavo uyo aiva akavatizira aine nhumbu yemumwewo munhu.

Chokwadi chakatozobuda paakazosununguka mazuva aisatoenderana neamukoma Malcom.

"Aaa ndosvikepi nhaai shaa, ndave kuda musikana wekumusha ,ane hunhu kwete zvaana Gire zviya."

"Ari kupi Grace nemwana wake?"

He clicked his tongue ndokuti "Haa hameno ikoko, arimo muHatcliffe umu."

"Nemurume wake?"

"Hapana murume angatambire munhu akambonogara kune umwe murume shaa."

"Umm zvakaoma, apa kaive kamunhu kari bhoo wena."



"Ndizvo zvazvinoita! Iwee ndati ndiudze nezvaZvamada zvangu ini,ndingatosiiwe nablaz uchiwanza nyaya dzisina basa zvako ipapa!"

"Zvamada kamunhu kari bhoo manje."ndakasimbisa zvikanzi "Saka sharp, ndokuona kumuchato. Ivo vachati vese havaposu?"

"Vabuda makuseni chaiwo avo!"

"Haa ndotozovaona zuva racho."

"Apa asi muri kuenda naSiddy?" Ndakabvunza, zvikanzi

"Kumba kwake ka? Ehee , anotoda kutsvetereka aine simbi padhuze kudai munhu wacho,kana ave ega unomuziva kuti anofarisa."

Ndakaseka zvangu ndikazovatarisa vachibuda.

Mukoma Malcom vaigarawo muCharlotte brook imomu vachichengeta imwe imba yaive isati yakugarwa.Basa ravo raive rekungokiya-kiya ,dzimwe nguva vaimboita zvekuvaka,pamwewo vombodaidzwa mutumwe tumacompany twaiita zveland scapping.

Vaive vasina basa riri permanent.

Mukoma Sidney ndivo vaitove breadwinner kumhuri kwedu. Vaive nebasa ravo rakanakanaka vaine imba yavo nemwana wavo one, Julian aive grade 2. Vaive vakatorambana zvavo kare namai Julian vacho.

Ndakazofara pandakanzwa kumutswa kwemota yamukoma Sidney asi handina kubuda.Mbuya ndivo vakazouya zvavo mandaiva ndiri vakasvika nekumbowanza nyaya vachisekedzana naVanessa aive amuka kwakuzonditi "Ko waitwa sei iwe?", ndikati "Ndadii zvangu?"

"Wobva wati kwirindindi kutobva mune vamwe?"

"Ndanga ndakuda kutarisa mwana."

"Zvipi?Wati handisi kuziva nyaya dzako?"

Ndakaita zvekukwidza izwi ndichiti "Dzei?", kukanzi "Handiti wakaba mari yangu? Hukwindima uhwu handiti kutya kubvunzwa?kana kuti kundityisidzira kuti ndisatobvunza!"

Ndakazvibata pahana nemaoko ese ndikati "Hii ambuya!" uku ndatojenga misodzi, zvikanzi "Ko zvichiri nebasa here? Aiwa hunhu hwako hugadzirise mai Vanessa, unozviitira mumwe munhu zvikasapera mushe.Kana kuzviitira murume wotsikwa zvekuti unozondidemba zvako!"

"Handina kuba mari yenyu ini, ndizvo zvamatouya muchiudza Sidney?"

"Yuwii ndisiye zvangu! Ndomuudzirei zvangu! Kana wave kuda kurega aiwa uchazorega zvako,ndangoti ndikuudze kuti zvakashata!" Ndakaramba ndakaisa muromo wangu mumhino ivo kwakutoita kunge vasina kutozviona zvavo kwave kutochinja nyaya yacho vave kuti "Ko musoro wacho zvausati watogadzirwa wani?", ndikati "Tiri kuenda mangwana", ndichikangofutisa matama.

Vakazobuda zvavo pavakazodaidzwa nemwana wavo ndikasara ndichiitawo zvephone yangu.Paive pasisina chinovaraidza hapo paphone pacho sezvo Tawanda wangu aiva azobva pawhatsApp pacho.

Zuva rakatevera gogo mai Mona vakanotisiya mutown ndiina mainini Maya, tikamboti tendererei mbijana ndokuzoenda kusalon.

Ndakatanga kutaura naTawanda ndichirukwa kudaro akatanga kutondiudza zvekuti aida kuzondiona.



Ndakaita kufarawo ndikatononokerwa nekuti ndichipera.

Akasenda imwe message yekuti "Saka tell me kana wapera tigozoenda paden zvemaminutes."

"Aaaa kumba kwako?"ndakabvunza sezvo ndaitarisira kuti tichaitawo zvekungosananana mutown zvikanzi "hanty matwo minutes here? Ndakusuwa amana."

"Saka kana uchiti wandisuwa unenge wangosuwa sex chete?"

"Ndambodaro here babe? Tell me horaiti, uri kuda kuti tiite sei?"

"Kuonanawo mutown sezvinongoita vamwe wonditengera pizza."



"Totopesana after that?"

"Yes, zvimwe tozozviona patinoona mumwe musana."

"Pizza ndotenga tonodyira kumba."

"Plus nguva dzekubva mutown tichienda kumba kwako todziwanepi Tawanda, apa unonyatsozviziva kuti kumba ndinozopinda ma1,manje manje ndakabva mukurohwa futi apa!"

"Babe unorohwa nani?Hapana anotomboita hanya newe handiti mese muri busy kugadzirira zvemuchato?Nyangwe ukada kutoita sleepover no one will notice kuti haupo." Ndakaramba ndakatarisa phone yacho ndichishaya kuti ndochiti chii ,musoro wave kuita kutotenderera nenharo dzaTawanda.

Ndakamboigadzika pamakumbo phone yacho , pasina nguva ikatanga kurira.Ndakatanga ndatura mafemo ndokuzoisimudza ndikaona ari Tawanda ,ndikatura mamwe mafemo kwakuzodaira.

Pasina kana hello ,akangotanga nekuti "hausi kungoda zvako kundiona handiti?"

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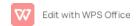
Chapter 4

Pauline

Ndakashama kuti nditaure asi mashoko acho ndakabva ndatomashaya ndikazonzwa munhu oti "Hee?",ndichibva ndambomedza mate ndokuzoti "Handina kumbodaro ini Tawanda."

Vanhu vese vaive musalon ndakaona sekunge vave kutoterera nyaya dzangu , ndikazoita zvekutokumbira munhu aindiruka kuti nditombosimuka.

Ndakabuda panze chaipo Tawanda achingowanza mastatement ake ekuramwaramwa ndikati "Tawanda kani,handina kumbodaro ,ndangoti nguva yekuti tiende kumba kwako yacho hapana."



"Saka wakandiudzirei kuti wauya horaiti?Wakadii kutongonyarara."

"Inga ndati mukana wekukuona unongozowanika, dai kuri kungoonana mutown zvaisanetsa manje kuenda kuBraeside uko ndepano here nhai Tawanda?" ndakadaro ndave kutonetawo nekunyengerera zvikanzi "Iri bhoo.Ndave kukusiya umboita zvauri kuda zvacho mai Vanessa."

"Tawanda!" ndakadaro ndichishaya kuti ndoenderera ndichiti chii zvikanzi "Wazvinzwa Pau.Apa ndanga ndave kutosacrificer kutiza basa rangu kuti ndione nguva newe iwee ndopauri kubhaiza!" "Tawanda handina kumbobhaiza."

Akabva atokata ndikaturawo mafemo ndakatarisa phone yacho ndave kuchishaya kuti ndodii.

Ndakarovera moyo kudombo ndikatanga kutodialer number yake nemaoko aidedera. Zvekutaura zvacho ndaisaziva kuti ndaida kuzotaura naye kuti chii chaizvo. Phone yake yakarira kaviri achibva atondicutter, ndikambozama kufona futi ndichizvisimbisa kuti pane zvimwe zvaive zvatoitika paphone yake zvisiri kundikata.

I dialed his number again ndikazobvuma kuti aive akusada kutaura neni pandakakatirwa futi.

Ndakatura rimwe zibefu ,ndikabwaira-bwaira maziso ndichidzora misodzi yaive yotoda kubuda kwakuzodzokera musaloon ndave kunzwa zviri nani.

Ndakasvika kugara ,ndikatura mamwe mafemo ndichiedza kufunga kuti taizosvikepi naTawanda ndikazvishaya.

Phone yakapinda message ndikaivhura nekukasika ndichiti zvimwe hasha dzake dzaiva dzaserera ndione angosenda hake message achiti "Chimboitai zvamuri kuita kana mave kutida mozotiudza."

Ndakamboedza kutyper reply ndikashaya kuti ndopindura ndichiti chii kwave kungosiyana nazvo hangu. Ndakazopedziswa kurukwa ,kuiswa malashes zvese nemanails acho mufaro wese watopera.

"Wafitwa mwana wangu" ,mainini Maya vakandidaro tichangobuda ndikati "Iii zviri kutosvora izvi veduwee." "Mucheno unotoda kushinga, mafitwa zveshuwa."

Ndakaerekana ndatura mafemo zvinova zvavaisatotarisira mainini Maya ,vachibva vatokasika kuti "Ko chii?", ndikati "Ngatimbomire makumbo angu haana kana simba."

Ndakabva ndatotanga ndini kumira ndokumbobata mabvi angu zvikanzi "Ko chii?", ndikabva ndatotanga kuchema paye,zvikanzi "Ndofonera mama?"

Handina kukwanisa kupindura ndakangoramba ndichipukuta maziso kuyedza kurwidzana nemisodzi yaive yoramba yongobuda.

Ndakatozonzwa kakurerukirwa ndambochema



mbijana ndichibva ndazovati "Momz handei", zvikanzi "Mave sei? Ndanga ndave kutofonera mama kuti vauye."

"Hii varegei.Handei."

Takafamba takanyarara takananga kurank yekunaforth.Pfungwa dzangu dzaive dzongopishana ndichizama kufunga pandaiva ndatadza,ndikazotoona kuti rudo rwedu naTawanda rwaigona kutopera sekutamba sekuseka.

Ndakatarisa mainini Maya kwave kuvati "Mainini hamudi kumbozama kutaura nemunhu wangu here?"

"Munhu wenyu?" She asked ndikati "Ehee mukomana wangu,tanetsana."

Ndaitodaro ndichitarisa phone nekutovatambidza ndichiti "Number dzake idzi fonai, anonzi Tawanda Mahofa."

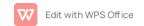
Vakaita kakuvhunduka so mainini vacho ndokuzoti "Hanzi chii?", ndikanyepa ndichiti "Anga achida kuti tinoona tete vake nguva dzino nhaai, ndikamuti tozozviita rimwe day kwakubva atoramwa."

Ndakataura netone yekuti zviite kakureruka.

"Aaa kwatete handiti munoenda nguva dzichipo here monotandara? Nguva dzino munosvikoitei ,asi padhuze?"

"KuBraeside zvenyu."

"Padhuze hapo asi nguva hapachina ka apa."



"Zamai kutaura naye momuudzawo kuti ndouya hangu mangwana."

She looked at me with her eyes wide open, giving me what seemed like a half shrug then muttered "lii ndichizvigona?"

"Mukataura naye anonzwisisa,anotsamwa munhu wacho momz."

"Musiyei akadaro achadzoka ega."

"Hii mainini ko akabva atoenderatu!"

"Anenge asiri wenyu, wenyu anozouya.Mukanyanya kuratidza hudesperate



munoitiswa mai Vanessa. Musiyei muone, munozondiudza imi!"

Ndakaramba ndichitambisa nzwara dzangu ndave kutoona relationship yangu pasisina. Ndakatozoona kuti I was actually talking to the wrong person. Mainini Maya vaive musikana, taive takatosiyana nekuda kwekuti ini ndaiva a single mom. Kwavari it was so easy kurambana nemunhu votowana mumwe futi nekukasika since vaive vachiri musikana. Inini ndaigona kumiswa hangu muroad asi nenyaya yekuti ndaiva nemwana serious relationship chaiyo yaitonetsa. Kwaingove kumiswa nevanhu vane vakadzi vavo ,tsvimborume nevamwe vasingatoverengwa pavarume.

Takazonokwira combi ndangopusa-pusa, road yese kuenda kumba ndichingotarisa phone

expecting something tangible from Tawanda but nothing came out.

Takazosvika kumba dzatove kuma-to 5pm ndikasvika nekunzi nasekuru "Ndimadam vangu here vachena ava?",ndikamanikidza kusekerera ndokuti "Ndini zvangu sekuru."

"Haa machena maimwana ,you are looking umwaaa." vakadaro blowing me a kiss and l giggled ndichiti

"Thank you."

Gogo mai Mona walked in vachitiwo "hii machena mainini ,tendai Mwari nekuti makapihwa maiguru vasina havo shanje." Tese takabva tangoseka sekuru ndokuvati
"hauna shanje iyewe?", vakapindurwa kunzi "Dai
ndiine shanje ndatopopota.Chinguri ndauya
pano kubva kwandaiva ndanogadzirwawo
ndamboudzwawo kunzi ndakachena?"

Vaitodaro vachinyepera kufutisa matama sekuru vachibva vavabata ruoko ndokuvati "Sorry sweety, wakachena hako.Ndandichazokuudza wandimhanyira hako."

"Ayehwa nekuti ndazotaura? Rega zvako! Ndichawana achandiudzawo kuti wakachena."

Nyaya yacho yakatozodzimurwa namainini Maya vaiva voti "lii hamusi kutondionawo kuti ndiripo pano makungoyemerana."

Vanhu vese vaive vachiseka zvekurevesa but



zvangu zvaive zvebhaizi.

Ndakazobvapo pane vamwe ndikanomhoresa ambuya avo vaive vakagara musitting room nanasekuru vadiki, baba Neymar nemutwin wavo baba Ava.Ndivo vaive nemuchato wataigadzirira uyu.

Ndakangosvikovamhoresa vese vakandiudzawo zvekuti ndakachena, sezvandaiva ndangoudzwa nevamwe ndikazobva pavari ndave kunogeza.

I took the longest bath ndichiita ndichimbochema imomo ndikazobuda pava paya.

Ndakasvikira phone iine 3 missed calls dzaTawanda ndikaita hana yekubatira mumaoko.Vanessa kakauyawo mandaive ndiri kachiyedza kuyemezeka ndikatokaignowa ndokutogara pasi ndikatanga kufonera Tawanda.Yakarira kamwe chete achibva aikata ndikashaya kuti chave chii zvekare kwakuzoona ave kufona.

Ndakadaira isati yaenda kure ndichiti "Hello", zvikanzi "Watobva mutonaz?", ndikati "Ehee ndava kumba."

Akatanga ambofememeruka zviri loudly kuratidza kuti aiva achiri akatsamwa ndokuzoti "Ndokumbirawo kuuya kuzotaura newe."

Ndakatoshamisika zvese nekufara ndikatoti munamato wangu waive wanzwika nekanguva kadiki ikako kwakubva ndatokasika kumuti "Nhasi?", zvikanzi "Ehee like now, ndoda kungoti titaure handitore zvangu nguva.Kana uchida kuti ndibva ndangoona sekuru vako,togona kubva tatongozviita."

Ndakaita kuzhinya ndokuzoti "Huya." Zvikanzi "I will call you kana ndave kusvika? Unoda kuti ndibva ndangoona sekuru nhasi?"

"Aaa togona kuzozviita kwakachena." Ndakakasika kudaira zvikanzi "Iri bhoo."

Ndakajamba nemufaro after that call ,towel randaive ndakamonerera rikatodonha. I am sure kana naVanessa akatoshaya kuti ko mai vake vaive vopenga here.

Ndakatora dress ramainini Maya randaida kwakunyatsoripfeka ndikasekerera ndichizvitarisa pamirror.

Ndakazora twese nekusparyer twese twandakaona padressing table yavo ndikanyatsonzwa kuti ndachena!

Zvese zvekuti pamba pacho painetsa kubudika ndakazviignowa ndikati ndaizongowana yekutamba kana munhu wangu auya.



Mainini Maya vakapindawo vachikweva makumbo ndokuzvikanda pamubhedha vachitura mafemo ekuneta ndikavati "Kuneta uku?",ndichivhara-vhara semunhu aiva avapfekera hembe yavo zvikanzi "Ndaneta imi wee!"

Ndaiva ndanzwa kupinda kwemota saka ndakabva ndatobvunza kuti "Imota yaani yandanzwa manje manje apa?"

Vakatanga vabvisa blouse ravaive vakapfeka ndokutanga kuzvipumha-pumha naro muviri wese ndokuzoti "Mwana wangu ,Sid."

"KO auya?"ndakaita zvekukanuka zvikanzi "Ehee aripo, iii ndafara abvuma wena kundipa mota yake iye, pamuchato ndinenge ndisingatobatike mirai henyu muone! Ndichingonzi maiona here hanzvadzi yevanhu ndiine Mercedes Benz."

Vakamboseka vega ,ndikangovatarisa vachifara chaizvo ndokuzoti "Apa ndatonzi mukaidhumhirisa ndinokukanganwai kuti muri mai!"

Ndakaignowa zvese izvozvo zvavaive vave kutaura ndikati "KO avingei?",vakatanga vambonditarisa zvekushamisika zviya ndokuzoti "Kuuya ka kuzoona vamwe, plus vauya naJulian anzi aiva kwamai vake."

I clicked my tongue ndikati "Anobhowa stereki", ndisingatonzwikwe.

Panze painzwika kutaura kwevamwe vanhu vairatidza kuti vaive vakawanda ndikatozoti futi "Ko noise panze?", zvikanzi "Vaperekedzi avo ,hameno vanenge vane kameeting."

Vakazosimuka pamubhedha vave kunanga kunogeza. Vakatora zvese zvavaida kushandisa ndokubuda vachiti "Unotoshaya kuti vanenge vachitonzwanana here neruzha irworwo!", ndikangosarawo ndichirovanidza maoko.

I took kuwanda kwaive kwaita vanhu ikoko as an advantage ndikati ndaizongosvova ndichinoona Tawanda pasina wandawoneka.

Tawanda wacho akazofona mainini vatopedza kugeza akandiudza kuti ainge atove kumaraini.Ndakangomuti "Ndiri kuuya." mainini kwakunditarisa through the mirror nemaziso airatidza kushamisika.

Ndakapedza kutaura naye ndichibva ndagadzirisa voice rangu mainini kwakucheuka kwandiri vachiti "Kupi nhaimi?",ndikati "Munhu uya atevera nhaai." "Upi? Muface wenyu."

"Mufunge zvenyu!" Ndakadaro ndichirovanidza maoko sekunge ndaisatozvida zvekuonekwa izvi zvikanzi "Saka mave kudii?"

"Rega ndingonomuona two minutes."ndakadaira zvenhamo-nhamo.

"Mai Vanessa ka!", she warned ndikati

"Handitononoke two minutes chete."

Handina kuzomirira mhinduro ndakabva ndazvitarisa kuback kwangu pamirror, ndokuoneka ndichiti "Bye bye ,munditarisirewo Vanessa."

Vakangorovanidza maoko ndikasazvitedza



izvozvo kwave kutobuda neback door pasina andiona.

Ndakabuda gate ndikazomhanya ndave muroad kuenda kwandaiva ndaudzwa kuti ndokwaiva kwakamira mota yaTawanda.

Ndakaiona ndikamhanya kunoknocka pawindow kwakubva ndavhurirwa door ndikapinda.

"Ndeipi", ndakatanga nekudaro Tawanda achibva ambotanga anditarisa ndokuzoti "Uri sei? ",ndikati "Bhoo kuri sei kubasa?"

"Kuri bhoo" he replied nevoice rakandiudza kuti aiva achiri nekakutsamwa ndikamuti "Tawanda sorry."

Panzvimbo yekudaira ,akatonditarisa ndokuzosekerera ndikaziva kuti



ndaregererwa.He tucked mabraids andaive ndasiya ari loose kuseri kwenzeve yangu, ndokunditarisa closely kwakuzoti "Wakachena." ndikaita kunyungudika ndichiti "Tawanda."

"Wakanaka futi." Akadaro licking his lips uku maziso atochinja kare kuita dreamy, ndikazongoona ndave kukisswa.

Ndakabatirira muhuro make enjoying the kiss ndikatanga kuudzwa kunzi "You are so sweet." Ndikati "So are you Ta-wa-nda."

Haana kutora nguva ari pamuromo wangu ,akakasika kuzobvapo kwakurarisa seat nekundirarisawo.Haana kuparadza nguva ,he went straight kune zvaaida zvacho ,pasina kana nguva ndikatozomunzwa atopinda mandiri.

He pounded me zvekukasika zvekuti pasina kana nguva ndakazomunzwa ave kutotura mafemo kuratidza kuti zvake zvaive zvatoita. Dai ari mamwe mazuva ,I should have complained manje nekuti ndaitomhanyawo handina kana kucomplaina.

Akabva pandiri achibva agara paseat pake kwakumbozvipukuta nemawet wipes aigara ari mumota imomo ndokuzovhura window.

Ndakakwidza pant raive ramumakumbo ndokuzvigadzirisawo dress ndikati "Ndave kuenda."zvikanzi "Uri kuvhaira fani!"

"Hii Tawanda!"

"Sure ka! Itai zvenyu!"

"Kutsamwa here?"

"Handisisina kutsamwa,but wandibhowa zvako nhasi."

"Sorry Tawanda"

"Haa bhoo, saka uchazouya rini kuzonyatsondiona?"

"Ndokuudza Tawanda, week rese iri ndinenge ndiripo."

"Iri bhoo,tora pizza yako yawanga uchichemera iri kumashure uko."

Ndakafarira ndikasverera plastic bag raive kumashure ndichiti "hii waita basa." Iye achibva atondirova zvake kambama mumabums achiti "Uyu!" ndikangopfipfinhika.

Pandaive ndakuda kuoneka kechipiri ainge ave busy nephone yake.Ndakambomumirira ndokuzoita wekuti "Iii Tawanda shaa", akatoita kuvhunduka achiti "Mmm wave kuda kuenda mukadzi wangu?"

"Ehee."ndakapindura ndichiseka achibva aisa phone iya muhomwe ndokuzoti "Yaa huya ndikukisse ubaye zvako."

I giggled again ,ndikakisswa kwacho kwave kuzobuda nekunanga kumba.

Ndakamhanya ndikazoita kutura mafemo ndatosvika pagate. Ndakarivhura chinyararire ndikapinda ndichiita kutarisa maside ese, kwave kunanga kuback door kuya ndikaona kwakalockwa.

I dialed mainini Maya's number phone yavo ikarira pasina kudairwa.



Ndaona kuti hazvichaite ndipo pandakarovera moyo kudombo ndikaenda pamain door kwave kuknocka.

Rakavhurwa naivo mainini Maya ,ndofunga vakabva vabvunzwa kuti "Ndimai Vanessa here?" nemunhu aive mumba nekuti ndakazongonzwa vave kuti "Ehee ndivo."

Ndisati ndatovhurirwa way yekuti ndipinde pakabva pabuda mukoma Siddy.Ndakangoti ndichivati baa kwave kutotanga kudzokera kugate nenhendeshure.I heard him clicking his tongue kwakuzodedzera kuti "Ukati wakakwana iwewe?"

Ndakagutsurira musoro but I think havana kutozviona nerima nekuti ndakavanzwa vave kuti futi "hee?" vachiuya kwandiri ndikaita kumhanya kugate ndichiti "Sorry."

Pakabva pabudawo sekuru baba Mona



ndikanzwa vave kuti "Baba Julian, musiyei", zvikanzi "Ibenzi remunhu iri sekuru, haatonzwe uyu ndingatopedzisira ndauraya ndikatozofira mujeri.Yatova pfambi ka!"

"I will talk to her. Huya upinde mumba mai Vanessa tione." Sekuru vakadaro vakamira padoor ndikafamba maziso angori pana mukoma Sidney kwakudarika pavari ndichimhanya kusvika ndipinde mumba.

Mumba maiva makazara-zara mhuri yese plus bridal team iye yandaive ndasiya iine meeting panze.

Ndakangopinda ,nekunanga kuroom kwedu pasina wandataura naye ndikasvika ndichirongedza pizza yangu pakanaka.

Pasina kana nguva Sekuru baba Mona vakabva vatevera vakatanga nekuknocker kwakuzopinda vachiti "Wanga waendepi iwee?



",ndikati "Sekuru ndangofonerwa nemunhu achiti auya kuzondiona."

"Munhu upi?"

"Tawanda." Ndakapindura ndakatarisa pasi nenyadzi.

"Atadza kuzozviita mangwana?", he asked ndikatanga ndatizisa maziso ndokuzoti "Azongondiudza atove kuno."

"Mai Vanessa ka! Handifunge tikawirirana zvedu nezvauri kuita izvi!"

"Sorry Sekuru."

"Munhu wako iyeye umuudze kuti hanzi nasekuru ndinoda kumuona, handichazvidi zvekuhwandana izvi nekuti mhedzisiro yacho topedzisira takubvisa mazino nekukurova."

I giggled ndikati "Sekuru ka!", zvikanzi "handisi kuseka ka,Ini pano nditori mai vako,ende ndinotokudambura kupfuura zvawakaitwa nababa Julian!"

"Sorry sekuru."

"Gadzirisai hunhu mai mwana kana muchida kuti tiwirirane."

Pavakazobuda ndakasara ndichiisira Tawanda message ndichimuti "Iwee saka kwasekuru uchauya rini? Ndatosvika ndichibvudzwa kunzi uchauya rini?"

I guess aive achiri munzira nekuti akatozopindura ndatove mumagumbeze mandaive ndopakira pizza yangu ndiri, achiti "Tell me kana mapedza zvemuchato, apa handiti kumba kwenyu kuchiri busy?"

End of Chapter

Chapter 5

Zvamada

Mike akazogona zvake kundinyengetedza



nezvaMalcom wake tikangotenderana kuti taizongoona kana Malcom wacho adzoka.

Amai vanguwo vakazodzoka kubva kuchipatara kwavaive vaenda vachifara-fara ndikasvikoudzwa kunzi "hii ndafamba naMwari Zvamada, ndipe mvura nditange ndanwa."

Ndakavapa mvura ndokuzovati "Zvanzi chii?" ,papera kanguva zvikanzi "Ndasvika ka kuchipatara kuya bp ikanzi yakakwira, ndaunganirwa iwe nemanurse ,vamwe vakatanga kundituka paye vachiti ndakazviitirei pachibva pazongouya vamwe sister so, vakadzinga vamwe vese ndokutanga kutotaura neni.Ndavaudza twese zvatwo ,vachibva vatondinyoresawo pane chimwe chirongwa ikoko ndikatonzi hapasisina need yekunyoresa ,ndichangonosunungukira straight kwaMurehwa ikoko mahara."

"Hii mama sure here?" ndakabvunza ndichifara zvikanzi "Sure, ndafara unoziva! Apa ndave kungoda tunhu tushoma twekuti mwana wacho apfeke."

"lii better, ndatonzwawo kurerukirwa mama!"

"Wega here? Ipapa ndatonzi ndigodzoka neMonday kuzotariswa kuti bp yacho iri kudzika here, ndatopihwa mapiritsi."

"lii better kutongozvitevedza zvemapiritsi zvacho."

"Apa Monday yakare ndanzi ndinofanira kunotambira chikafu maOk, hanzi ndanyanya ka kuonda saka ndapihwa card rekunotora chikafu chemahara."

"lii better, chikatouya chikafu chacho ndobva ndatokuisai pafeeding chaipo!"

Vakamboseka mbijana ndokuzoti "Apa ndave kufanira kugara ndakasaver kamari kemota, mimba ine manyemwe ka inogona kungorwadza usiku.Ari masikati unokwanisa kuita plan manje zveusiku ma1 chaiwo."

"Apa kwadzoka kure kwamuri kunoponera kwacho!"

"Kure iwee, asi haa tinoona zvekuita, chikamu chandaitya chapfuura."



Pakazosvika Monday takangoenda tese kwaMurehwa kwacho kuti vanotariswa.Vakasvika vachinzi Bp yaive isina kuchinja ,kwakubva vanzi vambonogara pasi mbijana,ndikatomboenda maOk kunotambira chikafu chavo ndokuzodzokera pachipatara.

Takamboti zororei pamumvuri kwechinguva vachibva vazonotariswa zvekare pava paye vakanzi bp yainge yavewo nani. Takazobvako tapedzerwa zvese, kumba tikatozosvika dzatove kuma4pm. Takasvika tichiudza ambuya nanatete nezve kwataive taenda ambuya vachibva vatoti "Iii better veduwee. Iye baba Pure anga ari pano ka."

"Hoo." Mama vakapindura zvikanzi "Ehee amboti garei pano akazonanga kumba kwenyu ikoko ,dhuze azongobhowekana ega ega achibva azoenda."

Mama vakaridza tsamwa ndokuti "Eeeh Ko hanzi chii?", zvikanzi "Vanga vauya kuzokuonai.Hanzi vakabata nguruve saka vangosiya vati ndichadzoka ndozokupai."

Mama vakaita kunge vasina kutozvinzwa zvenyama izvi vachibva vatosimuka vachiti"Zvama handei." tikatorana nevana vedu vaitave tasiya kwaambuya ndokunanga kumba.

Ndakasvika nekugadza poto pamoto tikazodya ,ndokuzoenda kunorara.

Semunhu aiva akaneta ndakangoti ndichipinda mumagumbeze kwave kutorara.Ndakarara kwekanguva kadiki ndokuzovhunduka ndanzwa kudaidzwa namai vangu.Ndakamuka



nekukasika ndikambogara ndichiti zvimwe ndaiva ndaresva kunzwa ndokuzonzwa kudaidzwa zvekare. Ndakanzwa mitsindo yekunge kumhanyisana ndikazonzwa mama vave kupopota vachiti "Ndati handisi kuda chiiko iwewe! Enda ka kwaMamo wako!"

Ndakavhura door nekukasika ,mama vachibva vakasikawo kumhanya ndokupinda muroom mangu,ndikati "KO chii?", asi havana kudaira.Vakangofamba vachifemeruka ndokunogara pandaive ndakawaridza.Ndisati ndatobvunza zvimwe, ndakaona baba vachitiwo mvee nerima iroro ndikakasika kuvati "Maswera sei baba?", zvikanzi "Taswera mushe."

Vakamboramba vakamira ndokuzoti "Ndave kuenda ini.Uudze mai vako kuti ndaenda." ndikangotiwo "Ehoi." ndikazvidzora padiki kuvabvunza chavaive vambovinga. Ndakaramba ndakamira ndikavatarisa kusvika vatsakatika nenzira vave kuchinanga kumhiri kwavo, ndikazotura mafemo ndave kutarisawo amai avo vaive vatozviisa mumagumbeze mangu.

Ndakadzora door mbijana ndikanopfugama mberi kwavo nokuti "Asi vakurovai?", vakangozunguza musoro ndikati "Saka chii?"

"Vanga vauya nenyama." vakatopindura zvakadzikamira ndikangokwanisa kushama muromo.

Ndakaramba ndakavatarisa ndatoona kuti pane zvandaitovigirwa chaizvo. Vakamboti zii vachibva vazoenderera mberi vachiti ,"Pane zvatatadza kuwirirana ndikatiza." Ndakakasika kubatanidza zvaive zvichiitika zvacho ndikazoti "Hoo?", zvikanzi "Ehee, ndave kupota ndichirara zvangu muno, kana tisingakwane tinonorara zvedu mukitchen tese."

I nodded zvikanzi "Enda unokiya door rebhedhuru utore muriwo wavauya nawo wacho tozougadzira zvedu mangwana."

Ndakaitawo saizvozvo ndikazodzoka ,tikarara tese.

Zuva remangwana racho yaive yatove
Tuesday.Ndakamukira kuita basa rese
,kwakuzopedzisira nekugadzira nyama yaiva
yauya nababa.Mama vakatozomuka ndatopedza
zvese vakauya pandaive ndiri ndokunditi
"Mbuya Ano vakadzoka ka!"

"Hii vakadzoka." I repeated smile iri kunzeve zvikanzi "Ehee vafona ,hanzi Zvama ngaauye, wotovatakurirawo muriwo unovapawo."

"Regai nditoende." Ndakadaro ndave kutoita zvekuvarongedzera muriwo wacho ndokuzobuda.

Ndakasvika mbuya Ano vacho vakatogara zvavo paverandah vachinwa zvavo tea yavo naMike ndikati "Tisvikewo veHarare."

"Svika hako Zvama, haa veHarare tadzoka isu."

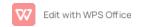
Ndakasvika pavari ndichiti "Kuchena here uku!" ndakatarisa wig yaive ichiri mumusoro zvikanzi "Kuchena kani, Haiwa tanga takachena Zvamada.Pinda mumba utore cup uzotijoina pano."

Ndakanotora cup ,ndikadzoka ndichiti "Hesi Mike" ,iye akatiwo "Uri sei Zvamada?"

"Ndiri bhoo" ndakadaira nekukasika ndokuzoti "Mbuya makadii?", zvikanzi "Ndinofara zvangu Zvama, makasarawo sei?"

"Haa takasara bhoo kwaive kuri sei kumuchato?", ndakadaro ndichigeza maoko zvikanzi "lii kwakanakidza,ndakakudemba! Rega tinwe tea ndigozokutaridza mapictures."

Patakapedza kunwa tea ndakabva ndatonzi "Tora phone yangu patable mumba umu",ndikasimukawo kunoitora ndokudzoka ndichivapa, vakaitambirawo ndokutanga kuitsvaira-tsvaira vachitsvaga maphotos



andaida kuratidzwa acho.

Vaitove nesmart phone iyo yavaimbonetseka nayo.Vaiti kana vachiitarisa kana kutsvaga chinhu mairi vaiita kuiisa padhuze-dhuze nemaziso chaipo.

Seipapa vakambotora nguva vachingoadjuster maziso avo vakaitarisa ndokuzoti "Yaa, huya uone."

Ndakaita zvekugwadama paside pavo ndikatanga kuratidzwa kubva kuvachati, vaperekedzi vacho nevamwewo vanhu.

"Zvanga zvakarongeka ,ndakakudemba kuti dai Zvama aripo amboonawo zvinoita vamwe.Unoziva ukaenda kumuchato unobvako wave kutoshuvirawo kuti dai ndachatawo."

"Hii kwakafita kwainakidza uku mbuya, neiko kuchena kwaive kwakaita vanhu uku!"

"Kwaifadza kani,pakatambwawo sei!"

"Eeeh!"

"Kwakatambwa ,ndaizvishora zvemuchato wekubatanidza vanhu vana panguva imwe chete asi pazvakaitika ndakapa kutenda. Vachati vakatamba zvekutamba zviye iwee kungoti mavideos handina ,kogoti vaperekedzi ava, haiwa munongonzwa imi!"

Takasvika paive nephoto revachati nevaperekedzi ndikatanga kuudzwa mazita avo vese ,vakapedzira nekunditi "Varume ava mabrothers futi,saka vese vangori shamwari vakadai, ndisingazive zvangu kuti vakadzi vanowiriranawo sezvinoita varume vavo here kana kuti ndezve padenga. Ipapa atosara asati achata pagen'a rese ndeuyu, nemukadzi wake uyu wandaiva ndakutoti ko nhai mwanangu unochatawo rini, zvikanzi manje manje gogo kana mukadzi wangu aane mwana.

Saka ndakatozoona kuti mukadzi wacho airehwa aiva akatozvitakurawo shuwa,unoziva akamuroora aine matwins ake nakudhara."

"Hii serious?"

"Ehee ,twaitoveko tumatwins twacho kumuchato uku, iye wake i1 kakomana plus kari kutarisirwa ka aka."

"lii vamwe vanhu vane lucky mbuya, kuroorwa uine vana two? Nemukomana futi?"

Vakaseka ndokuti "Hakuna chinonzi lucky Zvamada, vanhu ivava kuri kunzi waimboita nguva navo ka, vanogona kutokuudza kuti ndakambotamburawo! Munhu wese ane history yake, kuzomuona ava kufara anenge atobva nekure but isu tinenge takutofunga kuti zvakangoitikawo nehusiku humwe! Hakuna chinhu chinonzi Lucky uku.Chimwe nechimwe chine nguva yacho,hatikomborerwe pakafanana,mumwe nemumwe ane nguva yake."

I nodded vachibva vazochinja nyaya vave kuti "Ko mai vako vari sei?", ndikatanga kuvaudza zvese zvaive zvaitika vasipo "vachibva vati "lii tokuudza Mwari."

Ndoda pandakavapa nyama vakaita kufara ,ndichibva ndatonzi ndisiye ndagadza muriwo

wacho pamoto.

"KO mai Vanessa vakasara?" Ndakabvunza zvikanzi "Akasara,uyu hameno ka chikomba chake chaari kuda kuti chigoona sekuru vake.Chakambonzi hee chiri kuuya Sunday, chikazonzi hee chaenda kumusha kwachene hee kwazoitika nhamo, saka apa ndakavasiya ikoko vachiti chave kuuya nhasi! ZvaPauline here! Haiwa ibasa!"

"Ukaona anoda kutoona hama dzako anenge atori pachokwadi ka mbuya!"

"Hameno! Apa anga atotanga misikanzwa yake iya ikoko akapotsa abhurwa futi naSidney. Ipapa ndakatongomuti mai mwana kana makatakura tupiritsi twenyu tuya chitonwai zvenyu musazotiitire zvimwe."



"Tupiritsi twei futi?"

"Handiti anonwa mapiritsi efamily planning hake achindivigisira.Manje akatonyara pandakamuudza kudaro akangoboira-boira maziso!"

"Haa inga mune basa,zvimwe mukomana wavo munhu ari right."

"Hameno Zvamada iwee! Ndakangomuti itai vasikana wee munogona kuzororiwa tikapembera!"

Takamboseka nemataurirwo azvaive zvoitwa acho ,vakazochinja nyaya iyoyo vave kutondirongera basa raida kuzoitwa svondo iroro.Ndakabva ndatopihwa tuhembe twaive twapemhwa kuHarare kuhama dzavo twevana vacheche ndikavatenda kasingapere.

Ndakatoenda kumba ndiri chahwiriri ,ndikasvika kuratidza mama tikabatsirana kufara.

Svondo raive rakutopera ndatokanganwa zvekuti pane muzukuru wambuya Ano aive ambotuma munhu kuti anoda kundiona.Hazvina kutondinetsa ,ndakangoti zvimwe kwaiva kunyepawo zvakwo kwaMike.

Yatove Saturday ,ndakanzwa mama vachitotaura panze vachiti "Yuwii ndimai Vanessa here uyu!kuita njuzu kudai?"

Ndakambomira kuzora mafuta kwandaiita ndikatanga kuterera ndinzwe mai Vanessa



vairehwa vachiti "Hii mai Zvama! Musadaro veduwee!"

Ndakanzwa kurira kuye kwekurovana maoko ndokuzonzwa mama vave kuti "Shuwa ka kuita kubvumwa neHarare!"

"Kumborasisawo sevanhu vaive kumuchato."

Handina kuzoda kuterera zvimwe zvakataurwa ndakabva ndangoenderera mberi nekuzora mafuta ndokutozobuda muya pave paye.

Ndakavasvikira vakagara zvavo ,mama vari parupasa mai Vanessa vari pachigubhu ,busy zvavo kulecture dzekumuchato.

Vakavhunduka pandakavhura door ndokutendeuka kwandiri kwakuti "Zvamada." ndikati "Hevoi vachoni!" She giggled ndokuti "Vachoni nesvondo chete?"

"Ehee ka!" Ndakapindura giving her a high five ndokuzoti "Muri sei ?", zvikanzi "Bholato,muri sei maGoso!"

"Haa tirimo zvedu."

"Unoti ndanga ndachona ipapa ko pandichaenderatu muchati chii?"

Mama vakaseka ,vachibva vazorovana maoko naivo mai Vanessa avo vaive vongoseka vachiti "Ehee ka ndinoenderatu ini mukanyatsondisuwa!"

"Haiwa mukaona pakanaka endai vasikana."

"Ipapa ndakapotsa ndatoenda kuCapetown nevachati kuhoneymoon."

Mama vakanditsonya ,ndikaseka ndakazvihwandisa muhembe. Taitoziva kuti munhu wacho mabhodhoro zvayo, aigoneratu kuasona!

Ndakagarawo pasi tikatanga kurondedzererwa dzeHarare.Munhu wacho aiti kana otaura mate aisatokwanisa kuamedza.Vaneta nekureketa ndipo pavakazoti "lii ndanga ndauya kuzotarisa tete venyu vaye vanogadzira zvuma.Ndandichida changu."

"Chei nhaiwe muzukuru wambuya Ano?" Mama vakabvunza vachiseka. ,vakapindurwa kunzi



"Kupfekawo ka muchiuno umu ndofamba ndichingorira-rira zvandinoona zvichiitawo vamwe."

"Iwewe ka, unoziva zvazvinopfekerwa?"

"Mucheno ka! Ndanyat sopfeka drop waist yangu so zvichingobudikirawo kwazvakarehwa ikoko!"

"Usandisetse iwee muzukuru wambuya Ano! Umbori nemakore mangani nhaai mai Vanessa?"

Vakaseka zvavo ndokuzoti "Aaa ndiri kusvitsa 23 ka ini!"

"Uchiri mwanana iwewe!" Vakadaro mama vachisimuka vakasara voseka zvavo mai Vanessa vacho.

Neni nyaya dzaitongobuda kana paine munhu wechitatu pakati pedu. Ndaingovaremekedza semukadzi mukuru, ndoda apa pavakataura zve23 years ndakabva ndatoona kuti vaitove munhu mukuru chaiye.

Mama vakapinda mukitchen ndikasara ndonzi "Zvama ndauya kwauri ka inini", ndikati "Kwandiri?",zvikanzi

"Ehee, ndatumwa nehanzvadzi yangu, hanty unoiziva?"

Ndakabwaira-bwaira zvikanzi "Malcom iwee", ndikati "Hanzi chii?"



Havana kuzokwanisa kupindura nekubuda kwakazoitawo mama.

Vakadzoka patiri vachibva vanzi namai Vanessa "Inini ndava kuenda." zvikanzi "Horaiti mai Vanessa, wakatiunzirei?"

"lii handina chandiinacho asi ndikabatanidzabatanidza pamberi ipapa ndogona kuzodzokera kunohodha maperfumes ndozotengesera mateacher epaRukunguwe apa."

"Unenge watogona ipapo! Perekedzwa naZvamada nditombowaridza zvangu pabvute apa ndirare."

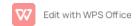
Ndakasimuka tikabuda tese kahana kava kutorova nekungoziva nyaya yandaida kuudzwa yacho .Takatomboti fambei takanyarara munhu wacho achingoita zvephone yake.

Vaingobwibwinyika ,ndikazotovatarisa vachibva vabata muromo ndokuti "Munhu uyu anotopenga shuwa!"

Semunhu aisaziva munhu airehwa wacho ndakatotiwo"Ndiani?",zvikanzi "Muface wangu nhaai! Huya umuone."

Ndakamirawo mudhuze mavo vachibva vatondiratidza photo remunhu wavaitaura naye wacho. Aitove murume uyo aive akagara maiita kunge mundege so. Ndakavatarisa ndikati "Hoo ndiye muface wenyu wacho?", zvikanzi "Ehee, anonzi Tawanda, ari sei? Akanaka?"

"Ari bhoo",ndakadaro and she giggled ndokuti " Bhoo ka?Ipapa anga atori mundege anombonoshandira out."



I just nodded zvikanzi "Mwana anondipengera uyu!", ndaida kutodaira kwakuzongonyarara ndatoona munhu adzokera pakuseka.

Yakazosiiwa phone yacho pava paya vachibva vazoti "Zvamada ndatumwa naMalcom, brother yangu.Anga ambotuma Mike ,Mike wacho achibva aramba hanzi ndinozosaidzirwa imbwa nababa vaZvama ndikarumwa!"

"Anotopenga Mike!"

"Hanzi anga akambokuudza hake Mike nyaya dzacho."

"Hanzi ari kudei?"

"Ari kuda kutaura newe, ndatomusiya kumba uku achingoimba zita rako.Malcom munhu ari



bhoo manje ende ndakatomuudza kuti handidi kurwadzisirwa mwana."

"Aaa saka mukuda kuti ndisvike kumba kwenyu?" Ndakabvunza

"Ehee ,mbuya Ano havapo vaenda kwaMurehwa."

Takatosvika kumba kwavo ndichinyengererwa ,ndikasvikonzi "Mira ndimudaidze." ndikasara ndakamira panze.Vakapinda mumba vachiti "Mukoma ndadzoka."

Malcom wacho kwave kuita zvekumbodongorera ndokuzobuda nemachair maviri.

Akandipa one ,ndikagara iye achibva agarirawo



imwe yacho achiti "Uri sei?", ndikati "Ndiri bhoo."

Akambonyarara mbijana ndokuzoti "Kumba kuri bhoo?", ndikati "Ehee kuri bhoo." kwakubva ndatodzokera pakutsikitsira nekunyarara.

"Zvamada." akadaidza ndikati "Hmm" ndakangotsikitsira zvikanzi "Hona."

Ndakashingirira kusimudza musoro kuti nditarise zvandainzi hona ndikaona munhu akatonditarisawo, ndikazvitadza zvese izvozvo ndokudzokera pakutsikitsira zvekare.

Ndakamunzwa ave kutoseka zvisina ruzha achibva ati "hausi kuda kunditarisawo?", ndikagutsurira musoro ndatoona kuti kunyepa kuti ndiri kuda kwacho ndaisatokugona.

Akatura anenge mafemo ndokuzoti "Horaiti,

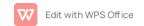


Zvamada inini ndiri kukuda, ndoda kukuita muroora wamai vangu.Kubva pandakakuona paye ,hana yangu haisi kugadzikana unoziva?"

Ndakaramba ndakatarisa pasi ndave kungoti dai zvaibvira pasi pandimedza zvapo.Paive pasinawo kana kamuti padhuze kekuti ndingatanhewo mashizha ,saka ndaingofanira kuramba ndakangotsikitsira pasi.Kumutarisa ndaisatogona, maziso ake aiita kunge arikutopinda mandiri, kuita sekunge ari kutondikurura hembe dzese achindisiya pachena.

"Zvamada." He repeated ,ndikadairira pasi pasi ndichiti "Ndichazofunga." sezvandaingonzwawo zvichitaurwa nevamwe.

"How many days?" He asked ndikati "Two"



"zvikanzi "Iri bhoo, ndomirira ndiri pano. Ndaifanira kutoenda kwedu kwaMutawatawa nhasi but handichatoendi ndozoenda wandipindura."

End of Chapter

Chapter 6

Zvamada

"Unokuziva kunonzi kwaMutawatawa?" Malcom akabvunza achisekerera ndikagutsurira musoro ndichiti "Ndongonzwa vemacombi vachiti Murehwa Goso, Mutawatawa."

"Yaa ndokwedu ikoko, ndokuna momz yangu namudhara vangu."

"Okay" ndakapindura ndichigutsurira musoro zvekare zvikanzi "But inini ndogara zvangu kuHarare ,kuCharlotte brook ,ndichishanda kunonzi kuBorrowdale brook so, apa ndakambotora leave saka haa kuno ndichiriko."

Ndakangoti "Iri bhoo" ndatoshaya zvimwe zvekutaura.Mumoyo ndaive ndatobvuma kare ndave kutononokerwa nekuti 2days dzandaiva ndati ndichafanofunga dzichingopfuure hadzo.

Ndaiva ndakutozviona ndave kuHarare ,ndichigarawo kahupenyu kari nani naMalcom wangu.I found myself smiling ndikazoita zvekutovhundukira pandakazorangarira kuti ndaive nemunhu paside.

"Ndave kuda kuenda." Ndakazodaro after tamboti taurei mbijana zvikanzi "Mira ndikupushe."

Handina kuramba ndakangoti "Ehoo", iye achibva adaidzira kuna mao Vanessa avo vainge vave kuruware kwavaiti kunobata network, achivati"Pau!"

Vakadairawo mai Vanessa vacho vachiti "Hee" ,uku phone iri mumaoko vakanzi "Huya pano iwe."

Vakauya kwataive tairi vakasvika nekunditi "Makoti!" ndikati "lii mai Vanessa!" "Ndatadza here?", she asked laughing ndikati "Ehee", Malcom ndokuti "Iwe shaa ndave kumboperekedza Zvama."

"Iri bhoo ndoona wadzoka."

Malcom akadaira achiti "Iri bhoo" ,ini ndikanzi "Zvama ndichazodzoka hangu kumaraini kwenyu" ,ndikangotiwo "Ehoo."

Takangoti fambei mbijana naMalcom ndichibva ndazomuti achidzokera zvake nekuzeza kuzosangana nevasori vababa vangu.Haana kuita nharo akangoti "Saka ndokuona kuswera mangwana", ndikangobvumiranawo nazvo.

Tichangoti pesanei,ndakanzwa kuseka ndikacheuka ndokuona kumashure kwangu kuine mumwe musikana aidzidza naMuchanyara uyo ainzi Gretwin nemumwe wake.Ndiye aive aita makuhwa aive azokonzeresa kuti tizorovane paye naMuchanyara.

Ndaive ndisingade zvekutaura saka ndakangoita sekunge ndisina kutomuona ndikaramba ndichifamba.

Kuswera mangwana yataive tataurira naMalcom yakatondinonokera zvekuti payakazosvika pacho ndakaita kufara.Malcom wandaive ndakatarisira haana waakatuma kuzondidaidza apa ndakatoswera ndakaringa nzira ndichiti zvimwe mai Vanessa vachangobudikirawo.

Atove mangwana acho ndipo pandakazoona ndatumirwa kamwana kaigara kumaraini kwedu ikoko kuti kazondidaidza.Kakasvika kachiti kuna



mama "Ndatumwa kuna Zvamada." Mama vakakati "Kutumwa nani nhaai Tanatswa?"

Ndakakasika kuziva nyaya dzangu kwave kutomhanya panze paye kunokavhara-vhara but mama vaive vatobata nyaya dzacho. Vakaseka zvavo mai vangu ndokuzoti "Hanzi chii nhai Zvamada? Uri kudiwa nani?"

I was not expecting kuti vachaseka ,zvakatondishamisawo but at the same time ndakatonzwawo kakurerukirwa kwakutozoona kuti mai vangu ndovaitove zvese zvangu.NaChido taiwirirana hedu but kwete zvekudaro.Hushamwari hwedu hwaive hwekubatira pamusoro nepamusana pekuti aive owanza shamwari dzekuchikoro dzaienderana naye, isu mahome defender tozongoonekwa panguva yekuenda kurukova,kuhuni or kutsime.



"Mama pane mukomana ari kuda kundiona." Ndakaerekana ndadaro kwakumbosunga-sunga hembe ndichimirira kupindura kwavo.

Ndaive ndane 17 years and palevel rekumusha ndainge ndatokura. Vamwe vangu vaive vakashayirwawo mari dzekuenda kuzvikoro seni vainge vatove nemisha yavo.

Besides vamwe vanhu, sisi vangu, Precious aive akatoroorwa aine 16 saka inini nguva yangu yaive yatokwanawo.

"Ndewepi?" Mama vakabvunza after a deep sigh, ndikati "Ndewe kuHarare but vabereki vake vari kwaMutawatawa."

Vakamboti zii vakangonditarisa ndokuzoti "Ehoo, endai munoonekwa.Hongu mukomana akanaka kuva naye ende handingakurambidze kuti usamuite asi, ngwarai vasikana! Handidi kukutyisidzira zvangu,asi ndoda kungokurangaridza kuti ugara uchiziva kuti baba vako vaitombovewo mukomana!"

"Ndozviziva mama." Ndakapindura ndichigutsurira musoro zvikanzi

"Ehoo, haikona kuzoita zvinonyadza munzira imomo.Fambirai munzvimbo dzakasununguka."

"Ehoi mama."

Handina kuzoda kumirira kuudzwa zvimwe ndakabva ndatongobuda ndikamhanya kunosangana naMalcom.Ainge akatomira pane kamwe kamukoto kainanga kurukova achibayabaya phone yake.

Pandakangomuti baa chete, hana yakabva yatotanga kurova, mumaokowo mukatanga kuita kamwe kakudikitira.

Ndakazvishingisa kusvika paaive ari iye achibva atosmiler achiisa phone yake muhomwe achibva ati "hesi" ,extending his hand for a shake.

Ndakamumhoresa ndichiti "Mushe urisei?" ,akapindura achiti "Bhoo", achibva atanga kutambisa-tambisa ruoko rwangu.

Akaramba akaribata achiita sekunge pane zvaaiterera mariri ndokuzoti "Ndanga ndakusuwa." ndikangogegedzera ndichinyara kungodaira kuti kana neniwo.

Sezvo pataive takamira paive panzira paipfuura



nevanhu vakawanda akabva ati timbofambafamba ndikabvumirawo.

Takafamba ruoko rwangu rwakangobatwa chete achibva azotangidza nyaya yake achiti "Ndauya shaa kunyaya yangu."

Ndakamboti zii ndokuzongonzwa ndoti "Aaa" ,zvikanzi "Handingatomirire futi Zvama.Inini hangu ndiri kutokuda zve serious.Ndakuda kutoroora hangu cause handisi kuda kuzotorerwa."

I giggled ndikati "Malcom ka!", zvikanzi "Serious, ndidewo ndifare Zvamada."

Ndakasekerera nekugutsurira at the same time, zvikanzi "Is that a yes?"



Ndakadzokorodza iko kugutsurira nekusekerera ndokutotsikitsira musoro wangu pasi iye achibva atomirawo mberi kwangu kwave kuita kuti ndimutarise.

Akandibata chirebvu ndokusimudza face yangu ndikadzokorodza kuudzwa kunzi "Ndati ndinokuda." Ndakamboti zii mbijana ndokuzodairawo nemiromo ndichiti "Kana neniwo."

Ndisati ndatofunga zvimwe zvekutaura ndakazongoona ndadhonzerwa mutight hug.Ndaive ndisati ndakambozviitwa zvekumbundirwa izvi zvekuti ipapa kahana kangu kakatoita kamwe kakurova ndikazozviudza kuti I had to relax.

Hug yacho haina kunyanya hayo kutora nguva



yakareba, Malcom akazongondiregedzera ndokunditi "Thanks."

Haanawo kumirira kupindurwa ,he took my hand again tikatanga kutofamba.

Takasvika paiva pakanyarara paine matombo nemiti tikanopagara kwakutanga kuita zvemaphotos.

Takatora akawanda, Malcom akazoita zvekugara padombo kwakundigarisa pamakumbo.Akangotora two maphotos takadaro, tapedza achibva atoisa phone yacho muhomwe ndokunditarisa.

Kakunyara kaive kakuita kachitsakatikawo mbijana mbijana zvekuti paakanditarisa pacho handina kutotizisa maziso.Takaramba takatarisana ndikazovhunduka ndanzwa maoko ake ave kundibata muwaist.Ndakapotsa ndaita zvekujumper ndichida kutiza achibva akasika kunditi "Relax."

Rimwe ruoko rwakauya kuface kwangu achibva ambonditarisa ndokupuruzira dama rangu nekuseri kwezvigunwe zvake kwakuti

"You are so beautiful."

Ndakangongonyaririra ndikazongonzwa muromo wake watomhara pane wangu achibva atanga kutondikissa. Ndakamboda kutanga ndicharamba kupedzisira ndatozovharawo maziso ndikatanga kuterera how his tongue was performing in my mouth.

Ndakatozoita zvekuvhunduka ,ndikavhura maziso kwakungonyamuka asina kutozvitarisira ndikanomira nechekure.

Iye akangoseka zvake mbijana ndokuzoti "Toenda?", ndikati "Ehee", achibva atondipa ruoko rwake kuti ndimubatsire kusimuka ndikaitawo saizvozvo.

Takapinda muroad tikatanga kutevedza nzira tichitaura nyaya dzingori general ndokuzopesana ave kutora road yekumba kwavo ini ndava kuendawo kwedu.

Week rese takazoripedza tave kutodanana ,ndave kutodaidzwa ndichinzi 'amaiguru' namai Vanessa.Kana kumba kwedu vaive vakungogara vachiuya kuzondiona .

Mazuva akafamba tikatobata rimwe svondo
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macheck ups ,vakapedzisira vave kuenda vega
nepamusana pekushomeka kwemari dzebhazi
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zvekuti vakapedzisira vazonzi vaite
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tikanovasiya ikoko.Tete Grace vainge vatori
vahombe kuna baba vangu asi vaive vasina kana

mwana or murume.Mbereko yaiva yakavanetsa saka vaingogara zvavo naamai vavo.Vaiita zvekurapa nekubatsira vanhu vachishandisa mishonga yechibhoyi.Vaiti kana vasiri kubatsira vanhu vaiita zvekugadzira zvuma and dzimwe nguva ndaitombonovabatsira.

Tichibva kunosiya amai kwaMurehwa ndakatanga kunzi natete "Iwee unowirirana panyaya dzei nemwana wekwambuya Ano?"

"Mai Vanessa?" Ndakabvunza just to be sure zvikanzi "Ehee ,mwana wemumvana wavo handiti?"

"Ehee, haa tinongowirirana pakuti ndinombonoshanda kumba kwavo." "Hoo ndanga ndati ndisahwira vako ka!"

"Hii munhu mukuru uye,hatina kana nyaya."

Vakamboti nyararei mbijana sezvo taive tichimboita tichimisa mota ndokuzoti "Vakauya kumba uku musi uno vakatanga kundibvunza nezvezvuma, vakatanga kungotaura nyaya hobho hobho ndikangoona kuti pane basa!"

Ndakaseka ndikati "Vakambozvitaura zvavo", she clicked her tongue vakati "Murwere uya! Anga aisimbirira yezvuma iyoyo apa aida zviye zvinobhowa kugadzira zviye."

"Tuye tudiki tudiki?"

"Ehee hanzi ndoda chakareba chekuti ndopeta kana katatu, ndikazotopedza nyaya yacho ndamuudza kuti ndinongogadzirira vanhu vanosvikirwa chete kwete vanhu vese vese ,zvikanzi hoo!"

Maitiro avaiita acho akaita kuti ndiseke ndichibva ndazoti "lii inga zvakaoma!"

Takatozongokwira kamwe kamota tichingotaura nyaya yamai Vanessa iyoyi kusvika tisvike kumba.

Mazuva iyayo kuchipatara kwaive kwatova kwemazuva ese chaiko zvekuti naMalcom taive tisisaonane.lye hake akatozvinzwisisa pandakamuudza pacho nezve kurwara kwamai vangu achibva atonditi achamboenda kwaMutawatawa for some days since mazuva ake eleave aive achakawanda.

Handina kuzombomutsvaga or kurasikira kumaraini kwavo semunhu aiva audzwa zvekwaMutawatawa.

Rimwe zuva ndakamutswa natete makuseniseni vachiti amai vaive vabatsirwa mwana musikana.

Ndakaita kufara ndikatanga kutogadzirira kuti tinoona mwana. Ndakasiya ndabikira vana vamai vangu ndokutonanga kwaambuya ndichida kunosiya Zvisi pamwe nekutora tete.

Ndasvikira baba vakatogara zvavo vachitotaura zvine kakupopota mukati ndikashaya kuti vainge vamukira nguvai.

Ndakasvika vachiti "Ndinomupirei mari yangu munhu ari kundiroya? Ngaagare hake ka!" Ndakasvikopfugama ndikavati "Mamukasei baba" ,vachibva vanditarisa ndokudairira pasi pasi vachiti "Tamuka."

Handina kuda kumirira kunzwa zvaitaurika ipapo ndakatoratidza tete kuti ndaitomhanya zvakapfurikidza.

Ndini ndega ndaingofara chete rimwe team rese raitongove low low ndikangoconcluder ndega kuti yaive nyaya yekuti mwana ainge aita musikana.

Vari tete ndakatozoita vekuti "Muri kudii nhasi?", vachibva vambotanga vatarisa hanzvadzi yavo ndokuzoti "Tiri kuenda."

Vakamboti zii zvekare tete vacho, ndokumboputa bute ravo ravaigara vainaro padhuze kwakuzoti kuna baba "Chingotipai shoma ,ko zvikanzi vabude nhasi tinofamba navo sei nemucheche?"

Baba vaitaudzwa vacho vakabva vatosimuka sekunge vadzingwa ndokuti "Ndakuudzai kuti mari yekumupa handina inini, iye aiita nhumbu handiti kuzvitemba ?Anoziva homwe yake munogona kutozoshamisika achibuditsa mazimari."

"Mwanangu!" ambuya vakada kutaura vakapindurwa kunzi "Mari handina ini, ndakuudzai zviri kutoitika panapa."

"Ehoo!" ambuya vakadaira ,baba vachibva vatobuda.

Takasara takangonyararidzana muye, tete vakazotosimuka pava paye vave kuita zvekugadzirira.

Takaenda kwaMurehwa tikasvikopinda pavisit ya10am.Ndakaita kunonzi kufara nekuona mwana wedu, ndikasvika ndichikatakura nekutotanga kuvarairwa nako.Mama, vaingosekerera zvepadenga but she was not even happy, maoko aive akangoitwa ekugumbatwa.

"Nemakorokoto muroora." Tete vakazodaro vave kudongorerawo mwana,mama panzvimbo yekuti vadaire kwakubva vatanga kuchema.

"Mama" ndakadaro ndichivatarisa vachibva vangopukuta misodzi ndokunyepera kusekerera kwakuti, "Ndeedu tese", ignoring kudaidza kwandaiva ndavaita.

Pavakapedza kudaro vakabva vatanga kuchema zvekare ndokutadza kuzvidzora kwakupedzisira vazotaura zvaive pamoyo pavo vachiti "Asi tete mungabva mandidaro shuwa here? Ndimi munhu anondiziva imimi mungabva madairirawo zvinotaurwa nehanzvadzi yenyu?Ndingatange kumuroya nhasi Sylvester nemakore ese aakandishungurudza aya?"

Ndakabvisa maziso angu kuna mama ndikatarisa tete avo vakabva vakasika kuti "Handina kuvadairira ini maiguru,makanyatsonzwa zvandakataura paphone paya?"

"Ehee makanditi maiguru kana pane zvamakaita kune hanzvadzi yangu taurai."

"Kwaive kungobvunzawo zvangu sezvo zvirizvo zvakauya zvichitaurwa nababa Pure kumba uku manheru. Vaitochema zvisvinu hanzi masango matema hapana kana chiri kubatwa, kwanzi

last time pavakapinda musango vakaurayirwa imbwa yavo nenjiri."

"Saka hanzi vakatofamba kwese vakaudzwa kunzi ari kuvaroya ndini?"

"Ndizvo zvavakataura ndikatovati manyepo! Ndaive ndakungokuudzaiwo senyaya imimi muchibva matoita hasha."

"Zvakandibata tete handidi kunyepa.lko kamudzonga kenyama kavakatipa paye ndiko katava kutonzi tavaroyera? Handisati ndakamboona murume anonyima saSylvester ini!"

Vakamborovanidza maoko ndokuzoenderera voti "Asi makatoita zvenyu basa nekuti pamakafona paye ndakabva ndatongotanga kurwadziwa ndikazobatsirwa zvakanaka pasina zvekuchekwa zvandaifanira kuitwa."

"Sorry mai Precious muroora ,ini ndaingokuudzawo paye ndichiti kungotaura."

"Hazvina basa tete.Iri hanzvadzi yenyu dzingori plan dzekutiza kuchengeta vana vake chete ndinozviziva."

Vakadaro vachikwidzira madzihwa ndikanzwa kudzimbikana mumoyo.

Takambobuda tikazodzoka futi paafternoon visit ,tikanzi mama vaizobuda zuva raitevera. Takaonekana navo ,ndikasiya ndakissa munin'ina wangu ndokuzomudzosera kuna mama.

Takabuda natete tikafamba kusvika pamushika -shika pataikwirira takangonyararidzana .Pfungwa dzangu dzaitova kure,kungoziva kuti mai vangu vainongedzwa huroyi hwavaive vasina kwakandirwadza.

Takakwira kaopen truck takawanda ndikanogara kucorner ndokuita zvekuisa musoro wangu pakati pemabvi. Handina kumbochinja magariro angu kusvika tisvike.

Ndakaita kuzozunzwa natete tasvika pachigayo pataiburukira vachiti "Tasvika" ,tichibva taburuka.

"Sorry zvako Zvamada, handina kuti mai vako vane zvavakabata ini asi kuti takangotadzana kunzwisisana pamafoni apa.Ndaitongoti ndiri kutongovaudzawo zvaitaurwa nemurume wavo."

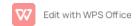
Ndakangogutsurira musoro ndisingade kutonzwa zvakawanda nekuti ndaive ndatoita conclusion yangu kudhara.

Takazosvika kumba tanyararirana
ndikangokwazisa ambuya nevamwe
ndokudarikira kwedu kumba uko
kwandakasvika ndichirongedza mumba medu
nekugadzirira kuuya kwekacheche.

Mamwe magumbeze ndaive ndakatobva kutomawacha atongomirira kuzopfugwa chete.

Ndakatora nguva yangu ndichidonongodza mumba ndikazonzwa kudaidzwa naSekai uyo aive panze achitamba naZvisi.

Ndakabuda ndikaona paina Mike uyo ainge akamira nechekure ,rekeni dzake dziri muhuro



achingocheuka-cheuka sekunge pane waainge asiya kumashure.

Ndakasekerera ndikasvika paari ndichiti "Ndeipi" ,akaita zvekuvhunduka Mike wacho ndokuzoti "Uri sei Zvama?"

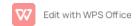
"Bhoo, kuri sei kumba?"

"Bhoo,ndatumwa naMalcom."

"Hii ko akatodzoka?" Ndakabvunza smile yave kunzeve zvikanzi "Kubvepi?"

"Ko kwaMutawatawa ka!"

"Haa haana kuzoenda uyu, atoriko kumba



,handiti hanzi waive busy here kuchipatara?"

"Ehee ndaiienda zvangu but not everyday, ipapa ndiri kutoti zvimwe haatoriko."

Haana kudaira zvandakataura akatongoti "Saka watii?" ,ndikati

"Nekudii zviya?",zvikanzi

"Kunomuona ka!"

"Hii izvezvi handidi kukunyepera, ma1! Nguva uri kudziona?"

"Handiti matwo minutes."

"Aiwa kwadoka uku plus ndine vana vari kuda kubikirwa."

"Saka ndogona kuzodzoka zvangu manje manje ndokutora womuona zvema seconds?"

"Zvanhasi zvatopfuura iwee Mike! Handiti achiripo hake?"

He nodded ndikati "Saka ndotozomuona zvekuswera mangwana nekuti mangwana acho ndinenge ndisitoripo futi.Uudze mbuya kuti mama vangu vaane mwana musikana, ndiri kutonovatora mangwana." **End of Chapter**

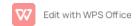
Chapter 7

Pauline

Naambuya vangu dzaizotokwana 6dzemanheru sadza ratobikwa kare. Vaiti vakaona kuti ini handisi kutoda zvekubika, vaingotora tupoto twavo chinyararire vozvibikira vega.

Semusi uyu,ndivo vakabika zvavo sadza ravo ini ndakatozvarara zvangu pabonde ndichiita zvephone yangu.

Ndaive ndichitotaura naTawanda wangu as usual.KaVanessa kaivemowo mukitchen imomo,



kakambotanga kachanetsa nekuda kupihwa attention kupedzisira kazongokotsira kega.

Ndakatozovhunduka ambuya vave kunditi "Ronga maplates ndipakure", ndichibva ndatosimukawo ndokuvarongera maplates acho kuti vapakure .Handina kumirira kuzotumwa zvimwe, ndakabva ndatodzokera zvekare pakunozvabarara.

"Mutsa mwana!" Vakadaro zvekare mbuya ndikapotsa ndatocomplaina ndichiti "Aaah!" ,kwakuzozvidzora.

Ndakarova-rova kaVanessa mutumatama kachibva katomuka ndikaita kekugadzika kwave kukagezesa maoko.

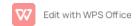
Kakambotanga kachida kutodonhera mundiro nehope kakazoti banganukei zvakpo after ndatombokachichidzira ndichiti ndaizokarova.



"Vakomana varimo here muboy sky?" Ambuya vakabvunza, vave kutotambararawo pavaive vakagara kuti vachidya sadza ravo, ndikangosimuka paye ndisina kuvapindura ndokubva ndangonanga kuboysky kwacho kwairehwa kuti ndinodaidza Malcom naMike.

Ndakasvikomira padoor ndanzwa Malcom achiti kuna Mike "Wakadhakwawo iwee, ndiri kukuudza wani kuti hanzi kanodzidza paZaranyika secondary iwe uri kutotaurawo zvako wega! Ndiko kakatondidaidza and kubva ipapo tiri kutongosasa paphone ,kungoti matext hayo dai iri whatsApp ndaikuratidza pic."

Mike wacho akapindura achiti "Kungoti muno maGoso handisati ndambonzwa kazita kechirungu ikako! Mati hanzi anonzi ani?"



"Beyonce mhani!"

Mike akaseka ndokuti "Hamuone kuti manyeperwa here blaz?"

"Haa iwee saka kwangu kupusa here? Hona ka dai ndakakatanga ndiri ini ndaigona kuti ndabhaizwa ,but hona ndiko kakatonditsvaga!"

Laughing "Beyonce?"

"Saka uri kuti hapana wausingazive maGoso mese nhaiwe Mike?Uri kuzhinyei ipapa?"

"Blaz ndinoziva team rese remuno unless achitobva zvake kure, of which Zaranyika



yakangozara nemastudents emedu muno!"

Malcom clicked his tongue kwakuti,"Wakadhakwa iwewe, apa handitozive kuti kwana Zvama kwacho wakusvika here or watogumira zvako munzira?"

Ndakazogogodza door ndatadza kubatanidza nyaya dzacho, Mike akatanga ati kuna Malcom "Ndasvika kani mudhara veduwee"

Malcom haana kupindura ,akabva atodaira zvake gogoi yangu achiti "Eeeh", ndikati "Handisi kupinda ,tapedza."

Handina kuzomirira mhinduro ndakabva ndangonanga kukitchen kunodya,boys dzikazoteverawo pava paye. Takapedza kudya Mike achibva azoti "Mbuya ndaona Zvamada nhasi, ati ndikuudzei kuti mai vake vakabatsirwa ,vaane mwana musikana."

"Yuwii inga makorokoto!"

"Haa makorokoto sure."

"Haa inga zvamurambira zvechikomana mai Pure ,ngaabva atongosiyana nazvo." Gogo vakadaro ini kwakutsigirawo ndichiti "lii ngavachisiyana nazvo ,ana Zvama ndivo vachazovazvarira.Vave nevana vangani?"

Mbuya vakambotanga vaverenga zvigunwe zvavo vachizevezera mazita ndokuzoti "5 vasikana",ndikati "Yuwii zvairi girls high! Vakaignowa zvekuti girls high izvi kwakutotarisa Mike ndokumuti

"Saka vatova kumba?",vakapindurwa kunzi "Hanzi vanouya mangwana"

"Saka ndoendako kuswera mangwana handiti inenge yave saturday ,ndizvo?"

"Ehee ,iniwo ndiri kuenda kuHarare Saturday." Mike akadaro zvikanzi nambuya "Horaiti, mari unouya wotora mangwana."

Ndakarongedza zvataive tadyira ,ndikatsvaira ndokuzosimudzana nemwana wangu kwakuenda kunorara.

Ambuya vakambosara vachiwanza nyaya neboys ndokuzoteverawo dzava kuma8.Ndaive ndisati ndarara but pavakapinda vachindidaidza ndakatovaignowa cause nyaya dzavo dzaisapera. Marooms edu aive panext nepanext zvekuti dzimwe nguva kana twakakwidza taitombotaura nyaya ivo vari muroom mavo ini ndiri mangu.

Manje apa I was fully naTawanda paphone ndaisada kutovhiringwa.

Makuseni ndakamutswa necall yake Tawanda ndikatanga ndambofuga musoro ndokuzodaira ndichiti "Baby", kukanzi "Hesi sweety,wamuka bhoo?"

I giggled ndikati "Ndamuka bhoo, ko iwewe?"

"Murehwa vanawa vamuka zvavo bhoo,kungokusuwa chete unoziva?"

"Munhu wandakabva mukuona manje manje?"



"Hameno zviri kutoitika pandiri, ndatokusuwa serious. Ndouya here kuzokuona weekend?"

"Kunoku?"

"Togona kuenda kunotandara KwaBhora or ku44 kukalodge kandaikuudza kaye ,hanzi panonzi paVillage chii chii.."

Ndakamudimbura asati atopedza kutaura ndichiti "hii kwaBhora kuresa, handichada zvangu kukuuya ini apa brother yangu diki iri kuno ka!"

He breathed out loudly ndokuzoti "Saka toita sei?"

Waingove mubvunzo waakazozvipindura ega ave kuti "Ko haukwanise kundikembesa paden

pako here ndozomukira zvangu kubuda makuseni-seni?"

"Tawanda mumba medu hamuite ,room yemuchembere vangu is next to mine apa hadzina maceiling ka ,zvese zvinoitika mangu vanotozvinzwa,ezvi ndatopfuga musoro kuti vasatondinzwe."

"Eeeh saka chindiudza zvekuita iwewe, todii kuti tionane?"

Akataura ne tone iya yemuramwa ndikamuti "Ndiri kutoshaya kuti ndodii?"

"Uchazondigaya zvako mai Vanessa, ndini ndega ndongoisa effort pazvese iwewe unenge uchingoita kunge kateenager so! Lets use kanguva katinenge tiinako ikako." "Ibvaapo usataura kunge uri kuda kufa."

"I am serious ka! Ucharoorwa nevanhu vepaden penyu here iwewe?"

"Handina kumbodaro Tawanda."

"Haa iri bhoo, uchazondigaya hako kuti benzi riye raindida!"

"Kuzokugaya waendepiko?"

"Hapana hapo kwandiri kuenda, kungotaurawo zvangu,anyway haisi nyaya.Ndichauya ikoko kuzongokuona hangu ndodzoka."

"Kwedu kunoku?" Ndakabvunza ndavhurisa maziso zvino zvikanzi "Eheee ndouya ikoko ndokuonera paden penyu ndodzoka zvangu,handiti waramba zvekuuya?"

"Sorry Tawanda."

"Sorry chii? Ndini ndiri kuda munhu wangu saka kuti ndisauye hazviite,hanzi ka kure kwegava ndokusina mutsubvu! Wakandipei nhaai Pauline?"

Ndakasekenyeka ndichitarisa kuwindow ndichizama kufunga zvandaive ndamupawo zveshuwa kuti andide kudaro ndikazvishaya.

"Hee?" Ndakamunzwa obvunza futi ndikati "Aaa iwee hapana apa!"

Akangoseka mbijana ndokuzoti "Iri bhoo, rega

ndichimuka ndiende kumaworks" ,ndikamutangirawo kumuti

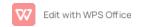
"I love you Tawanda", zvikanzi "I love you more."

Ndakambodzokera pakurara ndikazomuka dzatove kuma8 mbuya vave kutotsvaira zvavo chivanze.

Ambuya vakazoenda kwana Zvamada kunoona mwana musi weSaturday zuva raiuyawo Tawanda.

Malcom akabva abudawo akachena-chena achiti aive ombowaya-waya, Mike haana kutouya nenyaya dzekuenda kuHarare dzaainge ataura, ndikatofarawo kuti munhu wangu ndaizomuona zvakanaka.

Ndakaperekedza mbuya ndakavatakurira zvinhu zvavaive vati zvemakorokoto vakatozoita zvekundidzora vachiti "Chidzokera kumba tasiya kusina vanhu ka."



Ndaive ndatovanyengerera kuti vagoendawo naVanessa saka ndaive nemukana wakanaka.Dzimwe pfungwa dzakambonditi ndivharirane naTawanda mumba medu kwakuzokasika kunyatsozvigaya ndikaona kuti taigona kuzobatwa ndikazoshaya pekupinda nenyadzi.

Ndakazogeza Tawanda paakanditi ainge ave munzira kuuya ,ndikanyatsochena nekuitawo makeup yangu mushe mushe. Munhu aibva kuHarare wacho haana kana kutombononoka,pasina nguva ainge ave kutonditi "Ndakwira ndave kusvika maGoso menyu,handiti wakati ndoburukira pachigayo?"

"Yes" ndakapindura nekukasika zvikanzi "bhoo." Pasina kana nguva akabva azofona futi achiti



aive aburuka ,ndikakiya madoors ese kwave kubuda ndichimhanya.

Yard yedu yaive yakakura zvekuti taive nepekurima pakakura,garden hombe poti kasango kedu tega kekuti taisatotsvaga huni kumwe.

Misha yekwaGoso yaive kure nakure zvekuti neighbor yedu yainzi amai Kiri taisatoonana nayo zvekudaro.

Ndakabuda nepakamukoto kaibva nekumatanga kwemombe kachinanga kuchigayo straight ndikasvikowana Tawanda atomira pachiteshi achibaya-baya phone yake uku bhachi riri mumaoko.

Ndakatora phone yangu and I buzzed him achibva atosimudzawo musoro kwakubva andiona ndokutanga kufamba achiuya



kwandaive ndiri.He crossed the road ,maoko atovhurwa for a hug ndikanomujambirawo nemufaro.

"My wife."Akadaro still hugging me tightly ,ndikati "Hiii ndafara!"

"Wafunga kuti ndiri kubhaiza ka?"

Akabvunza maoko ake ave kutosvitswa kumabums ndikazotadza kudaira zvaaive ataura padarika imwe lorry yaive yakatakura jecha. Varume vaivemo vakadaidzira vachiti "Hamuna kumba here vanhu imi?", vamwe vachitiwo "Ipfambi iyi hakuna mukadzi wemumba anonzwarwo."

Ndakangobva pana Tawanda ndikatanga kutovadzoserawo varume vaye ndichitukirira .Tawanda akamboedza kundidzora zvikashaya basa ,tikaramba tichishaudhana nevarume verori ravo kusvika vatsakatika nenzira.

Ndakaridza zitsamwa pandakaona rori iya isisaoneke Tawanda achibva angoturawo mafemo ndokuzunza musoro.

He didn't comment ,akatoita kunge paive pasina chaitika ndokuti "Saka urisei?", ndikati "Ndiri bhoo", zvikanzi "Ndave kutotya kukubata kana ruoko chairwo."

Ndakaswedera mudhuze make ndikamubata ndiri ini ruoko and gave him my assurance yekuti "Usatombotye hapana kana ane basa,ndiripo!"

Taive tongodzika neroad tichinanaira kusvika azoti "Saka tiri kuendepi?", ndikati"kungofamba"

"Haa ndaneta amana, ngatitsvagei pekugara."



Akadaro achikotama nekutobata mabvi ake nemaoko ake ese maviri ndikati "Tawanda ka!"

"Kumba kwenyu ndekupi?"

"Yese iyi ichitori yard yedu, ukaburukira pakadombo aka unobva wangobudikirawo pamba pedu straight. Iyo bus stop yepachigayo tongoiitira vaenzi chete kuitira kuti vasazorasika."

Akabva aita kumira ndokubata muchiuno akatarisa kwandaimuratidza kwacho ndokuzoti "Saka gogaz vatoriko?", ndikati "Vabuda", munhu kwave kuchinja nyaya from nowhere achiti "Hii zimuuyu here iro?"

Ndakatarisa kwairehwa kwacho ndikati

"Ehee",zvikanzi "Ndewenyu?"

"Tawanda iyard yedu iyi kubva pakanangana nepachigayo ,kusvika kuchidhunduru uko."

"Hii yakakura babe."

"Yakakura inini kumwe kwacho handitokuzive ipapa."

"Hande ka timbonoona, handiti iyard yenyu hapana anouya."he insisted

"Musango imomo?"

"Zvitori nani ,ini zve noise nevanhu handizvigone. Waona tanga tave kudaidzirwa



zvekupenga nevanhu vemarori."

Handina kudaira zvese zvaaitaura izvozvo ndakangomuti "Handei", tikapinda nepakamukoto kwave kuzopfochora tichienda kuzimuuyu racho iro raive rakaberekawo zvinodadisa gore iroro.

Takasvika achibva anoribata ,ndokumboyeverwa akatarisa kumusoro soro kwaive nemauyu ,ndikanzwa munhu ave kuti

"Nditorewo photo ndiri paBaobab."
Ndakangotambirawo phone yake yandaipihwa
yaitove kucamera kwakutanga kumutora
maphotos aaida.

Takapedzisira tave kuzotora mamwe maphotos tiri tese,ndakaiswa pamberi pake ,maoko ake akatenderedza waist yangu. Patakazopedza zve maphotos izvi munhu ainge atocharger kare, atochinja kana nemafemero ake .

He slowly turned me to face him and without my permission he quickly went for my lips.

I always found it so hard to resist him, ndozvandakangoita ipapo I stood on toes ,wrapped my arms around his neck and pulled him closer.

Ndaimbobatwa nekakutya kaye kekuti tiri musango but handina kuzvitevedza ndakatanga kutoterera kunakidza kwaiita kukisswa naye pamwe nemanyerekedzero aiita maoko ake pese paaisvika panyama yangu.

Ndakazongoona ndatendeudzwa kuti ndimufuratire munhu kwakutondipa sign yekuti ndibate pasi, which was so embarrassing . Ndakaramba ndakamutarisa then ended up shrugging my shoulders ndichiramba zvikanzi "Please shaa hona zvandaita.Handitore nguva."

Face yaive yonzwisa tsitsi ,voice raderedzwa and down there aive atoshatirwa zveshuwa.

Ndakaramba ndichikwiridzira mapendekete, akapedzisira azongoti ndimubatsire hangu using maoko angu nemuromo, ndikabvuma.

Hapana zvazvakabatsira zvemaoko nemuromo zvacho, zvakatomuita worse akapedzisira atozondikotamisa zvenharo ndokutanga kuita his business.

I didn't enjoy it zvangu, zvaitondirwadza but ndakangoshingirira kuti ndimufadze semunhu aive abva kure. Kuside kwake zvairatidza kuti zviri kumufayira.

He was groaning and cursing at the same time, ndichimboita ndichipihwa tumambama nekudii dii but pfungwa dzangu dzaive kure.Akazopedza zvake pave paya ndikangokwidza pant nekudzikisa dress rangu faster faster kwakubva ndamira ndakabata musana ndichizama kuutwasanudza.

Ndakazocheuka kwaari ndokungomuti "Mira", achibva angogutsurira musoro.

Ndakapfochora nepataive tambopinda napo ndikanodongorera kuroad ndichida kuona kuti kwainge kuri clear here.

Pandakaona kusina kana munhu , ndakabva ndadzoka kumunhu wangu ndikamuwana ava paphone.Ndakanzwa achitaura achiti "Paye wakamboti Fly emirates now wakutaura zveQuater airways ende zvinhu zvako zviri kungochinja....(he stopped then breathed out for a while, kwakumboterera zvaitaurwa nemumwe wake achibva azoti "Time dzichinozochinjwa seiko? Chenjera kuzosvika paairport pacho woshaya munhu anokutambira

nekuti machinjiro azviri kungoitwa aya handichamada."

Paakanzwa kuti pfokocho akabva atarisa kwandaibva nako ,ndokuzotura mafemo ekurerukirwa aona kuti ndini , kwakudzokera kunoti paphone paye.. "Utomuudza mupfana wako machanges avepo aya cause nedzungu rake riye angatomukire kugarira paairport."

He laughed out just after saying that statement kuratidza kuti pane zvainakidza zvaaive apindurwa ndokuzoti futi "Ehee dzungu anaro hake,dzungu chirwere! Achiita basa rekundiitira manyemwe zvake aina namagirazi wake ,haa mupfana wako mahwambi!"

Takasanganidzana maziso achibva andisekerera nekunditambisira tsiye dzake zvainakidzira so



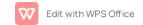
,ndikangozunza musoro chinyararire.

Ndakafamba kusvika paari ndikanomuvhara zip yake yaaive asina kuzopedzisa kuvhara.He silently blew me a kiss ndichibva ndangoridza katsamwa ndokuzopedzisira nekumusunga belt rake.

Ndakadzikisa T-shirt yake sezvayaive yakaita tisati taita mutambo wedu ndichibva ndanhonga bhachi raive rangosiiwa pasi ndokunogara zvangu pasi chaipo ndichimirira kuti apedzise kutaura paphone ndimuperekedze.

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Chapter 8



Zvamada

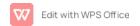
"Kuseri kwetunzeve uko wakugezesa?" Mama vakandibvunza apo ndaigezesa kacheche kedu ndikavati "Ndakugeza kwese uku."

Vakasekerera ndokuti "Saka zvaita ,kabuditsei mumvura mupfekedzane kune mhepo uku."

Ndakaitawo saizvozvo ndikakabuditsa kamwana kedu mumvura ndokukaradzika pasi ndikatanga ndakazora mafuta kwave kuzocleana paguvhu nespirit.

Pese pandaikaisa spirit kaibva kashanyarika kachiipisa chiso iniwo ndobva ndapindwa nekuteta,ndotomboda kukasiya. Mama ndivo vaitozondisimbisa kuti ndipedzise.

Ndakakapfekedza hembe ndokukaputiridza kwakuzotambidza mama avo vakabva vatanga



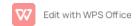
vaomberawo maoko ndokuzotambirawo vachiti "Huyai sisi ,iti maita basa vakoma mandigezesa."

I giggled ndichinogara paside pavo kwakutanga kutovayeva vachipa mwana mukaka.

Mwana wacho aiti akangonzi zamhu ndoo, obva atotanga zvake kutokotsira naro mukanwa mukaka wototanga z kutorasika zvavo. Zvisi kaiti kakaonawo zvadaro, kotanga kunenekedza kaoko kachikumbirawo mukaka wemwana iwowo, toseka zvedu.

Mama vainge vave ne two days vabuda muchipatara. Mwana ndini ndaive ndatomupa zita rekuti Kayla mushure mekunge ndatoita mutsimba namama avo vaida kumuti 'Hazvinei.'

"Kuputirira ndiko kwamusati mave kugona sisi." Vakadaro mama vachiseka pamwe



nekugadzirisa zvandaive ndatadza ndikati "liii zvinonetsa izvi mama."

"Asi wave kugona zvako, ukazoita wako hazvizotokunetse."

"Haa apa ndave kugona, zvasiyana nepaye pandaitya."

"Haiwa pays kaZvisi kacho kaive kakanyanya kuita kadiki, uyu muhombe ka haasi kutyisa."

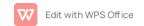
"Iii Zvisi kaityisa, kaive kakonzo aka!"ndakadaro ndave kutoseka, mama vakatadza kuzopindura tanzwa "gogogoi" panze ,ndikakasika kubata voice kuti raive rambuya Ano kwave kutomhanya panze.

"Titambire mbuya." Ndakadaro ndichinotambira plastic bag raive rakabatwa mumaoko pamwe nekuburutsawo Vanessa aive akaberekwa kumusana zvikanzi "Tambirai tione sisi vemunhu."

Havana kuenda kure vakabva vatogara pamuti wemumango uyo wataive takatenderedza nematombo mahombe ekurukova aye pamwe nejecha ,zvaibva zvaita kunge chibench. Ndakapinda mumba ndokuti kuna mama "Ndimbuya Ano."

"Ngavapinde." Mama vakadaira, mbuya Ano kwave kuita zvekushevedzera vachiti "haa muzvere ngaabude ,aaah hatisi kupinda isu mai Pure iwee."

"Aaa pindai muone muzukuru wenyu mama."



Mama vakadaro mbuya Ano kwakumborambaramba vachiti mwana aive achiri mudiki, tikasimbawo nekuvamanikidza kudzimara vazobvuma kupinda.

Vakamutambidzwa mwana vakaita kufara vachiti "Zvaari murungu nhaiwe mai Zvamada, kubereka murungu kudai! Apa muhombe sei!"

"Kachasviba sevamwe aka!" Mama vakapindurawo vachiita mwana wacho wekudongorera sekunge vaisamuziva, mbuya Ano kwakuti "haiwa kamukaradhi ,unotarisa miromo iyi nenzeve ndozvinotaura.Kafana atete vakene, amai Mariya."

"lii vaya vaiva murungu,murungu wekwaDongo!" "Aiva akatsvuka Maggy , ndiye atofana mwana uyu manje ,mese ana Zvamada mabva mapedzerwa nakasisi kadiki."

I giggled ndikati "Dai kakasvibawo!" vese vachibva vatanga kuseka.

Vanessa aiva akushayawo zvekuita nekuda kubatawo mwana akazoita zvekubatiswa nambuya vake,avo vakabva vatibvunza kuti "Anonzi ani?"

"Anonzi Kayla." Ndakakasika kudaira zvikanzi "Aiwa apa makagona! Ndiwe wakamupa ka Zvamada?" I nodded zvikanzi "Very good muzukuru ,kwete zvaamai vako zvekuda kuremedza vana."

Pakambotaurwa dzimwe nyaya vanhu vachingonakidzwa ,mbuya Ano ndokuzoti "Ko baba vake vakamuona?",mama vakapindura vachiti "Havana kuuya, havatouyi kuno.Mazuva ano ndave kuda zvekungozvigarira nevana vangu ini,ngavarege havo kuuya kwacho"

"Ndiko kutogona ,vana ivava vanotokura mai Pure, vanorwadza vachikadai asi gare gare uchachengetwa iwe! Chengeta ivava usazonyengedzwa, wopamhwa kamwe zvekare!"

"Haiwa handichada,ndadzidza amai apa handichada ndave kuda kungoraramisa vana vangu,zvemurume izvi zvaramba.Kuswera



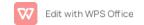
ndichanetsana namai Muchanyara nikisi ,nekuti ndakatodyiwa kudhara! Haa apa ndazotambira defeat handichada! Paye ndaiti zvimwe murume achadzoka nekuona vana asi apa haa ndatenda zvangu! Sylvester here! Mwari ave naye shuwa!"

Vaitaura vachiita sekunge vari kusekerera but deep down she was in pain.

Mbuya Ano vakambovasiya vachichema ndokuzovati "Chinyarara mwanangu."

Handina kuzoda kugara imomo ndakabva ndangobuda zvangu netuhembe twemwana ndikanotuwachira maimbove mubedroom yamama mavaive vasishandise ,kwakutotuyanika imomo.

Takabika zvemasikati tikadya nambuya Ano, vakatozooneka kwave kumazuvarovira.



Ndakavaberekera Vanessa wavo ndokuvaperekedza ndichiti "Ko mai Vanessa mavasiirei?", zvikanzi "Aaa asara uye haasi munhu wekuti ndingatakurane naye ndichinoona tucheche especially tunege tusati twadonhedza guvhu itwu.Munhu wacho anobata-bata Zvama iwee ndatomuti sara zvako!"

"Havana kuita nharo?"ndakabvunza ndichiseka zvikanzi

"Ndiye asara atori key yepamba! Handiti hakuna munhu ariko kumba kwacho! Malcom angobudawo hameno kwaaenda uyuwo Mike aenda Harare."

"Haa saka vasvotwa vega vega ikoko vakazvirega mai Vanessa!"

"Kupiko? Anotofara uyu ,Ko anomboda kuvhiringwa here kana ari paphone?Phone anozoikoshesa zvekuti fee mai Vanessa!"

Takamboti fambei vachingowanza nyaya dzamai Vanessa idzodzi ndokuzotonditi "Iii Zvamada chidzokera unoona mai nevana kumba uku."

"Ehoi mbuya maitabasa mauya."

"Hazvitendwe izvi,rega tifambe."

Vakatomboda kukanda nhanho ndokuzocheuka vachiti "Iwee kutokoshiwa kukuudza ka!"

Ndakavatarisa ndikaita "Eeeh?, iya yemunhu anenge achida kunzwa nyaya ivo vachibva

vanditi "Ndanzi namai vako ndikangokunzwira basa kana rekuHarare ndokuudza.Hanzi wave kukwanisa kuendawo kubasa."

"Aaa ko vana? Vanosara navo vega?"
,ndakabvunza sezvo iriyo reason yaigarotaurwa
namama pese pandaiwanirwa mabasa ,zvikanzi
nambuya Ano..

"Hanzi vanozvigona vega, ndivo vatonditi ndikakunzwira ndigozokuudza."

Ndaive ndisingade zvebasa izvi asi nekuti mama ndivo vaive vazvitaura ndakangobvumirana nambuya Ano ndikati "Horaiti."

Zvese zvekuti kwaive nemunhu anonzi Malcom



ndaive ndatombozvikanganwa nekuda kwekaexcitement kemucheche kandaive ndiinako.Monday takamukira

kwaMurehwa kuscale namama,ndikakuenda ndakabata mwana, ndichinzi nevanhu "nemakorokoto" nzira yese.

Takasvika paHospital mama vachibva vapinda vega mukati ini ndikasarawo kunze.

Ndakagara pamabenches ndikatanga ndichavaraidzwa nekuona varwere kupedzisira ndave kutotamba game paphone yamama yandaive ndiinayo.

Ndakavarairwa nephone kudaro, ndakazonzwa kurohwa kumusana ndikacheuka nekukasika kwakutoona vari babamukuru vangu ,murume wasisi Precious. "Hii babamukuru!" I exclaimed ndichisimuka zvikanzi "Muri sei mai mwana?"

"Ndiri bhoo, muri kuitei panapa?" Ndakabvunza vachibva vati "Tauya nasisi venyu ,vaane mwana mucheche."

"Hii sisi vanga vane nhumbu nhaai?"

"Ehee vakatobatsirwa kakomana nezuro,zvanga zvaminya ka kusvika tatozonzi tiuye kuno."

Vakapindura vachisekerera ndikati "hii inga makorokoto shuwa!"

"Haa ndeedu tese adzimai.Ko imi muri kudeiwo pano?"

"Mama vakabatsirwawo mwana musikana last week."

"Mwana?" Vakapindura vachida kutobvaruka kuseka zvavo ndikavati "Ehee", kwakuwedzera ndoti futi,"Avo mama vacho ava!"

Ndakabva ndatosimuka kunovachingura mama vacho sezvo vaive vobuda.Ndakanotambira mwana ndikamukissa ndichiti "kabaiwa?" ,ndikangodairirwa nevoice raive pasi namama vacho vachiti "Ehee mubate mushe."

Vakasvika paive nababamukuru ,vakapfugamirwa pachipatarapo ndokuomberwa vachimhoreswa.

Babamukuru vacho vaitovewo nazvo, vezvindi zvavo vakatoti kuna ambhuya vavo ,"Nemakorokoto amai" ,vakapindurwa kunzi "Ndeedu tese baba."



Pakamboita karunyararo mbijana babamukuru ndokuzotsanangurira mama zvavaive vavingawp pachipatara, mama vakatofarawo ndokumbopinda mukati vachinoona sisi Precious.

Ndakasara ndoratidzawo babamukuru mwana wedu vachibva vatondipandukirawo babamukuru vacho vave kuti "Ndave kuda zvangu Kay mukedha", ndikatoseka zvangu.

Vakatoratidza kufara "vakatondipa mari ndichinzi ndigotenga yoghurt yemwana .Kwaive kungotaurira pachikuru nekuti mari yacho yaitokwana tunhu twakati wandei.

Mama vakazobuda muye pasina kana nguva ,vakanditi ndigopindawo ndichibva ndatosiya mwana ndokupinda ndiina babamukuru.

Takasvikira sisi vakaita zvekugara vakayeva



mwana wavo uyo aive paside pavo.

She smiled pavakandiona ndokuti "Mainini Zvamada."

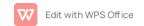
Ndakanovapa hug vakagara kudaro, ndikati "hii sisi muri sei?", zvikanzi "Bhoo."

"Nemakorokoto!" Ndakadaro ndichidongorera kacheche kacho zvikanzi "Ndeedu tese."

Babamukuru vakambobuda ndikasara ndoti "Anonzi ani boy boy?", zvikanzi "Clever."

Ndakasekerera nekugutsurira musoro ,zvikanzi "Ko arisei mwana wamama?"

"Ari bhoo" ndakadaira nekukasika ndikanzwa munhu oti "Zvakaoma!"



Handina kuzoda kutaura zvimwe ndakabva ndangonyepera kuita busy nekacheche kavo ndokuzoti "lii sisi rega ndifambe!"

Vakambotora nguva vakanyarara ,ndokuzonditi "Zvama!", ndikati "Mhaa!",kukanzi "Handina kuvenga amai ini asi kuti zvavanoita ndozvinobhowa!"

"Ndinozvinzwisisa." Ndakadaro nekukasika zvikanzi "Haufe wakazvinzwisisa unongoti zvimwe ndine hutsinye but handina! Zvinongobhowa kuona mukadzi mukuru achishingirira kuzvarira munhu asingatomude mwana. Apa mama munhu akura but vanotosacrifiser utano hwavo kuti vangofadze murume chete! Zvinondirwadza hangu."

Ndakashaya zvekutaura ndikangoti "I guess



vanenge vaine mareasons avowo."

"Ekupenga ka?"

"Sisi!",I stopped her zvikanzi

"Ehee mareasons ekupenga, kana vafunga murume wavo havatomboite basa nekuti vane muzukuru, chavo kungoda kuk.."

Ndakavadimbura vasati vatoenda kure ndikati "Ndave kuenda", vakatanga vambotura mafemo ndokuzoti "Iri bhoo."

Ndakabuda ndikaona mama vave kutotaura nemumwewo mukadzi aivewo nekamwana kacheche.Nyaya dzavo vakazodzimira pandakasvika pavari, vachibva vangoonekana tikazopinda muroad.

Mama vakamboedza kundifeya tave munzira vachibvunza zvaive zvataurwa nasisi ndikangosimba nekuvati "hapana."

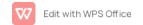
Takati tichangosvika pamba "Sekai kwave kunditi "Wanga uchitsvagwa namai Vanessa",ndikakasika kudaira ndichiti "Hoo, ndichatonovaona mangwana,hapana zvavataura?"

"Hanzi muzouya kumba."

Malcom ndaive ndatomusuwa but simba rekunomuona ndaive ndisina.

Ndakazongozviudza kuti

ndaizonomuona the following day since ndaive ndisina basa rakanyanya ,ndikangobvumirana



nepfungwa iyoyo.

Ndakabika ,tikadya ndokuzorara ndave kutononokerwa nekuonana nemunhu wangu.Kwakazoyedza ndanzwa nekungosanduka ndiri mumachira.

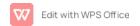
Ndakamuka ndikaita basa rese, mama vakazotomukawo ndatopedza zvese.

Mood yangu yakazotovhiringwa ndanzwa noise yembwa dzababa vangu.Ndakaridza tsamwa ndikapinda mumba maive namama ndatobitirwa.

Mama vacho vaive vangobvumbamira Kayla ndikaziva kuti vaive vatonzwawo noise yembwa.

Vakamboti zii mbijana ndokuzobvunza kuti "Ndibaba vako?", ndikangogutsira musoro.

Ndakanomira padoor ndikatanga kudongorera zvese zvaitika panze nepaburi.



Ndaifunga

kuti vachasvikawo pamba pedu though ndaisazvida zvangu, kwakushamisika munhu achitodarikira kuenda kwaamai vake.

Mama ndivo vanenge vakatoita kakubatikana nazvo asi ini ndakatofara.Ndaisatoda kuti mwana wedu aonekwe nemunhu ane hutsinye.

Baba vacho vakangoti garei kwaamai vavo ikoko ,vakazodungamidzana nedanga ravo rembwa vave kudzokera kumhiri kwavo.

Ndakazovhura door patove paye ndikatanga kutogadzirisa zvekuti tibike, tidye.

Pasina kana nguva ndakaona tete Grace vave kuuyawo kumba kwedu ,vakasvika vachidaidzira kuti "Maiguru!" ,mama ndokudaira vachiti ,"Tete" ,vakanzi "Budai munzwe!"



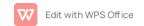
Vairatidza kuti vaive vakatoremerwa nenyaya yavo zvekuti pandakavati "Mamukasei" vakatoita zvekuvhunduka ,ndokuzoti "Tamuka."

"Mamukasei tete?" Mama vakadarowo vachibuda vakanzi "Aiwa tamuka! Ndaremerwa muroora!"

"Chiiko vatete?",mama vakabvunza vave kutoseka ini ndichibva ndatovhurisawo nzeve kuti ndinzwewo nyaya.

Kubva panyaya dzekunongedzana huroyi dziye,tete Grace vaive vakuzviswededza mudhuze mamama kuri kuedza kutisimbisa kuti vaive kuside kwedu.

"Matiiko vatete?" Mama vakabvunza zvekare



ndokuwedzera voti "simba mumakumbo hamuchina vatete taurai tinzwe!"

"Mai Pure iwee! Bhudhi vanga vauya kuzotizivisa kuti Muchanyara wavo uya wavaiti hee fees what what 'akatizira nezuro!"

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Chapter 9

Zvamada

"Kutizira?" Mama vakadzokorodza zvaive zvabva mukutaurwa natete vachiita kutoshamisika uku



vakabata muchiuno.

Ndakatarisawo tete ndichitadza kutozvibvuma kuti munhu aidadwa naye achinzi ari kuendeswa kuchikoro ndiye aive azotizira.

"Zvakaoma maiguru, hanzi atove kumurume Muchanyara mufunge!"

Tete vakadaro vachirovanidza maoko ,mama ndokuti "Anga ave nenhumbusu?",zvikanzi natete "kupi? Hanzi akabuda zvake nezuro manheru vanhu varara kwave kusiya avharira kamunin'ina kake mumba ,ndiye hutu kunoona kakomana. Hanzi baba vake vakatonzwa imbwa kuita noise time dzaakabuda dzacho,vakati zvimwe imbavha ndokubuda ka paye kutarisa kwese vakashaya.Pavakazoti vatarise munhanga memwana wavo kudai, kwakuona musina kana munhu!"

Vakambomira kutaura vakamedza mate

ndokuzoenderera voti "Hanzi vakabva vangomirira kudzoka kwake munhu kwakudzoka zvake kuma twerufu!"

"12am?", ndakabvunzisisa ndakavhurisa maziso zvikanzi "Ehee, aaah vanga vachamudii mwana adzoka nguva idzodzo!"

"Inga muri kutotiudza nyowani nhaai tete!"
Mama vakadaro vachiseka zvekupererwa
pamwe nekungorovanidza maoko zvikanzi
natete "Zvakaoma mai Pure, hanzi Mamoyo
ambonetsa akati wangu hapana kwaanoenda,
bhudhi vakati wakajaidzwa!"

"Inga zvakaoma, zviripi zvainzi hee dhokotera wangu, hee anozogona chikoro ,handiti hanzi ainge atori muprefect paZaranyika paye?"

"Mufunge zvenyu, achipfeka bhachi rine nyembe mese umu! Achifamba achiita kunge pasi parikupisa so! Nhasi zviripi? Haa anyadzisa fani!"

"Anonzi Muchanyara makanganwa?" Ndakadaro ndichiseka tete ndokuti "Aaa ndizvozvo, havasati vati, vachatonyara zvavo kupfuura ipapo vakazvirega.Ndakazviona kubva kare kuti mwana akasvinurisa uya!"

"Aiwa kungwara akangwarisa!" Mama vakatutsirawo.

"Kufana amai vake ka! Anga achazvisiirepi?" Tete vakadaro mama ndokuti "Eeeh vanasikana vedu ava,Zvakaoma!" Tete vakanditarisa kwakuti "Watangirwa nemunin'ina ka!",ndikati "Yuwii ngaaende hake ini ndinoroorwa Harare nemurume ane mota!"

Vakaputitsa chikwee vachirovana maoko, ndichibva ndazotovanyararidza ndave kuti "Ndewepi babandiki vangu?" ,ndichitevedzera matauriro aiita ambuya vangu avo vaisanganisa chiputukezi nechishona ,tete vakatomboseka mbijana ndokuzoti "Hanzi Muchanyara paakabvunzwa akati iye aive nemuzukuru wambuya venyu ava ka!"

"Vapi?", takabvunzirana pamwe chete namama zvikanzi "Venyu vaive pano zuro ava, ambuya vechisikana chemusindo ichi chekundinetsera chuma!" "Mbuya Ano?" Mama vabvunza vachivhurisa maziso ndikatanga kunzwawo kahana kangu kurova.

"Muzukuru wavo?", ndakabvunza makumbo ave kutodedera izwi rakutozhezhera ,tete vakambotanga vanditi ndee ndokuzoti "Hanzi akabva Harare manje manje, kwanzi mwana wemumvana wavo wekwaMutawatawa uko!"

"Malcom?" ndakabvunza ndaita kakukotamira expecting kuti vachati 'its Mike' ,kwakushamisika vachiti

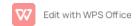
"Eheeede Hanzi anonzi Malcom! Ndizvozvo chaizvo saka waitovaziva babamunini vako?"

Ndakakwanisa kungobwaira-bwaira maziso kwakudzungudza musoro ndave kunzwa kunge ndafambwa nezichando kubva kumakumbo kusvika kumusoro. Tete vakaenderera voti "Hanzi anga ava kutoramba iye Malcom wacho,hanzi vatopupudzira vachingoramwidzana Muchanyara! Malcom-yo achiti dzokera, baba vakowo vachitwo dzokera.Kuita mwana wekupasirana kunge bhora!"

Ndakavhurisa maziso ndikaita kuridza iri mhere ndichiti "Malcom!", tete vakanditi "Mainini!"vachishamisika ,ndikazvijunga pachest ndichiti "Tete Malcom mukomana wangu inini!"

"Heee?" Mama vakakanukawo vachibata muchiuno vanditarisa zvino ndikati "Mama ,Malcom mukomana wangu kani!"

Vakanditarisa vese with shocked faces ndikaona kuti hapana aindinzwisisa ndokubva ndati "Ndave kutoendawo ikoko, Malcom mukomana



wangu, anoda inini kwete Muchanyara!"

Misodzi yaive yongochururuka ,ndichinyatsonzwa kugarwa nezigodo pahuro apa .Mama vakatanga vambotura mafemo ndokuzonditi "Zvama!" ,ndikatovaignowa zvangu ndokupfeka mapata-pata angu aive padhuze ndikatanga kubhidhaira.

"Mainini munoendepi? Dzokai apa!", tete vakadanidzira ndikapukuta misodzi iyo yairamba ichingobuda kwakuramba ndakaomesa gotsi.

"Zvamada!", mama vakadaidzirawo nevoice raive nekakutyisidzira mukati asi richinzwika kuti nderekurwadziwa ndikavaignowa.

Ndaive ndakutonanga kwambuya Ano nditori



nemaziconfidence ekuti Malcom aizosarudza inini pana Muchanyara. Ndisati ndaenda kure ndakanzwa mutsindo kumashure kwangu ndikacheuka ndokuona ndave kuteverwa natete avo vakasvika vachiedza kundibata ndikavavhizurira kure.Nenyaya yehundonda hwavo vakadzedzereka vakaita sevachadonhera pasi ndikazovanzwa vave kuti "Chingomubata chete mai Pure,shamhu ndoinei? Wati wasimba here iwee?"

Ndakacheuka ndikaona vari mama vairehwa avo vaive vava kuuya kwandiri vakabata zijamhu.Ndakada kuvatiza vachibva vanditi "Mirapo zvako!",ndikashaya simba kwakungomira.

Amai vangu ndaivarespector zvekuti kuti ndivatize ndaitoona kuri kuvatadzira kukuru. Vakasvika pandiri ndokunditi "Uri kuendepi?", ndikaita kukwamatata nemusodzi pamatama ndichiti "Mama Muchanyara anditorera mukomana wangu!"

"Zvine basa rei? Kurumidza zvako, ngatidzokerei kumba!"

For the first time in my life ndakavarambira ndikati "Ndiri kutoendawo ikoko ,Malcom will have to choose waanoda pakati pangu naMucha mama!"

"Zvamada!" She warned ,ndikati
"Ndakutonoitawo mukadzi wake kana kuri
kutiisa pabarika hamenowo ikoko! Vakajaidzwa
stereki vana Muchanyara, mai vake
vakakutorerai baba , mukanyarara iye ave
kunditorerawo Malcom achiti ndichanyararawo?
Bodo,handiitirwe izvozvo!"

Ndakazongonzwa ndamharwa nembama kumeso ndikaona nyenyedzi ndiye dzedzedzeredzedzere ndikaona nyika ichitenderera.

"Mama!" I cried out zvikanzi "Ndati dzokera kumba!handei kumba!"

"Mama Muchanyara atora mukomana wangu wekuHarare kani!" Ndakadaro shungu dzese ndave kudzipedzera pasi pandaita zvekuponda netsoka dzangu ,tete vakanditi "VaMagumbo kani!",ndikaisa zvitanda munzeve.

"Magumbo kudiikowo! Haunzwe here iwee, ndati ngatidzokere kumba!" Mama vakapotsa vatoita zvekuchema ndikaramba ndakangoti tumbi ndokuzonzwa ndamharwa neshamhu mutsapfu. Handina kuzotumwa futi ndakabva ndangonanga kumba ndichizhamba ndikasvika nekupinda matairara kwave kurovera door.

Ndakaisa chihuri padoor ndokutanga kuibararadza mhere ndirimo ndikanzwa mama vachitotaura panze vachiti "Musiyei", and ndizvo zvakabva zvatoitwa.

Ndakasiiwa ndichichema ndikazotadziswa kupedza shungu dzese nakaKayla ako kaive kakuchemawo nekuvhunduka nenoise.

Ndakapukuta misodzi nekuseri kweruoko ndikanokasimudza kwave kutanga kukasvusvudzira.

Ndaikasvusvudzira ndichiedza kufunga Malcom wangu aina Muchanyara ,picture yacho ikaramba kutobuda.

Ndakamboda kuzvibhaiza ndichiti zvimwe paive paitika mistake, aigona kuva ari Mike, kwakuzonyatsofungisisa zvaive zvataurwa natete ndikaona kuti aiva Malcom zveshuwa. Ndakazama kufunga zvaaive azowana pana Muchanyara zvandaive ndisina ,ndikawedzera kurwadziwa.

Ndakatozoerekana donwe remusodzi rawira padama raKayla ndikakasika kumupukuta ,kwakuzozvipukutawo.

Ndakamboramba ndiri zii ndega ndega imomo ndokuzovhura door pandakanzwa mama vave kudaidza zvine kakunyengerera mukati vachiti "Mwanangu."

Ndakanoradzika mwana pasi ndikanovhura door ndichitarisira kupopopoterwa but mama vacho vakabva vatovhura maoko avo ndikanozviwisirawo pavari. Ndakachema ndiri ipapo ivo vachingondi bhabhadzirawo sechimwana ndikazovanzwa vave kukwidzirawo madzihwa vachibva vazoti

"Sorry Zvamada! Sorry zvako mwanangu."

Ndakangoshinyira ndokugutsurira musoro wangu uyo wandaive ndatsimbirira pamukaka waKayla.

Kungonzi sorry navo ikoko made me feel better just like zvazvaingondiita ndichiri mudiki.

Vakazondisiya pave paya ndokundibata mumapendekete vachiti "Zvatopera izvo mwanangu, rega aende mukomana iyeye anga asiri wako!"

Muromo iwowo wakawedzera kundirwadza ndikakwanisa kungoti "Aaa!" ndave kutotangisa kuchema zvikanzi "Wako achauya kani mwanangu." "Kubva kupi nhaai mama? Anobvepi?"

"Ko iyeye anga ambobvepi?Usachema Zvamada kani zvatopera izvo!"

Ambuya vangu vakabva vapindawo mumba medu vachiti "Hanziiko nhaai?" ,kwaingove kungobvunzawo chete but zvaitooneka kuti vaive vatoudzwa zvese natete nekuti vakabva vatongoti "Hazvichemwe izvi muzukuru wangu, uchiri mudikisa iwewe,wako achauya mumwe.Ukatoona zvadai zvongoreva kuti aiva asitori wako!Hazvimanikidzwe izvi."

"Gogo zvinorwadza."

"Ndinozviziva ,usaswerotevedzana naMuchanyara uyo atojaira hunhu hwamai vake hwekupona nekuba zvevamwe ihwohwo!"

Vakambomira kutaura ndokuridza zitsamwa vakati "Vanoita kunge mapfeni anorarama nezvekuba kudaro!"

Ndakatozoswera ndave murwere chaiye zuva iroro.Kana kudya handina kutokukwanisa.Pfungwa dzaingove kure, nzevewo dzakatoswera dzakateyawo kuti zvimwe tichanzwa kuti Muchanyara aive azodzoswa kumba kwavo but hazvina kutodaro.

There was nothing special about kudzoka kwake, zvaisatoita kuti ndizonzi ndazodzokerana naMalcom ,chandaive ndakungoda kurwadziwawo kwake Muchanyara

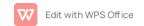
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,mama vakatobika vega sadza ravo ini ndigere zvangu.Ndaive ndafunga zvese ndikazvipedza musoro masara musisina kana nechekufunga chacho.

Mama vari pakati pekubika ,mwana wevamwe tete vangu uyo aigara kwagogo akaerekana asvikawo kumba kwedu.Akangopinda achiratidza kuti aiva achimhanya ,mama vakatomuti "KO ukadonha nhaiwe?" ,iye kwakuramba akanyarara achipara-para pasi.Aikakama saka zvimwe zvinhu aisatopindura.Chaakazongogona kutiswedza tese achibva anzi namama "Watumwa hupfu?" ,vachiedza kumubatsira semunhu aikakama iye kwakudzungudza musoro ndokuti "Mainini Zvama, muri kudiwa."

"Nani?" ,takabvunzirana pamwe chete namama



zvikanzi "Kune muenzi wenyu auya ari kwagogo uko."
"Muenzi upi?" ,mama vakabvunza zvikanzi
"Ndimai Vanessa!"
"Enda unovaudza kuti Zvama hapana kwaari kuuya! Vari kumudii nehusiku huno? Ngavasiye mwana wangu!"
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Chapter 10

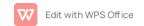
Pauline

Ndakamutswa nenoise yekutaura kwevanhu ndikatora phone yangu kwakutoona dzitori kumapast 4am ,ndikaridza tsamwa wondering kuti ndiani aive atomuka zvemakuseni kudaro.

"Ambuya Ano!" I called out from my room zvikanzi nagogo "Ndakasvinura iwee,uri kunzwawo noise iyi?"

"Ehee ndiani nhaai?"

"Ndamuka kare zvangu ndiMalcom uyo!"



"Ko hanzi chii?" Ndakabvunza ndave kutomuka zvikanzi "Hameno ka anenge ane musikana panze ipapo, vabvira kare,amborara here nhasi?"

"Havana kurara?"ndakabvunza

"Kubereka kwemwana wangu uku,kutotizirwa uku! Ndofunga aonekwa achipfanya-pfanya mwana wevaridzi akanzi chibva watora!"

Panzvimbo yekushamisika ndakatofara ndichiti Zvama ndiye aive atizira mukoma Malcom ,ndikati "hiii vatizirwa?", gogo kwakuti "Azviudza aniko? Handiti ari kungopengereka panzepo?Musiyei tione kuti achati chii?" Ndakatora phone yangu yaive pasi pepillow ndikati"Aaa inini ndave kutobuda ini mbuya ndione."

"Zvakaoma!" Gogo vakapindura vachinzwika kuti zvaive zvisina kutovaitira mushe.

Ndakabuda mumagumbeze ndikapfeka nekukasika ndokutobuda panze.

Ndakamira paverandah ndokutarisa kwaive kuchibva mavoices evanhu. Malcom aiva akamira neche kucorner kwaigara chingoro, musikana akagarawo padombo raivewo padhuze, akaita zvekutsikitsira pasi.

Hazvina kunditorera nguva kuti ndione kuti musikana aive achichema though kwaive kuchine karima. Malcom akatarisa kudoor kwandaive ndiri ndokubva atzoarisa pasi maoko achioneka kuti aiva akagumbwatwa.Hameno zvaakabva atanga kuita sekunge ari kuzevezera kumusikana zvakabva zvaita kuti atange kupukuta kumeso.

Ndaitonzwa kufara ndichiti hanzvadzi yangu yaive yatizirwa naZvamada wandaida, ndikatoenda kwavaive vari smile ichiita sekunge ichatosvika nekugotsi.

Pandakasvika Malcom akabva angotura mafemo ayo akaita kuti nditiwo "Mukoma!" ,zvikanzi "Ndapinda ma1!"

Ndakatarisa munhu aiva akagara padombo ndikaona kuti aisatombove Zvamada ,kwave kubata muchiuno ndichiti "Mukoma ndiani uyu?", zvikanzi "Ma1 ndapinda busy kani, ezvi handina kutorara please ndibatsirewo."

"Ndati ndiani uyu? Ko Zvamada nhaai?"

Ndakabvunza ndisati ndave nemaguts ekubveneka munhu aive akatsikitsira uyu , zvikanzi naMalcom "Anonzi Beyonce."

"Beyonce?"ndakabvunza ndichitoshamisika zvikanzi "Ehee."

Zita racho raitove ritsva zvaro "zvakabva zvaita kuti ndibatidze torch yangu kwakubveneka vaBeyonce vaye wanike mashura angu! Aive atori Muchanyara!

Ndakaseka zvekupererwa ndikati "Nhaiwe Muchanyara!", Malcom kwakunditarisa achiratidza kushamisika,ndikati "Iwee munin'ina waZvamada kauyu?" "Munin'ina waZvama.."

I cut him off ndichiti "Ehee anonzi Muchanyara uyu, Beyonce wekwaani? Ranyadzisa ka zita wave kuzviti Beyonce?"

Muchanyara wacho haana kudaira,akangonzwika kukwidzira madzihwa ,Malcom achibva ati "Uri kuti chii nhaai Pau?"

"Munin'ina waZvamada uyu ,handiti baba vake vane vakadzi two? Uyu ndewe kwaMainini!"

Ndakapedza kutaura izvozvo ndichibva ndatarisa Muchanyara ndokumuti"Haunyare here nhaai Muchanyara?"

Instead of replying she sniffed loudly zvake ,Malcom ndokukwidzawo voice achiti "Beyo..",



kwakumbomira achiita kunge rurimi rwanamira,ndokusimudza maoko ese mudenga ,clicked his tongue then continued "Muchazonyara ,whatever the name,please tell me this is not true."

"Ichokwadi!" Muchanyara cried Malcom ndokuti "What?Ndizvo zvawanga uchida izvi ?"

"Ndaisatozivawo." Akapindura misodzi ichibuda ndikati

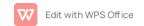
"Uri kunyepa!", kwakutarisa Malcom ndikamunongedza ndokumuti "Unopenga Malcom watizirwa nemuvengi waZvamada! Unopenga chete iwewe, handife ndakakuregerera." Asati atopindura ,ambuya vakabva vabudawo mumba vakagumbata maoko tikambovatarisa vachiuya kwataive tiri.

Vakasvika nekuti "Chii nhaai Malcom?", ndikadaira ndiri ini explaining nyaya yacho semanzwiro andaive ndaiita.

Vakaita zvekukotamira vachitarisa Muchanyara ndokumuti "Hanzi chii nhaai Muchanyara?",ndikaita kukwamatata asati atovapindura Muchanyara wacho ndichiti "Akadanana naMalcom mbuya achiziva kuti mukomana waZvamada ,kuri kuda kungorwadzisa Zvamada chete!"

"Nyarara kani Pau chiiko iwewe?"gogo vakaita zvekupopota chaizvo ndikapetanisa maoko ndokungoshinyira nadzo shungu.

"Gogo you are wasting your time muchibvunza



Mucha wenyu iyeye, inini handitomude kana ka1 ,wangu ndiZvamada!"

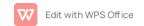
Malcom akadaro voice ratokwidzwa akanzi nagogo "Unopenga fani iwewe, wanga wauya nguvai muno zvekutobva wadanana nevana vanyamunhu nhaiwe Malcom?"

"Gogo uyu handimude ,yaive mistake ndiye ainditsvaga.Musikana wangu ndiZvamada."

"Saka wanga uchiitei naye kana musikana wako ari Zvamada?"

"Gogo ndiye akataura zvekuda kuonana neni manheru, handina kutoziva kuti aida kundishandisa kurwadzisa bhururu wake."

"Nyaya dzako handisi kuda kutodzinzwa pano,



motakurana nemhuri yako iyi moenda kwaMutawatawa uko ,pano kwete!"

"Gogo hapana kwandiri kuenda nemunhu wandisingade!"

"Saka anogarepi? Pano ndati bodo! Wakamuramwirwa zvadii? Hauna kurara naye here mwana wawave kuda kuramba uyu?"

Akaita kakukakamira ndokuzoti "Ndakarara naye but yanga isiri mhandara gogo."

"Asi kurara makararana zvenyu ka?"

"Gogo!"

Gogo vacho vakaita kunge vasina kutonzwa



,ndokuzoti kuna Muchanyara

"Iwe Muchanyara simuka apo upinde mumba!"

"Mumba mupi?", Malcom nearly cried gogo vakati "Ava mukadzi wako ka, ndave kutofonera amai vako vagare vaziva.Kuchingochena chete mobva matakurana nemukadzi wako moenda kwaMutawatawa pano handigare nemuroorazukuru!"

"Gogo Malcom haamude Muchanyara!" Ndakadaro ndichivavharidzira nzira zvikanzi "Skuz ipapo ,izvo zvave zvake nyaya dzavo achapedzisa ega."

Vakafamba vachipopota vega vega vakapinda mumba naMuchanyara tikavanzwa vave kutaura naye.



"It was a mistake Pau, ndaisatoziva kuti Beyonce naZvamada masisters."Malcom akadaro papera kanguva takamira panze paye.

Ndakaseka zvekumanikidzira ndikatanga ndagadzirisa zita raaive asisade kubvisa pamuromo pake iro, ndichiti "Anonzi Mu-chanya-ra" slowly, ndokuzoenderera ndichiti "Munorwadzisa fani!"

"Handimude musikana uyu,iwewe you know kuti ndoda Zvamada!"

Ndakazunza musoro ndikati "Handisisina shuwa nazvo!" ,kwave kutofamba ndichienda kwaive kuna gogo.Ndakasvika vachiti kuna Muchanyara "Hazvidi kudaro!", iye akapindura achitiwo "Hapana kana chandaitomboziva ini gogo."

Ndakamupa ziso ndichipinda mumba kwave kunozvikanda pasofa ndichiti "Akatoita achida uyu gogo! Asi munodarirei nhaai?"

Haana kupindura akangopukuta kumeso gogo ndokuti "Saka naZvamada vaitodanana shuwa shuwa?", ndikati "Ndiye ka akatanga."

"Hazvichabatsire izvo zvekuti ndiani akatanga!"

Kwakazoedza tave kutotsvairirwa chivanze nemuroora.

Malcom akambozvivharira muroom mavairara ndokuzobuda akatsvukisa maziso kuratidza kuti aiva abva mukuchema ndikatopedzisira ndakunzwawo tsitsi.

Akambotevera gogo achiedza kuda kutaura



navo kuti vamubatsire panyaya dzake ivo vakarambisisa vachiti hapana zvavaigona kuita.

Ndivo vaingonzwika kudaira nezwi riri padenga iye achitaurira pasi pasi.

Ndakanzwa gogo vachimuti "Hapana zvauchazviita apa ,watova nemukadzi zvaZvama chitokonganwa zvako!"

"Gogo handisi kushanda ka inini!" Akaedza kuvaonesa zvaiva ivo vachibva vatotanga kufamba zvavo vachiti "Dai wakatanga wazvifunga izvozvo pasitorina zvese izvi."

"Gogo hadimude musikana uyu."

"Muchadanana zvenyu!"Vakadaro vave kuuya padara pandaive ndichisukira.



Vakambomirapo vachingotura mafemo kasingapere ,ndikavati "Gogo chingozamai ka kuvabatsira mukoma kuti Muchanyara adzokere."

"Ndovabatsira nei? Yatodeuka kare iyi hapana zvatingaite! Wati ndiri kuzvifarirawo?"

Vakamboti zii vachifunga kuti ndichavapindura ndokuzoti "lii better zvamudarika izvi Zvamada, ko iwe waimusiyawo achidanana naMalcom?"

"Ko aita sei?"

"Yuwii ndaizotadza kutarisana namai vake nenyaya dzaMalcom iyeyu, zvatoita hazvo asina kuzomutizira ari iye! Atonzvengeswa Zvamada!"

Ndakangovatarisa chete ndikavashaira



mashoko ivo vachibva vatoenderera voti "Nyaya yenyu yekuti hee Malcom aida Zvama, hee Mucha atorera sisi vake iyi motoinyarara zvenyu nekuti Siddy akazviziva izvi kuti Malcom aishereketa nasisi nemunin'ina haafe akamubatsira.Anonokanga waya kwaMutawatawa uko nemwana wevaridzi.Chitoporai zvenyu kuti poo!"

Handina kuvapindura ,ivowo vakabva vatosuduruka paye ndikapedzisawo kusuka maplates.Pese pandaingosanganidzana maziso naMuchanyara ndaibva ndaridza zitsamwa rekumuratidza kuti ndaive ndisiri kutomuda.

Pandakazoona nguva yekutaura naMalcom ndakatanga kutomubvunza nezve kubasa kwandaive ndanzwa achitaura nezvako, iye akanditi "Haa basa ma1", ndikati " Hanzi chii?",zvikanzi "Takanetsana naforomani, aida kuti ndigare ndichimupa mari nekumutengera doro pese pandotambirira!"

"Basa rikapera?"ndakabvunza ,zvikanzi

"Rakapera shaa, handisi kushanda ini.Ndakatongomirira Sid ndiye akati akazondinzwira anondiudza,of which munhu wacho unomuziva kuti anoda kutanga anyengererwa! Ndoda paanoudzwa dzekutizirwa idzi anobva atoita mavara chaiyo!"

"Uri pama1 ,saka zvekuti leave wainyepa?"

"Waida kuti nditi chii?", akabvunza zvine kahukasha ndikaderedza izwi ndokuti

"KO kumba kwako?", and he chuckled akati "Kumba kwangu?"

"Kwawaichengeta ka!"

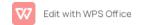
"Handichadzokere kani Pau,varidzi veko vakauya ,hakusisina nzvimbo yangu."

Ndakazunza musoro ndikati"Saka uchadii?",zvikanzi

"Ndiri kuda Zvamada zvimwe zvese zvozotevera later."

"Ko Muchanyara?"

Akaridza tsamwa ndokuti "haana kana basa,



handimude uyu.Ngatiite zvaZvama iyeyu uyu chero ndikamutiza haana kana basa."

"Zvichiita nhaai?"

"Zvinoita, chero achingondida chete Zvama wacho."

Ndakamboti zii trying to come up with a plan ndokuzoti,"Saka ndichazama kunoona Zvama wacho manheru ndotaura naye."

"Unenge wakumuti ndakangoonekwa ndakamira naMucha ,hapana zvaivepo."

"I will try" ndakapindura after a deep sigh zvikanzi "Do you think anobvuma?"

"Ndongozama but hameno."

"Togona kuenda tese handiti kuna tete vake?She might help."

"Unosara zvako kuroad ndonomutora ndiri ini then motaura."

Ndizvo zvatakazobvumirana zvekuti tiende kwana Zvama.

Takaenda manheru ndikasvika pamba pambuya vaZvama ndokutambirwa zvakanaka navatete vake.

Handina kutaura zvakawanda ndakangopinda



munyaya yangu ndikavati "Ndauya kuzoona Zvama", ivo vakanditi "Ko washayirei kungosvika kumba kwavo nhai mai Vanessa?"

"Ndiri kunyara tete, ndangouya kuti ndizotaura naye chete."

"Kutaura naye kuti chii?"

"Kungomuti sorry nezvaaitirwa nehanzvadzi yangu."

"Manheru ano?",vakabvunza voice ratokwidzwa ndikati "Ndidzo nyadzi dzacho tete!"

"Heya, kana uri kutumwa nabhudhi vako mai Vanessa ka uri kutokanganisa



zvako! Handingatombozvida kana ka1 izvozvo! "

"Handina kutumwa vatete ndatongouya ndega."

"Anopenga fani bhudhi vako iyeye! Atizirwa uko haasati atobvisa mari yekushevedzera apa ave kutoda kutsvetera Zvamada achinyepera hake kuzungaira kudaro! Ngaakwane!"

"Tete haasiye andituma."

"Anopenga fani!" vakadaro vachibvisa kachikari kaive pamoto ndokuzotuma kamwana kaivemo kuti kanodaidza Zvamada wacho.

Ndakasara ndichinzi "Munotaurira muno!",ndikangotiwo "Ehoi" semunhu aingoda kuona muroora wake.

Kamwana kaye kakazodzoka kachiti "Gogo varamba ava,hanzi siyanai nemwana wangu." ndikanzwa kupererwa ndokuzongoti "Saka ndozomuona rimwe day."

Ndakaoneka ndikabuda ndisisina kana plan.Ndakafamba kusvika pandaive ndasiya Malcom ndikamuwana atoita zvekugara zvake staring into space.

Akatozovhunduka anzwa mutsindo ndokutarisa kwandaibva nako ndokunditi "Hanzi chii?", ndikati "Hii zvaramba,handei hedu kumba!"

Akasimuka akazvizunza-zunza kumashure kwejean rake ndokuti "Ndave kunokumbira zvangu amai vake kuti nditaure naye."

Ndakamudhonza ruoko ndikati "Unosvikirwa nazibaba racho ukarumiswa nembwa apa!



Handei!"

"Hazvina kana basa, I deserve it Pauline,ngavandirumise zvavo vandipe Zvamada!"

"Handei apa ,dai waimuda usina kutonyenga Muchanyara!"

Takadhonzana paye ,ndokudungamidzana tichinanga kumba uko kwaakasvika achirara zvake mukitchen.

Ndakapindawo mumba ndikasvikonzi nagogo "Mai Vanessa ka! Haikonai kuda kundikwidza bp panapa handiti?" "Gogo angonditi ndimuperekedze."

"Kumuperekedza kupi? Hindava muchida kuita zvinonyadzisa? Makazvionepi izvozvo?"

"Gogo inini ndiri kutongobatsira ,handiti Malcom wacho haasi kuda Muchanyara."

"Iwee ndezve kwake izvo!"

"Its not fair!"

"Hameno! Muchanyara wacho otomupawo hembe dzako agowana chekupfeka kana ava kuenda kwaMutawatawa mangwana."

Handina kupindura ndakangobhidhaira kupinda



muroom mangu ndikazvipfinyira mumachira.

Nenyaya dzana Malcom idzi ndaive ndaswera ndakawandirwa ndisina kutombotaura naTawanda zuva rese.lyewo aive asina kutombonditsvagawo paphone which got me worrying nekuti aisawanzodaro!

Ndakatora phone yangu ndakavhura WhatsApp ndokumuisira message yekuti "Hi babe" ,ikaticker kamwe chete.

Ndakatura mafemo ndave kutoshaya kuti aive abatikana nei .Ndakatadza kugadzikana ndokudaidzira kuna gogo ndichiti "Muchembere ndikandireiwo ka airtime!", zvikanzi "Yandawanepi? Handiti unoipedza nekuba!"

"Kutokumbira kani amuchembere,ndouya here



kuzozvisendera?"

"Ndirege zvangu ndoda kuzorora."

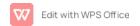
Ndakadzokera pawhatsApp paya ndatoona kuti zveairtime yekufona zvaramba ndokutosenda futi imwe "hi."

Ndaida kutongoti kana azopinda pawhatsApp aone kuti ndaigara ndichimufunga even asiri kubatika pamhepo.

Kuchingoedza chete ndakatarisa mamessage andaive ndasenda kwakuona asati atosvika.

Ndakamboedza kuita reboot phone yacho nekudii dii ndichiti zvimwe yaive network yainetsa ndokuzovhunduka pave paya ndaona pa contact pake pasiri kutoratidza anything.

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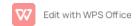
zvaive zvisisatooneke.

End of Chapter

Chapter 11

Aisha

Ndakatryer kuphonera my husband Tawanda newhatsApp call zvikaramba ndikanzwa kutosvotwa ndakamira nemabags angu paAirport paye.Ndakanzwa misodzi yangu yave kuvavira mumaziso nekungoona vamwe vandaive ndadzika navo vachiuya kuzotambirwa



nevadiwa vavo ndikashaya kuti ndaive ndaparei kuti pashaye kana munhu one zvake aive auya kuzonditambira.

Ndaive ndapedzisira kutaura naTawanda pamwe nemunin'ina wangu, mai Latoya ndichitori muSA chaimo zvekuti vese ndaifanira kungovasvikira vakatondimirira.

Ndakapukuta misodzi nekuseri kweruoko ndikatura mafemo ndichizama kufunga kuti ndochiita sei.

Ndainge ndava nethree years ndisiri muZimbabwe zvekuti zvinhu zvizhinji zvaive zvatova zvitsva.Ndakamboda kutora taxi but kuti ndizive kwekuti ndiende kwacho ndakatoshaya.

Vanhu vazhinji vaive pedyo neni vainge vangotama-tama kubva kunzvimbo dzandaive ndavasiya vari.



Ndiri pakugaya kuti ndodii kudaro ndakanzwa voice richiti "hey", ndikasimudza musoro ndokuona ari mumwe mukomana wandaive ndakwira naye ndege kubva kuS.A.He had a satchel on his back and a monarch that he was pulling.

"Hey hausati wauyawo kuzotorwa?", ndakadaro ndichisekererawo sezvo ndaive ndambomuona zvangu zvikanzi "Haa inini ndiri kutoenda ndega."

"Munogara kupi?", ndakabvunza zvikanzi "KuMarondera."

"Hey ,so you are using public transport?"

"I have to." He said lowly ndikati "Taxi haisi irinani here pakuti unongosiiwa pamba", achibva angosekerera ndokuzoti "Haa ndosvoka.Ko imimi?What are you still doing here?"

"Handisati ndauya kuzotorwa."ndakapindura sadly

"Chingoitai ka zvetaxi." He suggested ndikati "Ndinorasika, ndakabva kuno three years ago tichiri kutorenta muBreaside umu izvezvi zvinhu zvachinja."

"Haa saka muri pama1, ndiani ari kufanira kuuya kuzokutorai?"

"Murume wangu, nemupfana wangu! Vanhu



vacho hameno vaita sei ,pashaya kana one asvika!"

"Shame,ndokupai phone yangu momboedza kuvafonera?"

Ndakagutsurira musoro ndichiti "Yes", achibva atonditambidza phone yake yacho ndikaita kusekerera ndichiti "hii thanks."

Ndakatanga kutofonera mai Latoya and haana kutora nguva akabva atodaira achiti "hello" ,ndikati "Hamuchauye?", with a cracky voice zvikanzi "Hii ndisisi?"

"Christine ka! Musadaro veduwe ndaburuka expecting kuti ndichakuonai ndichangopedzerwa but hey mabva mabhaiza

zvenyu.Mese!"

"Babamukuru havasati vauya? Ndanga ndakutoti tochingosangana kumba kwenyu since vati vari kuuya ivo."

"Haana kuuya uyu."

"Tiri mutown saka rega tingouya ikoko."

"Iri bhoo." Ndakapindura ndichitura mafemo ndokuzocutter.

"Hanzi chii?" ,mukomana wandaiva naye uya akabvunza ndikati "My sister ava kuuya."

"Anga amborikupi nhaai?" He asked after a



chuckle, ndikati

"Hanzi ndanga ndichiti babamukuru vave kuuya ,hee what what!"

"Saka better."

Ndakapukuta misodzi ndatadza kuzvidzora ndikanzi "Hii dont cry, please."

"Zvinorwadza shuwa kusvika pano pasina kana auya kuzokutora?"

"I know the feeling, sorry neh."

I nodded wiping off my tears zvikanzi "Saka ndozoenda zvangu kana mauya kuzotorwa."



"Thanks." "Saka kwakurisei kuHungary?Ndizvo?" Laughing "Ndizvo, pronunciation differs." "Handidi hangu kutotaura pazere vanhu ,zita racho ma1.Kwanga kuri sei?" Ndakaseka zvekare ndikati"Kwaive kuri bhoo zvako." "Manga muri kuchikoro?"he asked "No kubasa."

Ndakapindura nekukasika ndichida kubva ndatomubvunzawo nezve kuSA kwaaibva kwakuzotadziswa ndanzwa kumiswa kwemota kumberi kwedu.Yakamiswa zvine noise zvekuti tese takavhunduka.

Mota yacho ndakabva ndatoiziva kuti yaive yaTawanda ndikaudza moyo wangu waive wakutofara kuti umbodzikama nekuti ini muridzi wawo ndaida zvekutsamwa.

"There he is ,he never changes, thats my husband!" ,ndakadaro kune mukomana wandaive ndiinaye uyu ndakarumanisa mazino ndichipetanisa maoko. Akambotanga atarisisa munhu wandaitaura wacho ndokuzoti "Aaa saka better."

Tawanda akaparker mota yake ndokuburuka achiratidza kufara ndikangoramba



ndakamukwindimarira.

"Babe." Akaita zvekudzera achikwidza masteps aivepo kuti asvika pandaive ndiri ndikaramba ndakangomutarisa. Akasvika nekundipa hug ndakapeta maoko kudaro achiti "Amana ko chiiko?", ndikati "Unobhowa Tawanda? Uri kuziva kuti ndabva nguvai ndakamirira?"

"Babe hona ka zvandaita.." He tried to explain ndikati "Handisi kuda kuzvinzwa",ndichipetanisa maoko.

He diverted his eyes kune mukomana wandaive naye kwakumuti "Madii" akapindurwa kunzi "Bhoo mudhara."

"Zvako iwee,ndasvika in time ,I parked my car pamberi apo pamaArrivals patajaira ndikabva



ndanzi nemagaurds ndapakira pasiripo
.Ndaedza kuvaexplainera kuti ndoda kungotora
munhu wangu achangoburuka ndege
nekutobaya paden but handina kunzwika
,kwakutonzi ndasungwa.They started
demanding mari kwandiri tikambonetsana
ikoko,ndosaka ndanonoka kudai."

Ndakapedzosira ndatozoseka ndisingatode nemataurirwo azvaiitwa acho.

Zvakabva zvaita Tawanda kuti adzosere his eyes kwandiri kwakubva ati "Serious, I dont know why they keep on changing system dzepanapa. The last time I came here taingoona vanhu vedu ipapapa."

"Its because wanonoka Tawanda.Dai wakasika waisatonetseka."

"I am sorry , ndatozonzi ndiuye kunoku."

"I think inyaya dzezvirwere izvi ,they are a lot of changes zveshuwa. Kwese kwataingopfuura nako uko zvinhu zvese zvangochinjwa."

"Can I get a proper hug now?" He begged

I ran into his arms and we tightly hugged ndikaudzwa kunzi "Ndanga ndakusuwa", ndikanyungudukirawo ndichiti "kana neni."

Takatozosiyana tanzwa mota ichipakwa kumashure kweyaTawanda ,ndikascreamer ndaona vari mai Latoya nemurume wavo,nevana vavo two.

Takamhanyirana tikanoita group hug tichifarirana nekuudzana masuwiro atainge taitana. Baba Latoya vakamhoresana naTawanda,mai Latoya ndokumbotora nguva vachingoita nezvangu chete kwave kuzomhoresawo babamukuru wavo.

Mukomana wekundibatsira uye ndaiva ndatomukanganwa kuti aripo kwakuzoita zvekutovhunduka paakati "hii ndave kuenda."

I turned kwaari ndikati kune vamwe vangu "Guys, uyu ndiye munhu andibatsira panapa,tangoburuka tese akangorwadziwa nekundiona ndichiri pano kwakundibatsira nephone."

Mai Latoya nemurume wavo ndivo vakamutenda, wangu murume aiva angoisa maoko ake muhomwe.

"Saka regai ndichifambe." Akadaro mukomana uya baba Latoya kwave kumuoffer transport iye akairamba. Takamutarisa achifamba ,akabereka satchel kumusana uku achidhonzana nemonarch rake baba Latoya kwakuti "Poor kid,anenge ari kutobva kuchikoro."

"I thought as much." Ndakadarowo Zvikanzi namai Latoya "Apa woshaya kana one auya kuzotambira."

"Zvinobhowa."

"Hanzi ari kuendepi?", baba Latoya asked vachiratidza kutova concerned ndikati "Marondera."

Ndakabva ndakasika kufunga kuti zvimwe aive asina mari inomukwanira since aive aramba kuita zvecab. Nemikwende yake aizonetseka chete pacombi.

Ndakakasika kuti kune vamwe vangu "iii I think I should help him."

"Help him?" ,Tawanda asked ndikati "Ehee rega ndimupewo kamari awedzere transport."

He clicked his tongue ndokuti "Wanzwa kuti haana mari?", ndikaburitsa a \$100 dollar note kubva mukachest bag kangu ndichiti "Andibatsirawo shaa."

"Babe uri kuziva kuti imarii yawakabata?"

Ndakatarisa mari iye yandaive ndakabata ndokutarisa iye ndikapindurudza maziso ndichiti "\$100 dollars ka, handina kana maloose ufunge.Mari yandiinayo diki idollar of



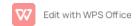
which haitokwane!"

"That's a lot of money yawakabata Aisha ,muudzeiwo zvenyu baba Latoya uyu, ari kuita dzungu achiri panapa! This is Zimbabwe for crying out loud uchaifunga mari iyoyo."

I ignored him kwave kutofamba paye ndave kudaidzira mukomana uya ndichiti "Hey", iye akambotora nguva asiri kutonzwa ndikazoita wekutomisirwa nemumwewo munhu.

Akatendeuka akanditarisa ndokuti "kana kutozvinzwa." ndikati "Haunganzwe zveshuwa nenoise inenge iri pano."

He nodded, ndikabva ndaita zvekupfumbata mari iye kuri kutya kuti aigona kuzoiramba



nehuwandu hwayo. Ndakatambanudza ruoko ndichiti "Oooh."

He looked at me ndikasekerera ndichigutsurira musoro achibva andipawo ruoko rwake ndikaisa mari iye imomo kwave kuvhara ruoko rwake rwacho ndichiti "thanks, wowedzerawo transport."

Ndakamusiya akashama ndikadzokera kwaiva nevamwe vangu avo vandakasvika vatoisa mabag angu mumota.

Ndakasvikopinda mumota maTawanda achibva apindawo nekuside kwake achitura mafemo.He started the car achioneka kuti atotsamwa ndikati "Tawanda", zvikanzi "Thats a lot of money yawamupa Aisha."

"Ndiyo yanga ndiinayo handina kana loose ,that guy helped me."

"Nekungokupa phone chete? Yekufona two minutes wobva watobhadhara nebhuru?"

"I am sorry babe ndatoti kugona."

"Ndanga ndichiona hangu how he was looking at you, anga achitokuda munhu iyeye."

Ndakaseka ndichirovanidza maoko ndikati "Tawanda shanje dzakabvepi?",zvikanzi

"Zvinobhowa hazvo Aisha."

I squeezed his hand ndikati "I am sorry babe.



Ndiwe wega Tawanda noone will ever take your place."

He smiled ndokuti "I love you" ,ndikati "I love you more."

Taive tatova muhighway ana mai Latoya vachiteverawo shure kwedu. Taive takananga kuMadokero Estates kwaive kuine imba yedu iyo yandaiva ndasiya ichingori nzvimbo.

Takaibatsirana kuivaka naTawanda ndatove kuHungary kwandaishanda ndichiita zvekutumira mari every month.

"Kurisei kunew home?" Ndakabvunza Tawanda sezvo aive achangobvawo mukuita move in zvikanzi "Kuri nani, kwanga kwakungoshota iwewe chete."

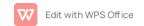
"Ndauya" ndakadaro ndichitambisa ruoko rwake akanditendeukira ndokusmiler faintly ndikawedzera ndichiti "For good!"

Takasvika pamba pedu pacho ndikaita kufara nekuona manakiro apaive pakaita. Takatombotora nguva ndichiratidzwa each and every room na Tawanda and zvese zvaive zvakarongeka.

Kitchen yangu yaiva yagadzirwa sematauriro andaive ndaita mangosarirwa nekuti muiswewo zvinhu kuti muonekere.

"This is beautiful Tawanda!" I exclaimed with excitemet zvikanzi "Ndiwe wakaita kuti zviite."

"Don't make me feel bad, waiisawo mari yako



panapa."

"I know babe ,but yako yanga yakawanda.Hanzi imba chii zviye?"

I giggled ndikati "Mukadzi", achibva atouya pandiri ndokunditsimbirira kumadziro achiti "Ndanga ndakusuwa,let's fill this house with kids,yakakurisa."

Muromo waive wakuda zvekutondikissa maziso ave kuda kutovharwa ndikamubloka neruoko ndichiti "hii iwee munhu!"

Akaramba achiita nharo pinning me against the wall ndikati "Tawanda ndave ne3 days ndisina kugeza mumwe wako."

"Hello? Neniwo ndave ne3 years ndisina



kuuyuyu ka inini ,hear me out! Akataura achiita kuda kundiyemerera so ndikati "Plus ana mai Latoya vava kusvika."

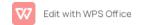
"Vanosvika tatopedza, iwee ndakusuwa mhani!"

Ndakazoita lucky nana mai Latoya vakabva vasvikawo ndikatofara kuti ndave kutangawo ndageza.

Vakapinda mumba, vakafara kuonawo imba yacho semafariro andaive ndaita.

Mai Latoya ndivo vatakasiya vachibika ini ndikaendwa neni kunogeza uko kwandakanoshandirwa zvebasa.

Takapedza zvemubathroom ndikanorariswa pamubhedha kwakutanga kunanganidzwa padumbu pangu .



"Pakupora here ,hapacharwadza?", he asked ndikati "Ehee pakupora, panongorwadza kana kunze kwakakwidibira" ,zvikanzi "Ko iwewe? Wakapora?"

Ndakagutsurira musoro but misodzi yakabva yandimakisa ikatanga kutobuda pfungwa dzadzokera kumwana wangu.

Ndaive ndakasununguka mwana wangu musikana neoperation but haana kutorarama. Zvaive zvave ne3 years zvaitika but kurwadza kwacho hakuna kuchinja.Pese pandaizvifunga zvaingorwadza sekunge zvaive zvabva mukuitika.

Pazvakaitika ndakarwadziwa nazvo kusvika pekupedzisira ndikatotambudzika kuti zvibve mupfungwa dzangu .Ndizvo zvaive zvazondimanikidza kuti ndinoshandira hangu



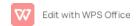
kure kuti ndinyatsopora.

Tawanda akandibvumbamira akatanga kundinyararidza sekamwana kacheche chaiko.Ndakapedza shungu dzangu dzese ,ndikazopukuta musodzi pave paye kwakuzonyatsonyaradzwa nekupihwa zvinhu zvangu.

We slowly made love ndichiudzwa kunzi "Tave kuisa umwe mwana umu" ndikafara zvekufara zviye.

Takazobudamo tanetesana ,tikasvikowana table yatosetwa kwave kugara pamwe nekuzodya.

After chikafu takasiya varume vakagara vega,tikanosuka maplates namai Latouya ndichiudzwa zvakasara zvoitika ndisipo.



"Saka unozondibatsirawo ka kuzotsvaga tumwe tunhu twemukitchen nezvimwewo." Ndakadaro ndichipukuta maplates zvikanzi "Ndokubatsira."

"Ndakaona shop inonzi lounge firm pafacebook, vane zvinhu zvakanaka."

"Tinoenda."

Ndakagutsurira ndikuzobvunza nyaya yandaive ndaita zvekuudzwa paphone ndichiti ,"KO manga maitana sei nababamukuru vako?"zvikanzi

"Handiti vaiunza mahure avo KuBraeside uko,vachirarana mumba menyu!"

Ndakavatarisa mai Latoya ndikatura mafemo ndokuti "Iwee hazvina kana basa izvi ,saka wakatomupopotera?"

"Ehee anojairira Tawanda."

"Hazvina basa izvo usazvinetse, ndosaka ndakati ndoda zvangu kuzosvikira kumba kunyowani cause ndaitoziva kuti zvinhu zvakadaro zvinotoitika."

"Hazvina basa kudii? Aihura Tawanda munhu wese wepaaigara aitozviziva."

"Handina kuramba mai Latoya. Unoda ndiite sei nazvo?Tawanda is a man ndaitozviziva kuti aizozviita.He is not some kind of a superman, munhuwo! Ndozvinoita varume!"

"Aisha!" She exclaimed

"Yes, chero achingoziva zvake kuti ndine mukadzi chete ,fine by me! Murume wese anohura mai Latoya ukada kuzvitevedza ndiwe unofa."

Akatura mafemo maoko atoiswa pachifuwa ndokuzogutsurira musoro zvekuda kuti nyaya ichipera hayo.Ndakagadzirisa pahuro ndikaichinjawo nyaya yacho ndave kuti "Ndiri kuda kuti mama vauye kuno", zvikanzi "Babamukuru makatovaudza?", ndikati "Ehee, handiti tave nemba hombe? Saka ndombovatorawo ndotsvaga anondibatsira kuvachengeta."

"Hameno mukagonana munhu wacho anomboda here kubva pamba pake?"

"Haa tinotokikiritsana chete, ndinenge ndakuzotsvaga munhu anondibatsira kuvachengeta cause ndega handizogone."

"Aripo mafirst aider anoshandika nawo."

"Yaa ndichatodaro."

"Ivo vasimba ka muchembere vacho?" Vakadaro vakutoseka ndikati

"Vangatadze kusimba munhu asingafambe, chavo kungodya chete vakagara."



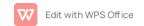
"Haa vasimba kani!Unenge wambozorodzawo mai Anna veduwee."

"Yaa varoora havadi kuzoregererwa,anongonyarara zvake asi later unozonzwa ave kuda kuripwa ave kuti ndakakugezeserai mai venyu."

Takapedza nyaya iyoyo ndikazovaudza nezve mota yandaida kutenga. Vakaratidza kufarira idea yacho zvikanzi "Muchatenga yakaita sei?" Ndikati "Hameno Tawanda ndiye achatondibatsira."

"Hoo" vakadaira rolling her eyes ndikati "Yaa."

Vakazoenda kwavo tikasara tichiyemerana



naTawanda.

Zuva rakatevera racho haana kutoenda kubasa takaswera tese tichingonakidzwa.

Kwatove kumazuvarodoka phone yake yakarira ndiri kubedroom uko kwandaitamba zvangu nelaptop iye achibika.

Aive ati anobika iye ndakazorora zvangu.

Ndakainhonga phone yacho ndikaona iri new number yaifona kwakuidaira.

Munhu aifona wacho aitove mukadzi uyo akatanga nekuti "Wakandibloka ka!" ,ndikakasika kuti "Hello" ndichida kumuratidza kuti handisini waaida kutaura naye ,zvikanzi "Ndiri kuda kutaura naTawanda."

I took a deep breathe ndikati



"Mirai ndinopa muridzi phone yake."

Phone yakabva yatocutwa ndikabudawo muya ndokuenda kukitchen kwandakasvikira Tawanda achiridzirira kamuridzo busy preparing a meal.

Ndakamutaimira akavarairwa ,hugged him from behind ndokuti "Hey" achibva aita kakuvhundukira ndokuti "Uri sei?",ndikati

"Ndiri bhoo."

"Handina kukuti gara ikoko here inini?Handina kuti ndichaunza zvese ikoko?"

I giggled ndikati "Wadaro.." kwakutadziswa kupedzisa zvandaida kutaura zvacho phone yake yandaive ndauya nayo yatanga zvekare kurira.

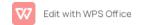
Ndakaitarisa ndikati "Your phone, pane afona saka ndangomuudza kuti agozofona futi, ndiye uyu"

Akaitambira ndikaona maoko ake ave kushaker kwakubva ndatosuduruka ipapo ndichiti "Unondiona kubedroom mira ndinopedzisa zvandanga ndichiita."

End of Chapter

Chapter 12

Pauline



Pandakafonera Tawanda nephone yagogo ndaida kutongogutsikana kuti aive atondibloka zvemashuwa here kana kuti kwete.Kurira kwakaita phone yake pandakaifona kwakakabva kwatongobuditsa zvese pachena. Ndoda pandakadairwa nemukadzi ndakabva ndanyatsonzwa kudzimbikana ndaona reason yake yekundibloka.

Handina kumbobvira ndafungira kuti Tawanda aizondiitira hunhu ihwohwo zvachose! Ndaitongofunga kuti aizondiroora sezvaaingovimbisa ,tobva tagara kahupenyu kedu kangori bhoo.

Ndakadonha misodzi ndikaita zvekugara pa floor chaipo dialing his number again. Ndakangoti achiidaira kwakungotanga nekumuti "Mwari ave newe zvako Tawanda!" I heard him chuckling ,I guess akabva atotadziratu nekutaura.

My chest felt heavy and I ended up experiencing difficulties in producing another sound. Ndaive ndakuita kamwe kakukakama so ndikatozotocutter call yacho kwave kunyatsochema.

Ndaifunga kuti achafona or kuisa message zvayo but haana zvake kutodaro.

"Adaira?" ,gogo vakapinda muroom mangu vachibvunza sezvo ndainge ndazovaudza nyaya yangu semunhu aida kupihwawo phone ine airtime yekufonesa.

I managed to nod my head chete ndikabvunzwa zvavaitoona kunzi "Saka uri kutochema?", ndikazunza musoro misodzi kwakunyatsochururuka. "Zvinochemwa here nhaai Pau muzukuru?"

"Gogo Tawanda haangangondi dumper from nowhere, nezvese zvandakamuitira?"

"Zvese zvawakamuitira zvei nhai Pau?"vakabvunza ndikangobwaira-bwaira maziso vachibva vati "Zvawakamuitira zvekurara naye? Ochitya izvozvo manje? Ndaisakuudza here iwewe kuti ndipo panenge pachingodiwa chete ipapo?"

"Gogo please!"

"Haunzwe Pauline ,iwe usatocheme zvako iyi ndiyo iye inonzi ndomene!"

"Gogo ndiri kurwadziwa ini!" I cried zvikanzi

"Zvino zvonzwiyi manje?"

"Handiitwe izvozvo gogo, ayehwa!" Ndakadaro indichizvirova-rova pachest pangu ndokupedzisira ndoti "Ndiri kunyatsorwadziwa gogo, ndini ndadiiwo?"

"Hapana zvaungazviite iwee Pauline! Ndave kutofunga muromo wandakaudzwa nabhudhi vako pamuchato paye.Unoziva zvandakaudzwa naSidney?"

I looked at her, sniffed then shook my head slowly zvikanzi "Haa vana vaMaria here! Ibasa! Ndakamuti nhaiwe baba Julian, ko musikana wako uyu ari right right? Une shuwa kuti haana mwana here nedairyboard yake iya!"

Ndakapotsa ndatoseka nemataurirwo azvaiitwa nagogo.Vaiita vachishandisa nemaoko kuedza kuratidza size yedairyboard yacho yairehwa manje.

Ndakapotsa ndaseka zvekutokanganwa nhamo kwakungozogutsurira musoro encouraging her to go on and she continued saying "Shuwa ka! Hauzvione here ungati musikana here iyeuye?"

I shrugged my shoulders a bit ndikati "Hameno, ndakangoti munhu angori nechimuviri chakashata.Plus Sidney anoda mazikumai akangodaro-daro uye, ndiyo choice yake!"

"Haana choice uya.Munhu kuita chimuviri chakashata kudaro! Anofanira atori nevana uye!

Iro dumbu zvaro!"

"Mbuya Ano ka!" Ndakadaro ndichiseka nekupukuta misodzi zvikanzi

"Muromo wangu uyu mai Vanessa, hauwi pasi,ane vana uye.Ini ndinoona nekufamba kwemunhu kuti uyu musikana here kana kuti haasi!"

"liih hameno weduwee adiwa iraki rake! Saka mati makabvunza Sidney akati chii?"

Vakarovanidza maoko ndokuti "Hanzi haanei nazvo zvese izvozvo! Hanzi mazuva ano handichapinde murudo nemoyo nekuti ndozorwadziwa.Hanzi ndave kungopinda nepfungwa saka kunyangwe ndikabhaizwa



hazvindirwadze!"

"Haaa baba Julian so ka!" Ndakadaro ndichizunza musoro zvikanzi "Paaitaura pacho ndakangoti zvimwe kuguta zvake nahwo hwahwa hwemubhodhoro kwaaive aita ,but iye zvino ndakutozviona kuti aitove right kuburikidza nenyaya yako iyi."

Ndakavatarisa ndichizama kuda kuona kuti nyaya dzacho dzaibatanidzwa sei vachibva vati"Pau, murudo hamuchapindwe nemoyo sezvataita isusu kare ,ronda racho haripore mwana wemwana wangu.Atokusiya uri right kudai ,tenda Mwari, mumwe anokupa kamimba woita vana vemutupo hobho hobho. Vana vakange nani, mumwe anokupa chirwere, edzi chaiyo tikanokuviga."

Vakambonyarara vachifema ndokuzoenderera voti "Chirega kuramba wochema nekuti hapana zvaunokwanisa kuzviita.Zverudo izvi ukaona zvadai ,haurambidzwe kumbogara zvako wakadaro."

"Handichatozvide ini gogo! Varume vanonyepa."

"Kutaura kwekutsamwa uko, ukaona mumwe zvinopera izvo ,paye paunenge uchirohwa nekutsiurwa kunenge kuri kuzama kutokuonesa."

Ndakagutsurira musoro zvikanzi "Unopora, wotozotaura dzave nhoroondo."

Ndakangoramba ndakatarisa phone yangu yaive mumaoko ndichiita sekunge pane chandaiona pairi.Zvaitaurwa nagogo zvaive zvemunhu asiri kunzwa pain yandainzwa inini. Moyo waiita kurwadza uyu uchiita seusitori wangu.Kurwadziwa kwandaiita kwaitove worse kudarika kurwadziwa kwandakaita pandakarambwa nababa Vanessa vachiti nhumbu yaive isiri yavo.I guess pana baba Vanessa ndaive ndisina kunyanya kunyura zvangu sezvandaive ndazoita panaTawanda apa.

Kana kudya handina kukwanisa kudya zuva iroro, even kunyaradzana naMalcom uyo aive achine nyaya dzake handina kuzvikwanisa. Ainge asati atoenda kwana mama kwaaifanira kuenda achiti zvimwe pane chichachinja asi mukadzi ainge atove wake and hapana zvaive zvichakwanisa kuchinjwa, yaiva yatodeuka kare!

Nyaya yaive yatosvitswa kuvabereki vedu uye vaive vatoitambirawo zvakanaka. Mukoma

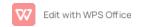


Sidney ndovaive vambopopota havo asi gogo vakakwanisa kuvanyengerera vakazobvuma kutsvagira Malcom kabasa.

Husiku hwezuva iri ndakatambura kuti ndirare.Ndakashanyarika ndirimo mumagumbeze ndichingobwairabwaira.Ndakazoona kuti phone yangu yaitongovaraidza paina Tawanda .Apa yaive yangove zii, panga pasisina chinovaraidza pairi.

Ndakazobiwa nehope papera kanguva ndikamborara zvangu but not for a long time.Ndakapatika pakati pahwo ndikatanga kuchema ndakaita zvekupfunya chisero mumagumbeze.

Pfungwa dzakatomboenda kure ndikatotanga kufunga kuitira Tawanda hutsinye.Ndairwadziwa zvekuti dai pakaita



munhu aida kuti timuuraye ndaitobvuma chete!

Ndakazofunga kuti ndaigona kusamuuraya hangu asi kumuita kuti adzoke kwandiri .Ndakafunga munhu aigona kundibatsira wacho ndikakasika kurangarira tete vaZvamada, aGrace.

Taimanzwa makuhwa ekuti vaizvigona zvese zvaana mudiwa-diwa izvo ,mipfuhwira nezvakawanda-wanda asi zvivindi zvekuvasvikira ndizvo zvandaiva ndisisina.lvowo vaive vakandiratidza kuti vaisatoda zvekundibatsira paye pandaive ndambotaura navo nyaya yezvuma.l was willing to pay her any amount but ivo vakaita sekunge vasina kana basa nemari yangu vakaivhara-vhara yezvuma iye.

Ndakazorara zvekare kwave kuda kutonoyedza



ndikamutswa nekutota kwaive kwaita magumbeze.Ndakamuka nehasha ,ndikabuda kunotemha zijamhu kwakudzoka ndichimhura Vanessa naro.Akamuka achizhamba ndikamuti "Une shuwa kuita wiwi iwewe?" ,achibva aramba akangonditarisa chete .

Ndakakarova ndikatozoita zvekutobatwa nagogo chaiko vachiti "KO ukauraya mwana nhaiwe ?Marovero rudzii? Wave kuda kutopedzera hasha dzese pamwana?"

"Kanobhowa aka everyday torariswa mudhamu manje?"

"Wakamuregerera kare uyu, usangojairire kurova mwana.Dai wakamudzidzisa paakaregedza mukaka paye asisaite, manje iwee waingomupfekedza mapamper usingatozive kuti waitokapembedza kuti kaite weti."

Vakamutora Vanessa vakabuda naye ndikasara ndichizviwisira pamubhedha apo pandisina kuzonyanya kutora nguva ndiri.

Ndakamuka ndakatocharger ,ndikaita basa rangu ndokutorana nemagumbeze angu ndikanomawachira kugarden.

Basa rinofamba kana uchinge wakatsamwa paye.Pasina kana nguva ndaiva ndatopedza kuwacha magumbeze, ndikatombodiridza mugarden zvandaive ndisati ndamboita.

Ndakapedza zvese kudiridza nekudzurira tumasora kwakupedzisira ndanozvambarara paive nekaruvare so. Ndaingoda kuzorora but ndakabva ndadzokera pakufunga Tawanda.Ndakabva ndatanga kutorangarira zvese zvataiva takaita tese.

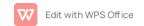
Mamemories ese aiita kuti ndiseke ,sometimes ndotombovhara maziso ndotanga kuimaginer achindibata.Ndakazongochema chete ndave kurangarira kuti ndaizomuwanepi mumwe anenge iye.

Ndakadonongodza maGoso mese ndikashaya kana murume mumwe chete aizogona kundiitira saTawanda.

Zhinji dzaingove tsvimborume dzaisweroteverana nehwahwa.

I tried to picture myself ndichikiswa nemiromo inenge yabva mukunwa masese iyoyo ndikanzwa kuda kutorutsa ,kwakutozviudza kuti zvaiva nani kungogara ndakadaro.

Ndakazosimuka paye ndichirovanidza maoko



angu nekutura mafemo. Ndakaisa madish emagumbeze mubhara ndikaripusha ndakananga kumba.

Ndakasvika Malcom naMuchanyara vachitoratidza kuti vaive vatogadzirira kuda kufamba.Ndakangosvikoyanika magumbeze angu ayo andaitoziva kuti aisatombooma zvayo kwave kuzonogara paive nevamwe.

"Mai Vanessa wasvika takuda kubuda." Malcom said lowly ndikati "Iri bhoo", kwakutarisa Muchanyara ndichifinyama zvikabva zvatobatsirawo kuti asanditange.

Hameno zvavaive vakusimbiswa nagogo zvandisina kutozoisa mumusoro.Even pavakabuda handina kutovaperekedza, ndakatosara zvangu mumba gogo vakazodzoka vachiti vaive vavasiya vakwira. Takatombogara mazuva maviri moyo uchingorwadza nezvandaiva ndaitirwa naTawanda.Kana Zvamada handina kutozomboita shungu dzekuda kuzoziva kuti ainge ave sei.

Week racho rakanonoka kupera ,nguva yaiva yakuita kunge yangostika panzvimbo one.

"Mama" Vanessa kakashevedzera kari muroom medu makainge kakarara mumwe musi ndikati "heeeko iwee!" ,ndichiita zvekushambatata.

"Phone yenyu ikurira." Akadaro achinzwika kuti aive akutouya nayo, ndikasimuka pandaive ndakagara ndichitoshaya kuti ndiani aive andifonerawo.

I had deleted number dzaTawanda but nemusoro ndaive ndichiri kudziziva.Yakaita seichadonha phone yangu nekuhuta kwaive kwoita maoko angu pandakaona ari iye Tawanda. Ndakatanga ndafemeruka ndokuzodaira ndakananga kudanga remombe ndichiti "Hey", achibva amboti zii ndokuzoti "Uri sei babe?"

Kungonzi babe ikoko made me cry , kunyatsochema zvekupedza shungu chaizvo.Akaramba achingoti "Sorry" Tawanda achiedza kuda kundidzikamisa but hazvina zvazvakabatsira.

Phone yakasvika pakucutter ,ndikambogara pazidombo raive pedyo ndichiedza kupedza shungu dzese.

Pandakazovhura WhatsApp yangu ndakabva ndatoona ndaisirwa message yekuti "I am sorry please" ndikangoisiyawo yakadaro ndatoona kuti sorry yake yaisatobatsira kana chinhu.

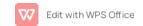
Ndairwadziwa hangu but ndakakwanisa kuzviudza kuti handichada kutaura naye.Ndaive ndakungoda kuti ndipore and apa ndiye aive akutondivhiringidza.

Nenharo dzake akaramba achingofona nekuisa mazimessages ndisingadaire.

Kamwe kamoyo kaitorwadza but ndaive ndaona kuti ndikamupusira aizojairira.

Call yake ndakazoidaira ratove rimwe day ndikamuti "Zvakatopera Tawanda."

"Zvei?"



"Zvei?" He repeated zvandaiva ndabvunzawo ndikati "Zvako neni."

"Hapana zvakapera apa, let me explain mai Vanessa."

"You explained quiet a lot already.Hapana chandave kuda kunzwa."

He exhaled loudly ndokuzoti"Alright can we talk, like in person,please cause paphone hatitonzwanane mai Vanessa.Ndave kutongokumbirawo zvangu babe."

"Kutaura kuti chiiko?Uri kuda kundiudza kuti wave nemumwe?" Ndakaita zvekukwamatata chaizvo zvikanzi "Huya titaure zvatiri kufanira kutaura zvacho, hatina kurambana isusu."

Ndakambotora nguva yangu ndichizama kufunga kuti ndodii.Mashingiriro aaive achiita akaita kuti ndide kunzwa zvaaida kutaura.

I breathed in then out ndokuzoti"Unouya kwacho totaura."

"Ikoko?" He asked ndikati

"Chero!"

"Saka ndouya here kuzokupicker on Saturday toenda somewhere ,tonotaura." He insisted ndikati "Unouya." **End of Chapter**

Chapter 13

Pauline

Ndakasekerera pakazopera call yedu naTawanda.Ndakanogara pabed ndokutura mafemo ndichizvikandira pamubhedha ndokumboramba ndakatarisa mudenga ndichifunga kuti zvandaiva ndaita ndaive ndagona here kana kuti kwete. Ndakaconcluder ndichiti ndaive ndatogona ndikazobudamo convincing myself kuti Tawanda aisakwanisa kutorarama ndisipo. Ndakaenda kwaive nagogo ndikavasvikira vakagara zvavo paverandah vaine zicup ravo remaheu.Ndakagarawo paside pavo ndichitura mafemo zvikanzi "kwakanaka?"

I giggled ndikati "Ehee, gogo zvenyu imi, Tawanda kundifonera zvake achichema!"

Vakamboramba vakanyarara vachiratidza kusatonzwisisa nyaya iyi ndokuzoti pave paye "Tawanda?",ndikaseka zviye zvekuvhara-vhara ndichiti "Ehee, wandaiti akandibloka uya."

"Ko azokublokonora? Ingaa ibenzi!"

"Andiblokonora zvenyu gogo imi, kwakutanga



kundichemera paphone paye achiti sorry."

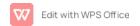
Vakaramba vakashama vakanditarisa ndikawedzera kudzamisa nyaya ndichiti "Anyatsochema ,kuhwihwidza imi gogo ndichinzi sorry mai Vanessa,hee ndinokuda hee chii chii."

"Kunoshamisirei kuchema? Inga wakangochemawo paye zvikapfuura!"

Vakadaro vachishatisa chiso ndikadzokorodza kuti "hanzi sorry kwakutonditi anoda kundiona."

"Muudze akwane zvake, apedza ka kuita magame ake akati rega ndidzokere kubenzi rangu riya?"

Ndakamedza mate ndashaya chekupindura vachibva vatoenderera voti "Ngaakwane



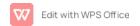
hake! Manje wamuti chii?"

"Ndamutukirira!" I lied zvangu ndatoona kuti type yemunhu wandaiudza yacho yaisabvuma zvemanga-manga.Ndakatokungura kuti dai ndisina kumbobvira ndavaudza nyaya yacho.

Vaisatondibvumira kuti ndibude musi weSaturday.Ndakazongosimuka ipapo Tawanda ava kungotukirirwa nagogo vangu.Ndakaenda kukitchen vakakutevera zvekare kukitchen kwacho kwakusvikoti "Kana ari serious unomuudza kuti agosvika pano ,ndotaura naye ndiri ini, kwete zvake izvo! Iwee hapana kwaunoenda!"

Ndakangotii "Ehoi" asi nechemumoyo ndichitoziva kuti handaizofa ndakadaro kana!

Kumuunza kwagogo kwaive kutomuisa mukanwa mamupere chaimo nekuti aizotoudziridzwa mashoko ekuti aigona kubva



atoramwa kundinyengerera.Nekuziva zvaiva zvakandinakira ndakabva ndangoinyarara nyaya yacho.Paphone taive takungotaura sezvataisiita kare naTawanda wangu ndichingomusimbisa kuti taizoonana totaura Saturday yacho.

Nekuziva kuti pamba paisazobudika ndakafunga munhu aigona kundibatsira kuti ndikwanise kubuda musiwe Saturday wacho.

Paive nasahwira vagogo vainzi mbuya Vongai avo vaigara nechekumhiri kwedu vandainzwanana navo.

Ndakangobuda ndakananga kumba kwavo ndikatovasvikira vakagara zvavo nemurume wavo uyo aitarisisa zvaibhowa.Ndiye munhu wandaingozeza pamba ipapa chete.

Vanhu vaimuti Kondoziso, nenyaya yekuti aiona neziso rimwe chete, rimwe racho rakavhara. One raaiona naro racho airishandisa kutsiva rimwe raisaona.Baba vaitarisisa zvavo ivavo!

Ndakasvika nekuvamhoresa vese ,mbuya Vongai vachibva vazoti "Ari sei Emeria? Veduwee obva atadza kundiudzawo kuti kwave nemuroorazukuru?"

"Emeria ari bhoo.Handiti manga muri kuHarare? Muchaitawo makuhwa amai Madhiredhi!"

"Kunyepa here? Wane muroora wekwaDongo, kunodyiwa nyama ka uko!"

"Nyararai zvenyu!"

Takamboseka vachibva vazoti "Kuri sei kumba mai Vanessa?" ,ndikati "Kuri nani zvako."

Murume wavo akatondigonera achibva asimuka achiti aive akunotarisa mombe.

Ndakasara ndotanga nyaya yangu ndichiti "Mbuya Vongi ndauya kuzobatsirwa."

"Hanziiko? Uyu muzukuru waEmeria vasikana!"

"Aaa mbuya Vongi, ndoda kukutumaiwo kuna gogo."

"Kwakanaka here? Vave kuda kuroora here ahama nashamwari vako?"

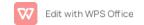
Ndakaseka zvangu mataurirwo azvaiitwa ndikati "Manje manje vanoroora zvavo.Ndiri kuda kunoona muface wangu manje asahwira venyu munovaziva!" Vakaseka zvavo ndokuti "Vanoda kukuchengeta kusvika rini mbuya Ano? Kwavo kuda kuchengetwa stereki?Ngavanochengetwa ka kuHarare munhu ane vana vakabudirira?"

Ndakakwiridzira mapendekete zvikanzi"Aiwa ngavakusiye muende munoonekwa! Muface wako wacho ndeupi?Asi ndiye wako uya wekumbokurovesa paye naSidney?"

"Ndiye."ndakadaira ndichigutsurira nemusoro zvikanzi

"Inga une nharo Pau! Nemarohwerwo awakaitwa aye?"

"Hatisiyane naTawanda mbuya Vongi."



"Hoo ndi T1?" Vakabvunza vachiratidza kunakidzwa nezita racho ndikati "Ehee, haa uye haandisiye asahwira ,ndakamudyisa apapapa pangu saka anotopenga neni, angaende hake asi anozodzoka, chiname chaicho chiye!"

Takaita chikwee tichirovana maoko ,tikazoguma tave kunyatsoseka .

Tapedza zvekuseka izvi ndakabva ndadzokera kunyaya yangu ndichiti "Mangwana ndoda kubuda asahwira, huyai mutaure nagogo ndikabva kwandinenge ndaenda ndouya ndichikutengerai drink."

"Unenge watogona Pau iwee ,ndoda riri rita chairo moyo wofara!"

"Rinouya dont worry."

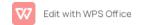
Takazotenderana kuti vaizouya kumba kwedu zuva iroro manheru.

Vakauya ari manheru vakasvikoti "Mbuya Ano Gogoi."

Gogo vakatanga vamboti nechizevezeve
"Vanoindepiko nehusiku?" ,ndokuzodaidzira kuti
"Pinda Virginia ,manje nhasi wairasa nekuti
wasvika tadya."

Vakambosekedzana mbijana vachiwanzirana ,Mbuya Vongi kwakuzoti "Ko nhai Mbuya Ano, saka mwana uyu unoti uchasvika naye kupi panapa zvaunotomurambidza kuti anoona munhu wake?"

"Mwana upizve?" Gogo vakabvunza vachishamisika vakapindurwa kunzi "Iyeyu Pau



ka, mwana kutouya kumba kuzondikumbira kuti nditaure newe?"

"Pauline?" Gogo vakabvunza I think vaida kunyatsoita make sure kuti ndini ndairehwa zveshuwa here.

"Ehee ka asahwira, unoda kushandisa mwana here nehuroyi hwako zvaunomurambidza kuti anoonane nemumwe wake?"

Vakapindura mbuya Vongai sematambiro avaingoita mazuva ese naasahwira vavo .Pese pavaimbodaro vaibva vaseka vese asi musi uyu mbuya Vongi ndivo vakangoseka vega.

Vachingopedza kuseka gogo vakabva vatura mafemo ndokuti "Zvazvakatooma nhai!", Zvikanzi naasahwira vavo "Zvei?" Vakaramba vakanyarara ndikaona vakanditarisa nemurima imomo.Patakasanganidzana maziso vakabva varovanidza maoko vachiti "Anoenda zvake!" ,mbuya Vongi kwakuti "Kwete kuzomurovesa futi nanhingi, mwana anozoita nhinhi uyu mukatozomutadziratu!Siyai adiwe ,aonekwe toda aroorwe isu!"

"Haiwa hapana zvandichambomuita ini, haachasi mwana uyu."

Vakambotaura nyaya dzaMalcom,mbuya Vongi kwakuzooneka zvavo pave paye.

Ndaifunga kuti gogo vachasara vonditongesa asi havana kutodaro zvavo. Vainge vakungozviimbira zvavo vachiita zvavaiita ndikangovasiyawo vakadaro.

Zuva rakatevera racho Tawanda akauya kuzonditora.Ndakabuda mumba ndatochenachena ,ndikaoneka gogo ndichiti "Gogo ndakuenda", vachibva vatanga vanditarisa ndokuzoti "Horaiti."

Ndakambotora nguva ndakanyarara ndichiti zvimwe pane zvavachataura asi kana!

Ndakasimuka chinyararire ndikafamba zvisina confidence kusvika ndisvike kuroad.Ndakatevedza road ,mota yaTawanda ndikazoiona iri padhuze nechigayo.

Ndakasvika ndichiknocker window achibva atovhura door Tawanda wacho ndikapinda.He opened his arms for a hug ndikamurambira nemapendekete zvikanzi "Amana!" ndikatopetanisa maoko kuri kumuratidza kuti ndichiri ndakatsamwa.

Akatoseka zvake ,kwakutanga kundisekenyedza



kusvika ndave kubwibwinyika .Ndakapedzisira ndapihwa hug yandaive ndambonyepera kusada iye ,kwakutotutsirwa nekiss yandisina kuziva kuti yaive yatanga sei.

"I am sorry." Akadaro after the kiss, face yake ichiri padhuze neyangu ndikati "Hauite zvako Tawanda, kundibloka inini?"

"Handina kumbokubloka babe."

"Saka ndave kupenga?"

"Wanga wakablokwa but not neni! Someone did it"

"Ani? Your wife?" Ndakadaro with teary eyes



zvikanzi "No! Pane munhu akangobata phone yangu akaita zvake zvekukubloka izvozvo"

Ndaida kutoziva nezvemunhu aiva adaira phone yake nekuti ndaive ndava convinced kuti ndiye aiva andibloka. As if reading my mind Tawanda akabva atonditangira kuti "My sister is the one akakudaira that day."

Serious yaaive akarova yakandishaisa neremuromo ndikaramba ndakangoshama.He took that advantage and stole a kiss.Kiss yacho yaive short one but yakangonzi ichipedzwa kwakutoudzwa kunzi "Ndinokuda."

Ndakagutsurira musoro achibva atoti "Toenda?"ndikabvumira.

Takadimbudzira neimwe road tikabudikira kudust road yekwaMurehwa ku44 ndikatobvunza kuti "kupi nhaai?", achibva



angonditambisira tsiye achiti "Surprise", ndikangoti "hoo."

Ndakazoona tasvika kwainzi kwaChimutsa ndikangonyarara ndichimirira kuti tisvike kwaaida kundiendesa kwacho.

Takaenda painzi paVillage pandaingonzwa nembiri apo paive palodge.Paive pakanaka zvekuti waitofunga kuti zvimwe hameno kumwe kwandaendeswa.

Takapinda mukati ndakabatwa ruoko achibva abooker room tikanopindamo. Takatanga tadya ,ndokuzoita zvataive tafambira.

Ndaive ndamusuwa zvekuti zvese zvandaifunga ndakabva ndazvikanganwa ndikatanga kungofunga zvaiitika panguva iyoyo. Iyewo musi iwowo aitove mhuka chaiyo.Haana kuneta ,akaramba achingondishandira chete kusvika ndava kunyatsonzwa kuti ndaneta.

Akazondisiya nyama dzisisade idzi, tikazonogeza ndichingoudzwa zvinhu zvinonakidza.

Hatina kutonyatsowana nguva yekutaura sezvandaive ndaudzwa kuti taizoswera tichingotaura. Takangoswera tichiita izvozvo zvekufadzana nyama ndokuzobuda ,ndikapfuura nemaMurehwa mutown ndichitengerwa morning after ndokuzonosiiwa kumba kunze kwatosviba.

He parked his car pabus stop pandaive ndamuratidza paye kwakuti "Thanks" ndikangosekerera mbijana ndichitoshaya kuti ndodaira ndichiti chii.

Akatura mafemo achiita kunge pane zvaaida kutaura asi hapana chakabuda kusvika ndatozoti "Ndave kuenda."



Akanditarisa ndokumboita sekunge anozvipukuta dikita raisatomboveko kumeso kwacho ndokuzoti "Pauline" with a steady voice ndikati "Hee."

Hana yangu yaive yakutoita kamwe kakurova kandaisatonzwisisa.

"Tawanda." Ndakakwanisa kumudaidza achibva anditarisa ndokuti "Pau,I am sorry for wasting your time.Sorry zvako ,ndine mukadzi."

"What!" I exclaimed with shock zvikanzi "Sorry ,she was away pese apa saka apa akadzoka."

Ndakanzwa hasha ndikamupa zimbama akangoshinyira akatarisa pasi ndikafunga kuti zvimwe achaita hasha asi haana.Akasimudza



musoro mbijana mbijana ndokuti "Sorry", ndikatanga kuchema.

"Saka wakadzokerei kwandiri Tawanda, wakadii kundisiya ,ndanga ndakutozviporera wani! Hindava uine hutsinye?"

"I am sorry!"

"Sorry haisi kushanda ndati hindava uine hutsinye?"

"Handina hutsinye.I just wanted to feel you kekupedzisira-sira, I know it sounds crazy but ndozvandanga ndichitongoda, kupedza shungu dzese."

"Ndosaka wandiitira zvehutsinye kudaro? Kundirara zvekuda kusiya watondiuraya handiti ka?"

"I am sorry Mai Vanessa."

"You are an idiot Tawanda!"

"I know." He replied lowering his head ndikabata door ndokurivhura ndichichema.

Akandibata ruoko ndokuti "Sorry", ndikamuvhizurira kure kwakunyatsochema ndichibuda.

End of Chapter

Chapter 14

Zvamada

Muchanyara aive azohwina zvake and zvaive zvichiri kuita kakundirwadza kungoziva kuti mukomana wangu wekutanga aive aenda nemwana wababa vangu.

Ndakabva ndatongoona kuti zverudo izvi zvaisatbove zvangu kana kamwe chete.Chinhu chandaive ndakuda kuita was kuzvishandira ndochengeta mai vangu nevanin'ina vangu.

Malcom naMuchanyara ndaizovadzoserawo zvangu nekufamba kwenguva.Ndaive ndisati ndave neplan yavo asi ndaiziva kuti nekufamba kwenguva ndaizobuda nechinhu one



chaizovarwadzawo.

Ndakatomboita zvizuva ndisingade kutoonana nambuya Ano kana nemumwe chete zvake wekumba kwavo.Ndaive ndakungogara ndiri pamba ndichibatsirana namai vangu kurera vana vedu. Nyaya yekutizira kwaive kwaita Muchanyara yaive isisataurwe.Tete vaive nezvavaiziva havo asi havana kuzombotiudza kuti zvaive zvazoita sei zvikazodii.

Mbuya Ano vakazonditumira munhu mumwe musi vachiti vaive nezvavaida kubatsirwa.

Ndakatomboda kuramba kuenda kumba kwavo kwakuzobvuma pandakanzwa kuti vavengi vangu vaive vasisiko.

Ndakaonekana namama ndikabuda ndakananga



kwambuya Ano avo vandakasvikira vachitoberekesa zvavo Vanessa chidhori.Pamba pavo paive pakati zii madoor akavharwa ndichibva ndatongoziva kuti vaive vari vega.

Vachingondiona chete vakabva vatoti "Titambirei", ndikatiwo "Tambirai musoro mbuya."

Ndakanogara pasi ndikavamhoresa vakadairawo vachiti "Tinofara mwanangu kurisei kumba?"

"Kumba kwakanaka uku kuri sei kuno?"

"Kuri right zvako."

"Ko asi mai Vanessa havapo?"ndakabvunza



"hameno kwaendwa kuzvikomba!" Vakapindura vachirovanidza maoko ndokuzoenderera voti "Anoda zvekushandiswa fani! Ufunge zvako,chikomba chake changa chakamubloka mazuva apfuura aya. Akachema iwee zvekusvika pakupfidza kuti haachada kutochiona.Saka hameno hanzi chakazomublokonora chikomba chacho kudiiko, kwakumunyengetedza kuti vaonane iye nekupusa kwakutobvuma, ezvi atoendeswa kumalodge kunosandurwa unomuziva kuti haatane ka!Mai Vanessa vanorwadza!"

"lii ko vanodarirei?"

"Hameno hake! Ndakambomurambidza kuti asaende, ndikamuti kana achikuda anouya pano ,iye kwakunondimhan'arira kuna asahwira vangu vemavende vaye!"

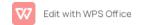
"Amadhiredhi?" Ndakadaro ndichiseka zvikanzi "Ehee, nedzungu ravo riye unoriziva! Vakandivinga pano nehusiku hanzi ndanyanya kusungirira mwana,hee handidi kuti aroorwe ndikati Eeeh!"

"liii inga zvakaoma!"

"Saka apa ndave kumusiya aite zvaanoda, hupenyu ndehwake handidi kuti azonditi ndakamutadzisa kuroorwa."

Vaitoratidza kuremerwa nenyaya yamai Vanessa pavaiitaura.

Vakazoichinja vave kuti "Ko hanzi manga mave kudanana naMalcom?", ndikagutsurira musoro



ndakatarisa pasi vachibva vati "Achibva aenda zvake naanin'ina?"

"Ndakanyatsorwadziwa mbuya." Ndakadaro ndichinyatsonzwa pain iye yaive yambopera ichinyatsodzoka zvikanzi "Wakambozvibvunza kuti sei zvakadaro?"

"Ndakazvibvunza ndikaona kuti utori munyama wangu.Mukomana wangu wekutanga ongotanga nekundiitira mashura shuwa!"

"Hausi munyama Zvamada.Zvinenge zvatokupfuurawo unotofanira kutenda Mwari.Malcom haasi straight uya,unombozviziva kuti aive nemukadzi?"

I shook my head zvikanzi "Akambotizirwa



,akatombochengeteswa nhumbu isiri yake ,zvandiri kutaura izvi hazvina kana mazuva zvabva mukuitika zvekuti ndakatoshamisika kuti anga apora nguvai! Iro dhirezi zvaro, haikona! Anorida zvekuti bhere, ndinotomushairwa pake chaipo ini!"

"Inga zvakaoma!"

"Akatooma musoro munhu waunoona paye,waizonochema zvako mberi ndikazvinyarirwa ini.Chese chinoitika muhupenyu ziva kuti chinenge chiine chinangwa."

Ndakangogutsurira musoro vachibva vaenderera voti "Tenda Mwari, ezvi haasi kutoshanda vakaenda kumusha kwavabereki vake uko naMuchanyara ari kutomirirawo kuchengeterwa mukadzi namukoma wake."

"Hayaa zvakaoma!"

Vakachinja nyaya yacho vave kuti "Karisei kacheche?", ndikati "kari bhoo" zvikanzi "baba vakazouya kuzokaona?"

"Havana ava." Ndakapindura ndichipara-para pasi zvikanzi "Vaye vanotopenga chete, varegei vakadaro tichaona kwazvichasvika."

Ndisati ndavapindura phone yavo yakabva yapinda message ,vakainhonga ndokuisapadhuze-dhuze nemaziso avakange vadzora kuita madiki-diki,hameno kuti vaiona here.

Vakatora nguva vakadaro ndokuzoiisa kunzeve



vachiratidza kuti vaive vasenderwa voice note.

Hameno zvavakaudzwa ipapo izvo zvakabva zvaita kuti vatobate pahana pavo vachiratidza kushamisika.

Vakazopindurawo nevoice note vachiti "Inga zvakaoma ,haapenge here mukadzi waMukudzei nhaai?"

Akapinda busy mukadzi waMukudzei wacho aitaurwa nezvake uyu nekutukirirwa achinzi aive asina kurongeka.

Vakazopedzisira vaisa iri audio kumunhu wandakafungira kuti ndiye aiva Mukudzei wacho vachiti "Anopenga here mukadzi wako? Shuwa kumwisira kamwana kadiki kakadaro? Munhu akafunda shuwa ,graduate inoita zvinhu zvinosvota kudaro! Mukadzi wako idununu chairo ndaiti vechindevere ndivo vakangwarira izvo kwaani! Irima rega rega!"

Vakasenda voice note iyoyo ndokuridza tsamwa vachiti "Zvakaoma!" ,semunhu aidawo nyaya ndakabva ndatoti "Ndiani?", zvikanzi "Muroorazukuru uyu,vaye vekuchata mazuva apfuura aya!"

"Hoo matwins?"

"Eheede ivavo! Mukadzi waMukudzei ndiye wandiri kuudzwa pano kuti hanzi ane nhumbu kana ndiwewo zvako Zvamada! Kuitira kamwana kane 7months nhumbu!"

"Hii manje hakafe?"

"Hameno ,ndataura namai Mona hanzi kari right.Kwanzi murume nemukadzi ndivo vanga vave kunetsana vachinakurirana nyoka mhenyu! Zvichabatsirei?"

"Zvazvakatooma nhaai!"

Vaive vakutoratidza kuti vatobatikana nemessage yavaive vatambira iyi.Vakandipa washen yaida kuwatywa ndikaiwacha ndokuzooneka pandakapedza pacho kwakunanga kumba.

Ndakazoona vatevera mbuya Ano zuva remangwana racho vakasvikoita nyaya namhamha ndokuzondidaidza.

Ndakasvika nekunzi "Pau akadzoka asiri kutogona nekuchema ka zuro uye!" "Hii Ko Hanzi chii?" Ndakabvunza zvikanzi

"Akaswera achishandiswa uko kwakuzoudzwa kunzi handichakude ndine mukadzi"

"Hii gogo imi!" Ndakadaro ndakabata pachest pangu ndakutohakira kurwadziwa zvikanzi "Zvokwadi, ezvi ararira achichema apa tatongomusiyawo achingochema kudaro!"

"Inga aita munyama mai Vanessa!" Mama vakadaro vakapindurwa kunzi "Munyama wekutozvipa uyu, ndakaedza kumutsiura akandiona sendinopenga apa.Munhu wake anga atombomuratidza kuti anoita magame iye kwakuzviignowa ndokutobvuma hake kufuririka!"

"Varume vacho vaveko mazuva ano!" Mama vakadaro vachirovanidza maoko zvikanzi nagogo "Kwave nehama dzasatani chaidzo, iyeye waaive naye hanzi akatanga ambomudvura zvekupenga chaizvo kwakuzomuti handichada.Ezvi hanzi nyama dzese dziri kungorwadza ,ndikati ndizvo zvamaida maimwana!"

Vakamboseka mbijana, mbuya Ano ndokuzonditi "Ko zvandakazoita zuro paye? Yedu yekusagona kuverenga iyi!Iwee Zvama ka!"

I giggled ndikati "Makaita sei?", zvikanzi "Zvandinoita pawhatsApp apa ndinongoita zvekutarisa pikicha inenge yakaiswa nemunhu ndobva ndaziva kuti uyu ndiani.Handitogone zvekuverenga mazita ndinongotarisa pikicha

ndotoisa audio yangu.Saka nezuro paye pandaiti ndaisira Mukudzei message ,ndaive ndatoisira mukadzi wake ufunge!"

"Hii!" Ndakadaro ndichibata muromo ndichirangarira audio yavaive vasenda yacho zvikanzi "Ko ndazivei zvangu?Mukadzi ndiye akaisa pikicha yemurume murumewo kwakuisa yemukadzi!Saka paye ndakangotsvaga paive nepikicha yaMukudzei kwakusenda zvangu audio!"

Takaseka tese namama vakatozorondedzererwa zvaive zvataurwa pa audio pacho.

"Saka hanzi chii?" Ndakabvunza after tamboseka zvikanzi "Mukadzi akangoterera audio haana kupindura, hameno kumba kwavo ikoko anenge akabva ainzwisawo murume wake ,ndikazongoona ndava kufonerwa nemurume achindiudza kuti audio masenda kusiriko gogo!"

"Yuwii zvino haana kutotsamwa muroorazukuru wacho?" Mama vakabvunza vakapindurwa kunzi "Ko ndakataura manyepo here? Chokwadi chagara chinorwadza ,handizvitsvage ini! Aaa message yakangozoenda direct kwayaifanira chaiko, dai yakazoita zvekusvitswa nemurume wacho zvimwe yaizosvika yarungwa-rungwa!"

"Iye azonyanyawo kubva amwisira kasvava kakaro!"

"Zvako iwee mai Zvamada! Havanzwe vana ivavo!Bedroom vanoida zvekuti fee!"

Vakaseka vachirovana maoko ndikashaya pekutu ndipinde nenyadzi.Ndaive ndakuda kutosimuka pandakanzwa mbuya Ano vave kuti "Saka mwana akatoendeswa kwamai Mukudzei kuCharlotte brook uku."

"Hoo vazukuru venyu havachagareko?" Mama vakabvunza vakapindurwa kunzi

"Vakarumuka vese pavakangochata paye.Zvino mwana uyu haana wekusara naye kwaambuya vake ikoko, vese vako vari kuenda kumabasa."

"Ko vabereki vamai kacheche varipi?" Mama asked

"Mai vake hameno kwavanobhindauka vari



kumarimuka , vakangouya kumuchato chete kwakudzokera.Anenge haanawo hama dzakati tsvikiti iyeuye!"

"Shame." Ndakadaro shaking my head slowly ndava kutonzwira kasvava ikako tsitsi ndikanzwa mbuya Ano voti "Ipapa ndatofonerwa ndatonzi nditsvage musikana anonosara nemwana pfungwa dzangu dzichibva dzangomhanya ipapa pana Zvama!"

End of Chapter

Chapter 15

Zvamada

Ndakavatarisa mbuya vaAno ndichifunga kuti zvimwe ndaive ndatopotsa kunzwa nekuti nezvaive zvaitika ndaisatombofungira kuti vangadaro.

Vakadzokorodza vave kuti "Handiti zvinoita? Plus zvevana izvi ndinoziva kuti ndizvo zvako chaizvo!"

"Mati kubasa?" Ndakabvunzisisa zvandaive ndanyatsonzwa zvikanzi "Ehee ,handiti unoda zvako? Mari yacho yakanaka fani hanzi \$80."

"Anoda uyu!"mama vakandipindurira ndikati "lii basa ndairida zvangu asi kuhama dzenyu



kwete! Ndizoswerovhairirwa nana Muchanyara ikoko! Handidi hangu mbuya! Dai kwaive kure better!"

"Kuvhairirwa kupiko?" Mbuya Ano vakabvunza ndikati "Kudadirwa chaiko ,handidi zvangu ini mbuya.Ndakarwadziwa and zvekuti ndirambe ndichiita sekunge ndiri kuteverana nanaMalcom handidi."

"Ko unombovaona here handiti Malcom achiri kunoku? Uko kwakanaka zvako iwe Zvama,muroora wangu waunenge uchigara naye wacho ndiMwari pachezvake.Munhu munyoro zvekuti anototaurika naye, ini nyaya yaMalcom ndichagara ndavaudza kuitira kuti vasazomusiya achiedza masaramusi ake pauri.Uko haatoite mavara zvake,sekuru vake vari strict! Haatoite zvisina basa

uyo ,anototyawo kuti nyaya dzake idzodzo dzikasvika munzeve dzaSiddy pake panobva patomuperera. Uaatomutyira zvako ,plus unenge uchigara uri mugate."

Ndakabwaira-bwaira zvikanzi "kana kudzidza kwaunoda kuya muroora wangu anogona kutoita kuti udzidze."

Zvese zvavakataura apa hazvina kana kutombondivhundutsa kana kundifadzawo.

"Zvama." Mbuya Ano vakadaro vachindibhabhadzira ndikati "Basa ndaida zvangu asi kuhama dzenyu uko bodo!"

"Chako kungozvishandira mwanangu usingatsvage zvakawanda."mbuya Ano said



ndikashamisika mama vave kuti "Chingoenda mwanangu ,tarisa uone pano takangogara hapana ari kushanda.Ukashandawo zvinobva zvaita nani Mwanangu."

I sniffed ndichirangarira nhamo yataive nayo pamba pedu. Ndakatarisa mama ndikatoona kuti vanenge vatongotarisirawo mari yandaizoshanda iyoyo kwakuzongoona kuti ndaifanira kutongoenda kubasa kwacho.

Hapana pandaizoona rimwe basa rakanaka kudarika iroro rekushandira hama dzambuya Ano.

I sniffed again mama ndokuti "Kana zvisingaite hazviite", ndichibva ndapukuta misodzi ndokuti "Ndinoenda."

Vese mbuya Ano namama vakatura mafemo aye ekurerukirwa mama ndokutoti "lii matogona



mama, ko pano pacho ari kumboiteiko?", Mbuya Ano kwakuti "lii ndini ndakutotenda iyeyu abvuma kuenda kunosara nemwana! Muroora wangu aipinda busy."

"Haa chokwadi."

"Saka apa iii ndichatoti ndimuperekedze mangwana chaiye ,kana zvichiita totomukira ari makuseni. Asi kuti baba Pure vangamurambidze kuenda?"

"Haa kana, vanenge vachimurambidza vakamira saani? Anongooneka ivo mbuya vake naatete vake,ndivo vanozosvitsawo kuna bambo vacho!" Mama vakadaro Mbuya Ano kwakuti "Horaiti.Saka tozviita zvamangwana ndonomusiya ndozodzoka mangwana acho. Ndinenge ndakutokumbira Sekai wenyu kuti

anondisarirawo nemurwere wangu."

"Murwere upi zvee?" Mama vakabvunza zvikanzi

"Ko iye Pauline! Handiti ari kutorwara ,haasi kutotarisika! Haiwa anga asangana nemusatanist chaiye aida kungomusveta ropa!"

"Umm nyararai zvenyu, zvinorwadza zviye."

Vakazoenda kumba kwavo mbuya Ano tabvumirana kuti taizomukira kuHarare mangwana acho makuseni. Ndakasara ndave kunzi namama "Ndinoziva kuti wanga usiri kuzvida izvi but hapana, wotongoshinga mwanangu."

Ndakagutsurira musoro zvikanzi "Harare toiziva nembiri yayo, ndapota zvangu haikona kuita zvinonyangadza.Iwewe ndiwe watodzidza zvakanyanya kuburikidza nekuona vakakupoteredza vachirwadziswa nevarume! Ukazvitambisawo unosiiwa uri panorwadza sezvangoitwa mai Vanessa izvi."

"Imimi munosara bhoo ?" Ndakabvunza ndakunzwa kuda kutochema zvikanzi "Tinosara isu, ndini ndinenge ndakuita basa rawaiita kwambuya Ano uko.Tinorarama sisi."

"Ndikangowana mari ndinobva ndangouya nayo."

"Horaiti mwanangu.Paunopihwa off paye unombonoonawo mwana wamai vangu ikoko handiti?" "Ndinoenda."

Takazovhiringwa naSekai akauyawo achinditi "Sisi makuenda kuHarare?" Ndikati "Ehee" ,kwakutanga kuudzwa tunhu twaaida kuzotengerwa ikoko.Zvisinei nekusada kusaririrawo akajoinawo ipapo ndikatanga kutoudzwa tunhu hobho hobho twaaida kuzotengerwa zvekuti ndakatozopedzisira ndava kunonokerwawo nekuti ndichingotanga basa racho.

Luckily hembe dzangu dzaive dzakabva mukuwachwa. Mai vangu vakaturunura kamonarch kavo ako kaive kachiri katsva kavaive vakatenga panhumbu ya Zvisi ndikakapihwa kuti ndirongedzere zvinhu zvangu.



Vakabva vandipa netwo madress avo aive achiri kunzwa ayo avaiva vasosiya kupfeka kare vachiti ndizowana chekupfeka ndava mberi.

Tapedza kurongedza takabva tadungamidzana kwana gogo vangu tikanovaoneka.Ndivo vaizosarawo vachiudzawo baba vangu nezve kwandaiva ndaenda.

Ndakarara ndichingorota ndave kuHarare ndikaita kutomukira makuseni acho kwave kutanga kugadzirira.

Ndakapfeka dress rangu nematackies angu andaive ndakatengerwa namama pavakambonoita maricho kwaSabhuku.Aive eblack aine two white stripes which matched nekadress kandaive ndakapfeka. Pese pandaizvipfeka ndaitonzi ndakachena since zvirizvo zvaive best yangu.

Ndakaonekana nevanin'ina vangu moyo ukaita kurwadza nekungoziva kuti ndinenge ndiri kure navo.

Ndakaudonhedza musodzi mama vakapinda busy yekundinyaradza.

Ndakanooneka vatete nagogo kechipiri kwave kuzonosiiwa kwambuya Ano namama.

Takavasvikira vatogadzirira zvese vatopedza mbuya Ano.Takavamhoresa vachibva vatoti "Pindai muone Pau, atorwara mufunge moyo wangu hausisina kugadzikana ipapa! Dai Zvama aive nephone aitoenda hake ega."

"Nyaya iyasu?" Mama vakabvunza vakanzi "Zvenyu, kudya haasi kutoda! Ari kungochema hameno ari kuti zvinochinjei?" Takapinda muroom mamai Vanessa vacho tikavasvikira vakaita zvekuzembera madziro vakazvambarara. Maziso aive aita kuzvimba ,and vaive vatoita sevaonda nezuva rimwe chete. She forced a smile patakapinda vakati "Titambire" ,mama ndivo vakabva vadaira vachiti "Hesi mai Vanessa" zvikanzi "Ndiri bhoo."

Ini ndakatadza kana kutotaura,ndaive ndakutonzwa kuswinyiwa mumaziso umu.Misodzi yangu yaive yoda kutohakirawo dzayaisaziva.

Ndakazovhunduka ndakunzi namai Vanessa "hesi kani Zvama", ndikati "Mushe muri sei?"

She forced a smile again then replied "Ndiri bhoo, wakachena muroora!"

"Handisi muroora wenyu ini!"

Vakaseka ndokupindura vachiti "Uri muroora wangu hazvife zvakachinja.Malcom akaruzawo apa babe rava kutorwa neatanga kuHarare."

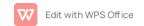
"Mai Vanessa ka! "ndakadaro ndave kusekawo zvikanzi

"Apa wakachena,usazonoita musikanzwa ikoko, ndoda ugozororwa nemurume anoti akatsika pasi apa panoti dhii!"

Voice raive ratoshoshomera nekuchema.

Matauriro avo akaita kuti tese tiseke ivowo vakapedzisira vave kuseka. She laughed then ended up vave kutochema ndikatozoona mama vave kuti "Pau usadaro iwewe!"

Vakachema vakakwanisa kuzodurura



zvaivarwadza zvacho vachiti "Mai Zvama zvandakaitwa naTawanda! Mai Zvama kutanga andiita bhiza rake kwave kuzondiramba.Ndiri kurwadziwa inini mai Zvama chandakamutadzira ndiri kuchishaya!"

"Chinyarara kani mai Vanessa unozvikuvadzisa nekuchema." Mama vakadaro vachivabhabhadzira kumusana.

Vakambotora nguva vachidaro kupedzisira vazonyarara vachibva vambosimbiswa namama vachiudzwa kuti zvinopera.

Takazonokwira bhazi nambuya Ano tave kuchinanga kuHarare.Kwaisava kutsva zvako sezvo ndaimboenda kwana mainini vangu munin'ina wamama avo vaishanda kumayard kuGlenlorne.

Vainzi mainini mai Kayden.Road yekuGlenlorne



yacho takatoidarika tiri mubhazi ndichibva ndatoona kuti ndaive ndichiri kukuziva.

Takazosvika kuCharlotte brook tikatambirwa zvakanaka nemuroora wambuya Ano ,uyo ainzi mai Mona.Nekungoona munhu wacho waibva watongoona kuti aiva asiri munhu ane hutsinye.Vaingoratidza kuti vaive munhu anotaurika navo.

Nenyaya yehukama hwataive taumbirwa naMuchanyara naMalcom vakabva vatotanga nekunditi muzukuru.

Vakauya nemuzukuru wavo wacho aida kuchengetwa ndokusvikomutambidza kuna mbuya Ano avo vakabva vati "Havashure here vana vako nhai mai Mona? Hanzi chii?" "Hameno zvanga zvichabvunzwa nani?"

"Zvakaoma, manje haanetsi iyeyu?"

"Haa akangonetsa zuva rekutanga chete,takarara takamira ndikange ndakutonzi nasekuru vacho ndimudzosere kuna mai vake!" Vakadaro vachiseka mbuya Ano kwakutiwo"Unovajaidza ,vaida kumbosiiwa naye zveshuwa!"

"lii ndakanzwa tsitsi nestate yaive namai vacho, koti Mukudzeiwo aive achivanetsa nekoko busy kuvapa blame yese ,hazvaizobuda!"

"Aaa imhosva yavo vese." Vakapindura mbuya Ano vave kuchinditambidza mwana uya.Ndakamutambira and smiled at him



pfungwa dzikatombodzokera kumusha kwandaiva ndasiya Kayla.Mwana wacho akaramba akanditarisa ndikazoona ndave kuda kutojungwa muziso nezvigunwe, zvakabva zvaita kuti vanhu vaseke.

"Watoita hako lucky ,anoramba vanhu mukomana wacho."

Mai Mona vakadaro vachiseka vakapindurwa nambuya Ano kuti "Haa uyu atori neruoko rwevana."

"Haa muchajairana henyu, anonzi Neymar uyu ,mukomana wenhabvu." Mai Mona said ndikangogutsurira musoro ndichitambisa tumaoko twaNeymar wacho.

Ndakaratidzwa room yandaizoshandisa yacho pamwe nemamwewo marooms aivepo.Baba vepo vakazouya atova manheru .Ava havana kuita vatsva kwandiri since ndainge ndakambovaonawo kumusha.

Vaive vakasunungukawo semukadzi wavo zvekuti ndakabva ndatonzwawo kurerukirwa. Vakangotanga nekunditi 'Muzukuru' kuratidza kuti nyaya yekuti ndiri sisi vemukadzi waMalcom vaive vakatoipirwa kare.

Mwana wavo musikana wavaigara naye akazouyawo ave mangwana acho achinzi aiva achibva kuBootcamp.

Aingofarawo sevamwe vake zvekuti nyaya hadzina kumbonetsa kutanga. Akangoswera pamba zuva rimwe chete then the next day kwakutanga kuenda kubasa.

Ndiro zuva rakabva radzokerawo mbuya Ano kumusha ndikatanga kusara pamba naNeymar wangu.



Munhu wacho aisanetsa hake aingoti akaguta obva arara zvake. Aitochema kana ave nehope or kana atototesa diaper rake zvake.

Takadhonza svondo tese ndikatanga kutojaira kuswera naNeymar wangu.He was so adorable zvekuti I ended up ndatove nekamwe kaconnection paari sezvandaingoita naKayla.

Ndini ndaive ndakurara naye and we didn't have any problems pakurara kwacho.Paaimuka ndaingomupa mukaka wake obva atodzokera pakurara zvekare.

Mumwe musi nditori pamba at around lunch hour ndakanzwa hooter kugate. Ndakabereka Neymar since aive aane hope kwave kubuda kunotarisa kuti kwaive nani kugate.Ndakadongorera ndikaona pakamira a



white car yandisina kuziva zita rayo ndokubva ndavhura kagate kadiki kwakubuda. Driver wemo aiva atoburuka but aive akatofuratira gate achiratidza kuti aitaura paphone.Ndakavarairwa ndakamutarisa kwakuzongoona door rekumashure ravhurwa muchibva mabuda kamukomana kaive kakapfeka school uniform kachiratidza kuti kaitobvawo kuchikoro. Kakamhanyira murume uye kwakunomudhonza-dhonza ruoko kachiti "Dad there he is!" ,daddy vacho vaitaurwa vachibva vamboisa phone paside then whispered something to the boy which made him relax.

Havana havo kuzonyanya kutaurisa paphone pacho vakazoibvisa kunzeve ndokucheuka kwandiri smiling. His face was not new but kuti ndizive kwandaiva ndakavaona ndakatadza.

"Hey" he shouted vachiuya kwandiri ndikati



"Makadii?" "Ndiri bhoo,parisei panapa?" "Pari bhoo" "Makasiya kurisei kumusha?" He asked vatove padhuze neni ndikamboti zii ndokuzoti "kwaive bhoo." "Mandiziva here maiguru?" vakabvunza still smiling ndikati "Umm umm" ndichidzungudza musoro. "Hamusi Zvamaida here imimi?" "Zvamada!" I corrected him vachibva vapetanisa



maoko ndokubhendesa tsiye vachiti "Vana ani zviye? Isusu?"

I giggled ndikati "Aiwa!" ,zvikanzi "Imi ka, hanzi mudii nezita renyu?"

I shrugged my shoulders zvikanzi "Inini I will call you Mada! Riri sei?"

I gave him a half shrug then said "Chero."

He looked at his boy ndokuzoti "Ju iti hesi mama" ,kakomana kaye kwakuti "Hesi mama" ,ndikati "Ndiri bhoo."

"Imi mupfana wangu akatizirwa nemupfana wenyu, inini ndinonzi Sidney or baba Julian,



ndini mukoma waMalcom."

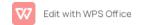
Pavakadaro ndipo pandakabva ndazovaziva ndikati "Makadii babamukuru" ,zvikanzi "bhoo zvangu, ari sei mupfana uyo?"

"Ndakatarisisa Neymar wacho kwavari ndichiti "Ari bhoo uyu" zvikanzi "Hesi khule! Ko haachanetse?"

"Kana anotamba zvake uyu!"

Vakatanga kumuridzira zvigunwe uku kamwana kavo kachijambira-jambira kuda kusekesa Neymar wacho aiva kumusana.

Vakapedza zvekuseka nemwana vachibva vazoti "Mukoma ava ndivo vanondinetsa nekuda kuona Ney, pese pandinonovatora mafridays



ndinotonzi daddy handei tinoona mwana. Haaa the dude really loves babies ipapa dzinenge dzichitoda kutokabereka kumusana."

Ndakaseka ndichiedza kutarisa munhu aitaurwa wacho uyo aisatombonzwe anything zvake ari busy naNeymar kumusana.

Baba vacho vakambovarairwawo vachivatarisa ndokuzoenderera voti "Ndamboda kuramba ndichibva ndatoita zvekupinwa chaizvo saka maona tauya kudai."

I smiled ndikati "Matogona" ,zvikanzi "Hatichagare ,tichazonyatsouya topinda.Mumhorese gogo nasekuru."

Ndakagutsurira musoro vachibva vatombofamba kuenda kumota



ndokuzongomira vasati vasvika padoor.Hameno zvavaive vonetserwa nemwana wavo.

Vakacheuka kwandiri vachibva vambotura mafemo ndokuzoti "Eish maiguru,mwana wenyu ari kunetsa hanzi hatina kutora Nene pic."

Ndakangoburutsa Neymar wacho kumusana ndikati "Ju huya umutore mutorwe pic racho." Baba vake kwakuti "Chitongomirai ipapo nevana venyu maiguru ndingokutorai mese cause zvingatonetse."

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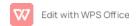
Chapter 16

Aisha

Ndakangoita svondo rimwe chete ndiri pamba ndokubva ndazoenda kwaRusape kwaive kuina mai vangu. Ndaive ndatononokerwa nekunovaona,chisuwo chacho chaive chanyanya.

Moyo wangu waisatogadzikana ndiri kure ndichiziva kuti mai vangu vari kuchengetwa nemuroora.Ndizvo zvimwe zvezvinhu zvakaita kuti ndivavarire kupedza kuvaka ziimba rangu rihombe ndivachengete.

Vakafara chaizvo nekundiona amai vangu tikazoda kukonana pandaive ndovati ndiende navo kumba kwangu.Vakatanga kuramba vachiti vaisada zvekugarisana nemukuwasha



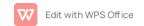
wavo ndikatoita kusimba kuti ndivatore.Pamusha apa paive pavo zveshuwa but because of her condition vanhu vaipedzisira vasvotekana nekuvachengeta.

Havana havo kuzonyanya kuramba, vakazobvuma patova paye tikatotenderana kuti taizoenda tese kuHarare.

Musi wekudzoka KuHarare takaita zvekuhigher mota kuti izotisvitsa kumba chaiko.Hanzvadzi yangu yakakomekedza kuti kana paine chinenge chanetsa ndizofona.Ndakagutsurira musoro ndikati "Iri bhoo tsano ,muzoita muchiwandirawo kumba kwangu."

"Ndinouya vatete."

Ndakatarisa kwaive nemuroora wangu



ndikangoti "Mai Kiri tobatana."

"Iri bhoo tete " vakapindurawo waving her hand.

Ndakapinda mumota ndikagadzirisa chiblanket chaiva chakapfugidzwa mama mumakumbo.Ivo havana kutozviterera vaitove busy kutarisa muroora wavo nemwana wavo.

Mota yakazomutswa ikatanga kufamba yakananga Harare.

Takafamba zvakanaka ndichifarawo kuti ndaive ndakuzonowana nguva kumba kwangu ndiina mai vangu. Taitaura nyaya dzakangojairika nzira yese ndichiudzwa magariro avaiita nemuroora wavo nemwana wavo.Tave kuda kutosvika kumba kwangu ndakanzwa ndave kunzi "Ari sei Tawanda?" ,ndikati "Ari right zvake uyu mama.Ariko kungoti basa raive rakamuwandira."

Vaive vakambomubvunza zvekare zuva



randakasvika I guess apa nekuchembera vaive vatokanganwa zvavo kwakudzokorodza.

Vakagutsurira musoro ndokuzototi pave paye "Mutori right?" ,ndikatanga ndavatarisisa ndichizama kufunga zvavaireva zvacho ndokuzoti "Ehee naTawanda ka, tiri right."

Sezvineiwo munhu wavaibvunza wacho akabva angofona ndikatanga ndasekerera ndokuzevezera kuti "Abva afona", kwakuzodaira.

Mama vakatura mafemo vachitarisa miti yaiita kunge irikufamba ndichibva ndatodairawo call yangu ndichiti "Hey babe" ,zvikanzi "Hesi kani? Wave kusvika?"

"Yaa takutosvika."

"I miss you" he said with a naughty tone



ndikatanga ndambogegedzera ndokuzoti "Me too."

Akambonyarara mbijana ndokuzoti "Saka I will see you wasvika ndiri kutoona kuti uri kunyara ipapa."

"Ndiri mumota ka"

"I know babe, see you soon then."

Ndakasekerera ndichibvisa phone iya kunzeve ndikati kuna mama "Ndiye anga afona" ,zvikanzi "Hoo hanzi chii?"

"Hanzi mave kusvika here?"

Vakangobhendesa muromo mbijana then

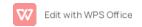
remained silent. Takatombogara kwekanguva vakadaro ndikazoshamisika vave kuti "Hanzi namai Latoya murume wako aiita zvinogara zvakadaro kwawakamusiya achilodger kuya."

"Akandiudza mai Latoya" ndakadaro ndisingabvise maziso angu paphone yangu zvikanzi "Ukagoti chii?"

I chuckled ndichivatarisa ndikati "hapana, what was i to say nhaai mama? Tawanda ndiye ega murume atanga ahura? Every man does that!"

"Does that kudii nhaaiwe Aisha?"

"Mama ,munondiziva imimi! Health yangu ndoyandoisa pamberi first, munoziva imimi kuti nditori nebp ipo pano.At 29 ndave kutonwa



mapiritsi ebp.Handidi kufa ndichifunga kuti Tawanda ari kuita nezvei ini!"

"Iko kunyarara uchinyepera sekunge zvisiri kukurwadza ndizvo zvinokurwarisa Aisha."

"Mai Latoya agara asingatongowirirane nemurume wangu."

"Saka unoti ainyepa?"

Ndakaita zvekurasa-rasa maoko mudenga ndichiti "Alright fine, munoda ndidii ? Ndomuramba here Tawanda wacho?"

She took a sharp breath then replied coldly vachiti "lii hapana mwanangu, kungotaurawo."

Ndakatarisa kwataienda ndokuisa maoko angu pamakumbo tikatosvika kumba tanyararidzana .

Paive pasisina kana nyaya dzaitaurika ,ndaingonzwa sekunge pavanhu vese paive pasina kana one aitondinzwisisa.

Zvekutsvagana nenyaya dzaiitwa naTawanda ndaisatombozvida nekuti ndaitoziva kuti zvaizondirwadza worse. I loved him so much zvekuti ndaisatoda kuti tingonetsane nenyaya dzevanhu vanenge vachipengereka zvavo vari kunze. Kungovapo, kundiisa mumba nekundida kwake ikoko was enough kwandiri.

Besides, kunetsana kwacho kwaisatosolver anything, or kuzvichinja but rather kwaingokonzeresa kuzvikwidza namabp andaive ndava nayo aya.

Chaingondifadza ndechekuti aiziva hake kuti



aive nemukadzi uyo waaiedza nepese paanogona napo kumufadza.

Takasvika kumba Tawanda akabuda panze ndokuuya kuzovhurira mama door.He smiled achiti "Titambire" ivo vakatiwo "Tambirai musoro" vachitonzwika kuti she was faking the excitement.

He winked at me nepamusoro pemota sezvo ndaive ndabudawo nekuside kwangu ndikazoti "Ndeipi",akati "Bhoo."

Ndakanovhura boot ndikabuditsa wheelchair yamama Tawanda achibva atosuduruka kuti ndivabatsire kugara. Vaiti ukavabata ruoko vobva vasimuka zvavo vega. Ndizvo zvavakabva vatoita ipapa ,vakasimuka ndokubva vatogara zvavo pachair yavo ndikazovapusha tave kupinda mukati. Tawanda ndiye akazoteverawo nemabags avo paakapedzerana nadriver aive

auya nesu.

Akasvika ndatogadzika mama pasofa ndikavasiya vave kumhoresana ini ndichiendesa mabags kuroom yataive tati yavo yacho.

Taive tatoiisa mattress yavaizorarira nemagumbeze zvese. Ndakabva ikoko ndikaenda kubedroom kwangu ndokuita freshen up kwave kuzoenda kunobika.Ndakapakura tese tikanodyira kwaive namama kulounge tichingotaura nyaya dzingori simple.

After food ,Tawanda akabva aenda kubedroom ndikasara ndave kusuka nekuisa zvinhu panzvimbo ,kwave kuzopushana namama ndichivaendesa kuroom kwavo.I gave her mapills avo ,ndikavasiya vatove mumagumbeze.

Ndakaenda kubedroom ndikasvika Tawanda akazvambarara akatarisa ceiling.One gumbo raive rakakwidzwa rimwe rakaita kakurariswa.

Kupinda kwangu haana kutokunzwa akatozovhunduka ndamira mberi kwake ndokuzosekerera.

Akabva atoita zvekugara ndokuti "Hey" ndikatiwo "Ndiri bhoo, waita sei?"

He looked at himself ndokuti "Pai?" with a frown on his face ndikati "You dont look okay.Chii?"

He moved achiita zvekugwesha pabed ndokuuya kuedge ndikasweberawo padhuze naye.

He smiled ndokuti "Ndakuudzai kuti ndanga ndakusuwa."

Ndisati ndatopindura akakasika kundibata



muwaist ndokundiisa padhuze chaipo.He rested his head on my tummy ndokumboti zii achiita sepane chiri kutererwa .Papera kanguva ndipo paakazoti "Sisi ava varisei?" ,ndikabata musoro wake kwakumutarisisa kwandiri ndichiti "Sisi vari bhoo."

He pulled me closer again ndikazongoona ndava pamakumbo pake pandisina kuzonyanya kugara munhu ave kundipidigudza pamubhedha.

He started kissing me zvenzara chaizvo ndokumbozorora ava kuzvibvisa hembe dzake.He came back pandiri whispering kuti "I want a daughter" ndikati "Neniwo" kwakubva tatanga kuita zvaiita kuti tiite daughter zvacho.

He took his time ari pamusoro pangu and I did enjoy it zvekuti ndakazorara ndafefeterwa.

I spent dzimwe two weeks at home kwakuzofonerwa kucompany kwandaiva



ndakamboshanda ndichinzi ndave kufanira kuchitanga basa.I told Tawanda about it achibva atoti "Saka tava kufanira kuita zvaNurse what what zviye ka?"

"Ehee, rega ndimbonzwa mai Latoya airatidza ruzivo nazvo."

Pandakafungidza mai Latoya akabva atoita plan ,tikawana musikana wechidiki ainzi Nanette.Airatidza kuti aive akatongwarira basa rake chaizvo.

Ndakatozotanga basa rangu iye atouya pamba ,ava kusara namama.

Zvinhu zvakatanga kungoendeka zvakanakanaka ndikatosvika pazokutengawo mota yangu iyo yandakabatsirwa kusarudza naTawanda. Nanette wandaitemba uya akangoita two months chete kwave kuita zvekutiza basa. Ndakangosvika pamba ndichibva kubasa mumwe musi kwakuona pasisina munhu.

Mama vaive vega muroom mavo vachiratidza kuti pfungwa hadzina kugadzikana.

Ndakavati "Mama ,ko Nanette aripi?" vachibva vati "lii angobuda netunhu twake, ndaiva ndabatwa nemudumbu ndikazvimessa akati iye haachazvigone."

"Yuwii ko asi manga manonokerwa?"

"Aiva ari paphone ndichimuti andipushe, Aisha ndizvo zvandaisada izvozvo zvekukunetsa.Ndidzosere kwangu mwanangu." "Kunonetsa mai Kiri?" ,I asked zvikanzi "Ndiri pamba pangu ndinoona zvekuita."

"Saka mazodii?" I asked after taking a long breathe zvikanzi "Ndakambaira ndikazvigeza."

Ndakazunza musoro ndikadhonza chair kwave kugara. Ndakaedza kufonera Nanette but she was unavailable kwakuzoudzwa namama kuti aive asiya tsamba iyo yaaive angodura kuti aive azvitadza zvekuchengeta mai vangu.

Ndakapererwa nazvo ndikashaya kuti ndoita zvekudii ndikatozoswera ndiri pamba the next day.

Mai Latoya ndivo vandakazotokumbira kuti vambosara namama ini ndichienda kubasa. Zvaisaita kuti ndivadzosere kwaRusape since kuriko kwavaive vanyanya kuchengetwa.Zvaingoda kuti vana tigamhane-



gamhane pane kuramba ticharemedza munhu mumwe.

Week iroro rakapera tichitsvaga mumwe musikana webasa .Ndaive ndakutongotsvaga chero musikana zvisiri kuti nurse aid or what. Taishandisa whatApp pakutsvaga pacho since iriyo yaikasika kufambisa information.

Kwakatozodoka ndave kusenderwa mamessages negurumwandira revanhu vaida basa.Ndakangorega kumavhura mamessages acho ndichiti ndizozviona zuva raitevera racho since ndaive ndakatozvinetera zvangu.

Ndakarara zvekufa chaizvo ndikazoita zvekutarisa vanhu vaida mabasa one by one atova makuseni.

Vese vairatidza kuti vanonyatsoda basa but ndakangokwanisa kupicker mukadzi one aizviti aive ane kamwana kamwe chete. Akandiudza kuti aive achangobva mukufirwa nemurume wake ndichibva ndatomunzwirawo tsitsi since basa iroro airida kuti azokwanisa kuchengetawo kamwana kake

Tawanda ndakazomuudza nezvemunhu uyu ndichiti "Babe ndawana musikana" munhu wacho kwakuti "hoo, wadii wavaita mainterview?", ndikati "Iii zvinotora time. Iyeye ndotomutora, she seems nice plus futi mukadzi ka vasikana ndivo vanonetsa."

"Let's hope anogara pabasa pacho."

"Yaa, saka rega ndirambe ndichitaura naye tikawirirana otanga zvake basa kuswera mangwana." He ignored zvese izvozvo kwakuuya pandaive ndakamira akatanga kundisekenyedza ndikatangawo kuseka and we ended up tave kutokissana takamira paye.Ndaitonakidzwa zvangu nezvaaive achindiita pandakazoona munhu ava kunditendeudza kuti ndimufuratire.Ndakamboterera ndichida kunzwa kuti aida kumboitei ndokuzojamuka pandakaona oedza kundikotamisa.

I heard him chucking achibva ati "What?" ,ndikati "I am sorry Tawanda, I can't do zvauri kuda kundiita izvozvo!"

"Pabed everyday here Aisha? Same order kubva titange kuzivana?"

"Saka uri kuda ndidii? Kundiita imbwa manje?"

"Imbwa kuita sei?"

"Handisi hure inini Tawanda ,ndirini ndokuvara womb yangu ndoti ndaita sei?Zvinorwadza mhoti!"

Akanditarisisa ndokubva akwenya chirebvu chake chaisatombove nendebvu kwakufinyama muromo. I thought he would say something but akabva angoramba akanyarara.

Ndakamusiya akadaro ndichibva ndatongonanga mumagumbeze zvangu.

Akaramba akangomira ipapo achingotura mafemo kasingapere ndikazomunzwa ave kukweva makumbo ake achienda kunogeza kubathroom.

End of Chapter

Chapter 17

Pauline

Moyo wangu wakaramba uchingorwadza kubva nekusiiwa naTawanda.

Manheru ega ega ndaitoti nditange ndambochema ndotozorara.

Mazuva ekutanga zvaindinetsa kutambira ,ndakambofunga kuti zvimwe aizodzoka onditi sorry like the last time though ndainge hangu



ndaitoziva kuti sorry yake handaizoitambira.Haana kuzosenda imwe message uye ndichibva ndatodeletawo number dzake.

Mumwe musi ndakatevera gogo mukitchen mavaive vari ivo vakatoshamisika nazvo since ndaive ndakuwanzogara ndiri ndega.

"Pau" vakadaro ndichipinda ndikanogara pabench ndichiti "Maswera ?", zvikanzi "Ndiri right ini."

Ndakambonyarara mbijana ndokuzogadzirisa pahuro ndikati "Gogo" zvikanzi "Hee."

"Ndokumbirawo mutaure namukoma Sidney muvati ndave kuda kuenda kuPoly kuye kwavakambotaura."



Vakamboramba vakati zii gogo ndikatoona kuti vaive vazvikanganwa zvekuPoly sezvo zvaive zvakataurwa kare.

Sidney aive akambonditi ndiende kuPoly kunoitawo kacourse kangu iniwo semunhu airira panguva yacho ndikatozviramb.

Panguva iyoyo ndaitoona kunge kwaive kunetswa.Akaedza kundimanikidza but because ndaive nezvanguwo zvandaimhanyidzana nazvo ndakatsika-tsika kusvika asiyana neni.

Ndaitoziva kuti nemari yake iyoyo aizotanga kuda kutondiita mwana wake.Asi pandakasiiwa naTawanda apa ndaive ndakutoona kuti kuzviitira tunhu twangu ndokwaive kutogona.

Ndakatarisa gogo avo vandaitotarisira kuti vachataura zvakawanda but havana zvavo.Vakangoti "Ndichamuudza." Ndichibva ndangogutsurira musoro.



Ndakapakurirwa rice ravaive vabika iro randakangodya shoma kwave kutosiya.

Vaive variisa dovi and iro raibva raita kuti nditotambudzika kuti rimedzeke.

"Hausi kudya Pauline." Gogo vakadaro ndakuda kutosimuka sezvo moyo wangu waive wakumira ndikati "Ndiri right, ndadya wani."

"Mhoti watodzikira ipapa apa!"

"Ndichazopicker."

"Kupicker usingadye?"

"Chikafu hachisimbise ichi mbuya Anopaishe."



"Chimbozama woona kuti hausimbe here nacho! Inini hangu hazvisi kutondiitira, moyo wangu wave kutohakirawo marwadzo acho."

"Musazvitevedze gogo, ndatove bhoo ini."

Vakatura mafemo ndokuzoti "Nhasi unoda kudyei?"

Ndakamboti zii ndichitarisa mudenga ndichiedza kufunga zvandaida kudya chaizvo ndikashaya.Nekuona kutambudzika kwaiitawo mumwe wangu ndakazongoti "Ndoda sadza nemukaka." Zvikanzi "Rega tigoenda pamagirosa naVanessa uyu ndinotenga."

"Musatenga lacto, tengai wakanzi Mars so."

"Fhoo!"

Ndizvo zvavakabva vaita ,vakanoutenga mukaka iniwo nekuona vachiratidza kutambudzika ndakabva ndaridyawo sadza racho.Vakafara gogo ndikaudzwa kunzi "Ukadai kwemazuva matatu ka,aiwa muviri wako unodzoka.Uyo Tawanda wako chitomupfuudza mumusoro mako imomo.Hazvina kana basa unozongowana mumwe, uchiri mudikisa mwanangu."

"Gogo ka!" Ndakakwanisa kungovadaro chete zvikanzi "Chaizvo!"

"Mumwe handisati ndave kutomuda hangu, ndichiri kurwadziwa."

"Unopora, idya chete ufashukire."

"Ndave kudya gogo."

Vakasekerera ndokuzoti "Aaa ndaisira Sidney message, handiti wakati tukaita two kudai inenge yavhurwa?"

"Kana avhura twunoita ka blue so."

"Aaa dhuze haasati atovhura, nhasi ifriday ka anenge ari kumafaro zvake Siddy."

"Obvious ka." Ndakadaro ndava kunanaga kuroom kwangu kunorara.

Akazotopindura nekufona ave mangwana



Sidney wacho ndikaita kudaidzwa nagogo kuti ndinozvinzwira.

Ndakasvika kwakunopfugama mberi kwavo vachibva vatondizevezera vachiti "Bhudhi vako!" ndokudaira call iye.

"Eeeh Makombe!" Vakatanga nekudaro Sidney kwakuti "Ndeipi mbuya Nonoza?"

"Ndiripo zvangu ini, kurisei ikoko?"

Laughing,"Haa mondibvunza kuno kuti ndimi mafona here? Ndotobvunza imimi vahosi kuti murisei?"

"Ndinofara zvangu ,ari sei Mancube?"

Haana kupindura,instead akabva adaidzira achiti "babes ,huya umhorese muchembere."

Gogo vakazunza mapendekete ndokundizevezera vachiti "Vatori vese nhai!" ndikangorovanidzawo maoko.

Akauyawo paphone Mancube wacho akamhoresana nagogo avo vaive vongofinyama finyama asi vachiyepera kumusekerera.

Sidney akazodzoka paline akatanga kumbotaura nezvaJulian uyo waiti ainge ainaye kumba kwake for weekend.

Pave paye ndipo paakazoti "Hanziiko naPauline nhaai veduwee? Are sure she is alright?"

"Hanzi ave kuda kuenda kuchikoro kuya kwawakambotaura mwana wamai vako." "Ndakataura rini nhaai gogo?Ava makore mangani kubva pandakazvitaura?"

"Uasasadaro Siddy wee."

"Hapana zvandati ndaita hangu, gogo ndine mwana one inini! Paye ndakamutsiura Pauline wenyu iyeye akatanga kutonditaura kuvanhu inini achiti ndofanira kumusiya nekuti haasi mwana wangu.So apa ndave kungotora chinzvimbo chaakandipa gogo,ndine mwana one ende ndiye wandichabhadharira fees not Pauline."

Gogo vakaramba vakashama muromo wavo iniwo ndikatanga kutochema. Sidney wacho went on achiti "Ngaaende anoudza baba vake ,padhuze chaizvo paMutawatawa apo, vanogona kumunzwisisa vakatotengesa mombe

kuti vamufundise.Inini hangu handichadi kuita chinhu chandinozoregreta later kuti ndakazviitirei."

Ndakaita zvekusimukapo ndikaenda kunozvichemera ndega.Ndakazoona gogo vatevera vakasvika nekunditi "Kutsamwa uko zvinopera.Ndichataura naye feya feya apa anenge achiita manyemwe ka nemukadzi wake anzi aripo uyu.Zvikanetsa ndoudza sekuru venyu vataure naye."

Ndakagutsurira musoro vakachinja nyaya yacho voti "Hanzi Malcom ava Harare.Hanzi akawanirwa basa."

"Ko mukadzi wake?"

"Hanzi akambosara."

Sekutaura kwakaita gogo vakabva vataura nasekuru vacho kuti vagozotaura naSidney .Vakataura kwenguva refu vakazotondidaidza vapedza kutaura navo.Ndakaenda pavari ndakashamisika vave kunditi "Sekuru vako vanga vachiti uri serious here?" ,ndikati "Eheee ndiri serious?"

"Hanzi kana uri serious vanokwanisa kukuitisa vari ivo."

I almost jumped nemufaro ndichiita kushama muromo.Ndakakasika kuzogutsurira musoro ndikati"Ndiri serious ini gogo", zvikanzi "Ndichavaudza kuti hanzi uri serious." Ndaive ndakungonamata kuti zvichingoita zvekuchikoro zvacho. Ndaive ndotozviona ndapedza course yacho ndave kutoshandawo muHarare. Zvekufunga varume or kuti ndiani aizondiroora ndaive ndisisade kutozvinzwa.

Sekuru promised kuti vaizouya kumusha votaura neni face to face ndikatosimbiswa nagogo kuti zvese zvaizofamba mushe.

Days passed by ndichakangomirira kuzonzwa from sekuru.

Kudya ndaive ndakudya asi muviri wangu waive usati wadzokedzana sezvawaive wakaita.Karuoko kaive kati tsinga tara-tara hurowo yabuda tumabhonzo.

Kufamba ndaive ndakusatofamba nepamusana



pevanhu vaingobvunza nezvekuperezeka kwangu. Zvakadzoka zvotondityisawo neniwo kuti chainge chave chii. Nekufungisisa ikoko ndakatanga kurwara ndichiita kunge ndava kuda kubatwa nemalaria gogo kwave kunditi ndiende kuchipatara. Ndakapihwa mari ndikaenda ndega ndokusvikotariswa zvese ndikazoshamisika ndava kunzi nditange ndaita pregnancy test.

Ndakatoiitwa ndakasununguka ndikazopusa ndave kunzi ndaive nenhumbu.

Ndakachema muchipatara imomo manurse akapinda busy yekudaidzana kuti vaone mashura ekuzhambirwa aya.

Ndakaenda kumba ndikasvika gogo vakagara zvavo naVanessa namai Zvamada avo vandaive ndasiya vachinzi vari kuuya kuzowacha.

I greeted them mai Zvama kwakuti "Hanzi chii



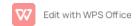
nhaai Pau?"

Ndakaita zvekutsikitsira pasi ndikati "Muviri wacho hausi kuita mushe" zvikanzi "Zvanzi chii kuchipatara?"

"Warapwa?" Gogo vakabvunzawo ndikati "Ehee ,vanditi ndapihwa maparacet,Hanzi ndofanira kunwa mvura yakawanda.Hapana hapo zviri serious."

"Zvikaramba zvakadai ndoenda newe kwaMurehwa nekuti ava veapa vanongogona izvozvo zvekupa maparacet." Gogo vakadaro ndikangogutsurira musoro.

"Unopora Pau." Mai Zvama vakadaro vachiratidza kuti vasiririswa ndikamanikidza kusekerera.



"Chienda unozorora."

Ndizvo zvandakazoita zvekupinda mumba ndichiti ndinozorora though ndisina hangu kuzozorora kwacho.

Nyama yaida asi pfungwa dzairamba kuzorora kwacho Ndaingunobhidhirika ndega ndega pamubhedha ipapo ndichizama kufunga kuti ndaizoitei nemwana waTawanda.Ndakamboda kumufonera kwakuzosiya ndarangarira rough yaaive akanditamba.

Ndakafungisisa ndikaona kuti kungobvisa nhumbu yacho ingoriyo solution.Nemavengero andaive ndaita Tawanda handaikwanisa kurarama nemwana wake. Ndakatora mapills andaimbonwa efamily planning ndikanwa kapacket kese asi hapana chakashanda.



Ndakazama zvimwe zvataingonzwa kuti zvaikwanisa kubvisa mimba zvese zvikashaya basa.

Ndakafunga nezvekuchikoro kwandaida kuendeswa moyo ukarwadza kuziva kuti handaizokuenda ndiine kanhumbu.

Ndakambofunga kuendera tete vaZvamada for help ndikangozeza kuzofamba ndichinyeiwa.Mari yacho yekuzovabhadhara ndaive ndisina and netype yemunhu wacho ndakabva ndatya kuzotogadzirwa ndazotadza kubhadhara.

Ndakatanga zvekare game yekusarara ndichifunga kuti hupenyu hwangu hwaizovei. Ndaizvichemera ndozvinyaradza ndiri ndega dzimwe nguva ndozotorara kwave kuyedza.

Ndaive ndaita zvinonyadzisa and I couldn't face



my family nekamwe kanhumbu.Apa worse ndaive ndakambotsiurwa kunzi usadai unozodai ini kwakuisa zvitanda munzeve.

Ndakafunga zvangu zvekungotiza pamba nhumbu isati yatobatwa ndikatanga kutotsvaga chero basa zvaro.

Mumwe musi ndakavhura WhatsApp yangu ndichida kutopindura message yandaive ndasenderwa naMaya kwakupedzisira ndazovhura kamwe kugroup kaiita zvemanovels

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I scrolled down mamwe mamessages ndichitsvaga book randaive ndakufarira kuverenga ndikaona pasina chiripo kwave kuridza tsamwa.

Pakarepo pakabva papinda message yaive yakatonyorwa pamusoro kuti _forwarded many



times_ iyo yaive yemunhu aitsvaga munhu webasa zviri urgent.

Ndakaenda kuinbox yemunhu uya ndikatanga nekuti "Makadii, ndaona message yenyu yekutsvaga munhu webasa.I am interested."

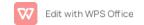
Akambotora time asina kupindura ndokuzopindura pave paye achiti "Tiripo makadiiwo, makamboshanda nevarwere here?"

"Handisati, but ndinozama, please."

"Tell me about yourself."

"Ndinonzi mai Vee, I am 23 years old."

"Mune murume?"



"Murume wangu akafa, ndine kamwana kane 3 years ndosaka ndiri kudawo basa kuti ndikwanise kuchengetawo mwana wangu.Please maam basa ndiri kuritsvaga nemaziso matsvuku."

End of Chapter

Chapter 18

Zvamada

Baba vaNeymar vakazouyawo kumba kuzoonawo mwana wavo. Just like the rest of



the family, he was very nice. Vakati vachindiona kwakutotanga nekutonditi "Muzaya" sekunge taive taane nguva tazivana. Vairatidza kuti munhu anofara zvake uye vaisapererwa nenyaya.

Mukadzi wavo akazouyawo ratove rimwe week iri Saturday. Ndakaintroduswa kwavari ndikasekerera ndichiti "Tafara nekuzivai."

"Aiwa nesuwo." vakadaro smiling ndokuturner kuna vamwene vavo vakati "Handiti hanzi mukoma wemukadzi waMalcom?"

Vamwene vacho vakadairawo vachiti "Ehee muzukuru wenyu uyu."

"Aaa saka zyakanaka."

Mai Mona ndivo vaibika ini rangu raive rekungoita zvemwana chete. Sezuva irori ,vakabatsirana kubika nemuroora wavo ini ndichitamba zvangu naNeymar.

Takadya ndokuzonorara then zuva rakatevera takafumira kuenda kuchurch uko kwaisave kure zvako.

Church yacho yaive live and vibrant zvekuti yaitopera uchiri kunzwa kuda kungove imomo.

Patakapedza takanowana kumba kuine vaenzi.

Kwaive kuina baba Neymar, his twin brother baba Ava nemhuri yavo,then baba Julian nemusikana wavo uye wavaive vakambouya naye kumusha.

Ndapedza kumhoresa vese baba Julian vakabva vanditi "Muri sei maiguru" pavo vega manje



ndikati "Ndiri bhoo zvangu."

He went on vachiti "babamunini venyu vave kuno ka!"

Ndakaita zvekuvhundukira ndikati "Hoo Malcom?" zvikanzi "Ehee, ati ari kuuya kunoku hameno chii chiri kumunonotsa kudai."

Maoko angu akatanga kudikitira mukati mawo nekungonzwa zvaMalcom.Ndakamboti garei mbijana pane vamwe ndokuzobvapo papera kanguva.I went kukitchen tikatanga kubatsirana namai Ava pamwe namai Neymar kugadzira chikafu.

We dished out to everyone ,tikazosiya musikana wababa Julian ave kuita zvekusuka.Ndakapinda mukitchen ndichida kunwa mvura ndokusvika



musikana wababa Julian achiti kuna mai Ava "Ndipo patori neweakness yake ko munhu wangu ndave kumuziva ka!"

Mai Ava vaiudzwa vacho vakangoseka iye kwakuenderera achiti "Maziso anongomhanya pahasha ipapo mai Ava, aiwa munhu ngaapfeke kana buster zvaro, munhu wobva waita kunge hameno hameno kudaro! Wotadza kuisawo kana kaspagetti top zvako mukati? Aiwa vasikana!"

Mai Ava havana kuzopindura ,instead vakabva vandisekerera sezvo vari ivo vaive vakatarisa kudoor kwandaive ndastika, zvakabva zvaita kuti mumwe wavo acheuke.

Ndakachera mvura yangu ndokubuda ndichienda kuroom kwangu ndatobatanidza kuti munhu aitaurwa apa wacho ndini.Ndakazvitarisa ndikaona pasina chainyadzisa pane top yandaive ndakapfeka. Mai vangu vaive vakandirambidza zvekupfeka mabraa or mabuster izvi vachiti zvinozokanganisa mukaka wangu.Nekuzeza kuzovhiringika ,handinawo kuzombobvira ndaita basa nekupfeka chinhu mukati .

Ndakazvigarira kuroom kwangu ndikatozoita kuvingwa namai Neymar avo vakangopinda vachiti "Aaa muri muno?" ndikati "Ehee" zvikanzi "Iii isu tave kuda kubuda."

Vakamhanya pabag ravo vakamborongedza tunhu twavo ndokuzoti "Yaa muzukuru regai tiende, ndakungomhanyiswa ipapa I didn't want to go ndaida kuita kana chiweek."

Ndakaseka ndikati "Aiwa endai"zvikanzi "Ndichadzoka zvangu kunana next week uko, if you need anything usatye hako kuzondiudza."



I nodded zvikanzi "Zviye hauna phone ka?" ,ndikati "Handisati ndave nayo."

She smiled ndokuti "Usazotenge ,ndichakuunzira pandinouya."

Ndakazovabuditsa tichingotaura nyaya dzaNeymar wedu ndikanovasvitsa kunze uko kwainge kwave nevamwe.

Yaingove noise panze ipapo vanhu vachitaura nekuseka and I was happy kuti Malcom uye aive ambotaurwa ainge asina kuzouya.

Akazouya zvake patove pakati pesvondo nditori ndega.Ndakanodongorea kugate sezvo raionesa zviri kunze ndikamuona akamira zvake ndokubva ndaita zvekudaidzira ndiri mukati ndichiti "Hapana vanhu!"



Ndakamunzwa achitura mafemo ndokuzoti "Zvama ndauya kuzoona iwewe."

Ndakavhura gate ndikabuda panze ndokupetanisa maoko ndichiti"Kundiona kuti ndaita sei? Siyana neni wazvinzwa Malcom?"

"Ndokuda Zvamada, I never stopped loving you and ndotoziva kuti you also feel the same.let's try to make things right."

"Futseki wako!" Ndakaerekana ndadaro achibva ambotura mafemo ndokuzoti "I am sorry pane zvese zvakaitika, Muchanyara handimude ndoda iwewe! I am working on it Zvamada."

"Siyana neni Malcom! Make things right



chirudzii iwee wakatizirwa nemunin'ina wangu. Usandinyepera kuti unondida nekuti dai waindida usina kumbobvira waenda kuna Muchanyara!"

"Babe.." He tried to explain ndikati "Usanditi babe zvako.Unondidzingira mapotential suitors wanzwa?"

Akamedza mate akaoneka kudzika kwawo nepahuro apa ndokuedza kuda kuti "Zvama.." ndikamuti "Ndisiye, ende usafambe uchiti ndichiri kukuda nekuti inini handichakuda! Next time ukauya uchindiitira drama rako iroro ndinokuudzira sekuru vako."

"Ndakatovaudza kuti ndiwe wandinoda, he knows."

Ndakaridza tsamwa ndikamufuratira achibva ati "Zvamada" ndikaignowa kwakupinda mukati nekukiya gate.

"Zvamada." Akadaidzira futi ndichiri padhuze ndikaramba ndakanyarara ndikanzwa oti "I love you, and I am going to do whatever it takes to get you back."

Ndakamboita sekunge ndastika nemashoko ake ndokuzongofamba ndichaenda kumba.

Ndakasvika nekuzvigadzika pachair ndikaburutsa Neymar aive kumusana ndokumugadzika patable .Neymar wacho akatanga kusekerera ndikamutekenyedza ndichiti "Muzukuru wenyu anopenga!"

Ndakatombofarawo nekungoziva kuti Malcom aive achiri kurwadziwa neni and I promised myself kuti pain yake iyoyi ndaida kuzoiwedzera



kusvika pandaida chaipo.

Mai Neymar vakazodzoka tatove mune umwe mwedzi. Vakauya iri weekend vachibva vatoenda neni kutown uko kwandakabva ndanotengerwa phone. Ndaifunga kuti vachangotenga kari kambudzi but vakatotenga iri smart phone chaiyo, iyo yaive yakanaka.

Ndivo vakabva vanditengera Sim card kwakuriregister muzita ravo since ndaive ndisati ndave neID. Ndakavatenda kasingapere vakatoseka zvavo vachiti "Hazvina kana basa, iwewe ndiwe uri kutoita basa hombe ipapa, ndotoshaya kuti ndokuitirei unoziva! Dai usipo ndaiitei nhaai?"

"Haa musadaro, matoita zvakawanda ipapa ndandisina kana plan yekutenga phone yakadai."



"Haa its okay."

Vakandiperekedza mushop yehembe ndikatenga two madresses nemari yangu ,imwe yacho kwakutoirongera kuti ndaizotumira amai vangu kumusha.

Pakudzokera kumba ndakangokwidzwa combi ndokutodzokera ndega.

Sim rangu parakangoita active ndakabva ndatofonera amai vangu kumusha.

Phone yacho yakangorira mbijana ndokutodairwa nekukasika kuratidza kuti yaitove mumaoko.

"Mama!" I exclaimed zvikanzi "Hii ndiZvamada?"

"Ehee murisei?"

"Ndiri nani mwanangu uri seiwo iwee? Kurisei kubasa?" "Kuri bhoo uku, haa kurikunakidza.Ndakusuwai!" "Ndiri kuzviziva mwanangu, neni ndakusuwawo asi shanda. Wave nephone?" "Ehee." "Nemakoroto mwanangu." "Tesei mama! Ari asi Kayla?"

"Ari bhoo uyu ,tanga taenda kwambuya Ano kunowacha apa tave kumba.Ndiri kutokapa porridge, kari kuruta."

Ndakaseka ndikati "lii hamusi mavakasikira?"

"Ayewa regai kadye."

"Ndine mari yandiri kuda kukutumirai."

"Aaa unozotumira ka next month kana wambotengawo zvako isu tiri bhoo isu."

Ndakavarambira ndikati "Ndoda kutumira izvezvi mama ,kana ndatomboiwana kudai ngaishandiswe."

"Aaa horaiti,unogona kunoona mainini vako kuGlenlorne uko ,vakati vanogona kuzouya kuno saka ukanopa ivavo mari inosvika zvakanaka.Ungarasike?"

"Ndichiri kukuziva mama."

Ndizvo zvatakazongotenderana ndikagara ndatoudza mai Mona nezverwendo rwangu rwekuGlenlorne.Vakazvinzwisisa vakati vaizosara nemwana since vaisaenda kubasa paweekend.

Ndakafumira kugadzirira saturday morning zvekuti pakazokwana 9 ndaive ndapedza zvese.Ndakapfeka dress rangu rinyowani ndokunyatsozvinzwa kuti ndakachena. "Wakachena"mai Mona vakadarowo pandakabuda ndikati "Sure here?"

"Ehee wakafitwa fani! Are you sure kuti unosvika kwauri kuenda?"

"Ndinosvika."

Baba Mona vakapindawo mataive tatogara vachiti "Munoti musikana akasvika-svika kudai angarasike Harare?"

"Kumutyira ka, dai matomuperekedza muri imi,ndozvitya ini sekuru aNey."

"Aaa ndakaneta shamwari.Zvotoita panapa ka, Zvama ngaatongomirira Sidney ati ari kusvika



pano manje manje."

"Achibvepi?"

"Ari kuuya kuno, pane zvinhu zvaati ari kuda kundiunzira."

"Munoda aende naSiddy?" Mai Mona asked zvikanzi

"Ehee handiti ndokumaraini kwakewo?"

Mai vacho nodded baba vacho ndokunditarisa vachiti "Hanty wakati road yacho iGlenlorne drive?"

Ndakagutsurira musoro ndichiti "Ehee" kwakuwedzera ndichiti "But ndinosvika"



nekusada kunzi ndiende naSidney uyu zvikanzi "Aiwa mirirai Siddy mufambe nyore."

Ndaisada kufamba nababa Julian nekutozeza musikana wavo uyo aive akandiratidza kuti aisatondida pedyo nemunhu wake.Besides musikana wavo chete, ivo baba Julian vacho ndaitongovazezawo pamwe nekuvanyara.

Ndakashaya kuti ndoita sei ndikazongomirira kusvika kwavo ndisingade kudaro.

Sezvineiwo baba Julian vacho havana kutononoka kuuya.

Vakasvika vaina Julian chete ndikatonzwawo kamwe kakurerukirwa.

He greeted everyone ndokupedzisira nekunditi "Hesi kani maiguru vedu"ndikati "Mushe murisei?"



"Ndiri bhoo ,mafungepi kutiponda nesmart kudai?"vakabvunza vachiita kakukwiridzira tsiye.

Ndakatanga ndazvitarisa ndichida kuona kuchena kwacho kwairehwa ndokuzoti "kuGlenlorne",vachibva vangogutsurira musoro.

Baba Mona vakabva vapindirawo vachiti "Tatoti amirire iwewe unomusiyawo ikoko since nzira iri imwe."

Baba Julian vacho vakangonditarisa vachigutsurira musoro kwakuzoti "bhoo."

Vakangoti taurei nyaya dzavo mbijana vachibva vazooneka vachiti "Regai tifambe" vakanzi nasekuru vacho "Mwana ngaasiwe pagedhe uyu



ndapota zvangu!"

"Iri bhoo sekuru,regai tifambe."

"Wondiudza wasvika handiti ka Zvama?" mai Mona said ndikati "Okay gogo."

Ndaida kugara kuseat rekumashure baba Julian kwakunditi "Garai pa mother seat ipapa, ikoko kumashure ndekwe mukomana uyu asingatane kukotsira.Hamunyare kuda kunditiza?"

"Babamukuru ka!"

Mota yacho yakambondinetsa kutoti ndivhure door racho ndikazoita zvekutovhurirwa memuridzi wayo ndokupinda. Mota yakamutswa pachibva patotanga kuridzwa music .Music yacho yainakidza muridzi achiita kutedzedzera zvaiimbwa zvacho pamwe pacho otombosirira steering nekungonakidzwa chete.

I ended up laughing zvikanzi "Mada inini ndinonakidzwa zvangu, ndozvinakidza ndega."

"Haa ndiri kutozviona ipapa." Ndakadaro ndichiseka zvikanzi "Iwewe haudi kunakidzwa?"

"Ndoda" ndakapindura ndichiti nyaya yacho ingopera zvayo zvikanzi "Unoda kuzoendeswa kumafaro?"

I nodded zvikanzi "Une makore mangani cause kumwe kwatinenda kunodiwa vari pamusoro pe18 years." "Aaa ndiri kushandira 18."

Munhu wandaiudza wacho akabva atotanga zvake kuseka ndokuzoti "Haa vanhu vanoti kushandira makore akati vandoziva vanenge vari vana vadiki!"

"Aaa saka zvinonzi chii?"

"Zvonzi i am turning 18, kushandira kudii?"

Vaitaura zvine kakuda kudenha mukati ndichibva ndatonyepera kutsamwa zvikanzi "Haaa sorry baby wedu, aiwa chete ndozera racho,haa uri chana chaicho.But you look 22." "Hii serious? Saka ndine face yechikuru?"ndakabvunza ndavhurisa maziso vachibva vanditarisa ndokueka vachiti

"No hazvisizvo zvandiri kutaura.Face inooneka kuti uri chana but body ndiyo isiri yezera rako!"

"Babamukuru ka!" Ndakadaro ndave kusekawo zvikanzi "Serious! I guess ndichangokutorai mese naJu ndokuendesai paPomona food court apo mombonotamba pazvimatoys, mapedza ndozokutengerai maice-cream."

Ndakaseka ndikati "Aaa imi ka!" Zvikanzi "Serious ndichakuendesai zveshuwa vana vadiki havanetse kufadza."

Phone yavo yakabva yarira vari pakati pekuseka vakainhonga vachiratidza kusvotwa ndokuzodaira vachiti "Chris wadii?", vakamboti zii mbijana vachibva vazoti futi "Haa ndiri kuenda kumba ,I am tired man."

Taive tasvika pamwe paiita kunge pane mashops akawanda-wanda.Ndakakwanisa kuona kuti paive pakanyorwa kunzi Village walk.Ndaive ndakambodarika napo asi musi uyu ndipo pandakanyatsopaongorora.

Takatomboita sekunge tiri kuda kupadarikira ndikazonzwa baba Julian vave kundirova-rova pagumbo apa.

Ndakavhunduka ndikavatarisa vachibva vatosekerera ndokunditi "Do you mind?" giving me a sign yekuda kutoturner paVillage paye ndikangogutsurira musoro.

Vakadzokera pacall yavo, vakasvika pakuparker mota yavo vachiri kungotaura.

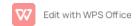
Ndaive ndakungotambisa phone yangu nhando ndichimirira kuti vapedze zvavaive vachiita.



Ndaive ndoyeverwa nevarungu vandaiona kunze ndikazovhurisa nzeve pandakanzwa baba Julian vachiti "Malcom ngaasiye zvekuda kundiyemera zvake izvozvo,kana rarwadza basa racho ngaarisiye zvake.Ndiye ane mukadzi kwete inini panapa, he has to work ende akasiya ikoko ngaasatembe kuti inini ndichamuchengeta.Shaa I also have a woman to pamper, I can't be doing that kumukadzi wemumwe munhu!"

Ndaida kunzwa zvakawanda but munhu wacho haana kuzonyanya kutaura ,akabva akasika kucutter ndokutura mafemo achipukuta kumeso.

Vakambonyarara vakangobata steering ndokuzovhunduka pandakagadzirisa pahuro



pangu.

He smiled vachinditarisa ndokuti "Pane madeal andiri kuda kumboit panapa, I hope you won't mind hako" ndikati "Haa its okay."

Vakatora imwe khaki envelope yaive padashboard ndokutovhura door vakabuda vachiti "Handigarise" ndikangogutsurira musoro vachibva vabuda.

Ndakasara ndikawana mukana wekumbomema mumota mandaive ndiri umo maive nekamwe kwcomfort kaingokomborera ndikzopedzisira ndave kuzvitora maselfies ndirimo. The car was just beautiful zvese mukati nekunze.

Ndakatozovhunduka ndanzwa kuvhurwa kwedoor ndikatambirwa nekamwe



kakunhuwirira kandakangofarira.I forced a smile pandakaona vari baba Julian vaive vadzoka .Mumaoko maive muine two maplastic bags ayo avakangogadzika paseat kwave kutocheukira mumwe wavainge vauya naye kwakumuti "Lex meet my wife"

Lex uye akangosekerera mbijana baba Julian ndokunditi "Babes meet my business partner, Lex."

Ndakagutsurira musoro ndichipa ruoko rwangu kuna Lex uye uyo akabva anditangira kuti "Ndafara kukuzivai mainini" ndikati "Neniwo."

Vakambowanza nyaya dzavo vachiseka vachibva vazoonekana zvavo pave paye baba Julian ndokuzopinda mumota. Vakatanga vambozvigadzika zvakanaka kwakuzonditi "Ndeipi" vachiseka zvavo ndikati "Ndiri bhoo."



"Food ndatengera imimi nemwana wenyu, so you can pass the other box kuna Mr vekurara ava."

"Maita basa babamukuru."

"Dont mention handiti its my duty here kutengera mukadzi?"

"lii maita basa."

"Its okay, so when are you coming back?"

"Mangwana."

He nodded vachimutsa mota tichibva tatonanga kuGlenlorne.

Vakazobvunza pandaida kuenda pacho tatove muna Glenlorne drive ndikavaudza number yepamba pacho vachibva vanyatsonondisvitsa pagate chaipo.

"Maita basa babamukuru." Ndakadaro ndave kuda kutoburuka vachibva vamboramba vakanditarisa vachiita sepane chavari kuona mumaziso angu.I waved my hand kumeso kwavo ndichiti "Baba Julian" vachibva vatovhunduka ndokuti"hmm" ndikati "Ndakuenda babamukuru your mind is somewhere else."

"Somewhere kupi? Ndiri panapa ini"

"Saka mavarairwa nei?"

"Your eyes." He said smiling ndikati "Aita sei?" ndichiti zvimwe vaida kudenha zvikanzi "They are so beautiful."

Ndakatizisa maziso angu acho ndichiti "Babamukuru ka!" Zvikanzi "Ndonzi Sidney, ita kuti Sidney please."

Ndakangoshama ndichida kutaura but ndakabva ndashaya mashoko chaiyo,ndikazonzwa ndave kunzi "Munondichembedza handidi zvekunzi babamukuru ini,mondirambisa nemababe itai Sidney ndapota zvangu."

I giggled ndikati "I will try" zvikanzi



"Goodgirl!" Ndakangosekerera vachibva vatoenderera vachiti "Saka uri kudzokera rini kuCharlotte brook?"

"Mangwana."

Vakambostika vakanditarisa ini ndikaitawo zvivindi zvekuramba ndakavatarisa tikazovhunduka tanzwa Julian achishama n'ai. Tese takabva tamboseka tichimutarisa, kwakuzodzoka pakutarisana futi ndikati "lii veduwee ndakuenda."

"Ngatingoendei kumba kwangu ka ,wabvira kare uchindioneka but hausi kuda kutoenda.

"Ndisiyei!"

"Vanani?"

Giggling "Sidney"

"That's more like it!"

Vakadaro vachivhura door ravo nekubuda.

He came kuside kwangu vakandivhurira ,ndikatanga ndambocheukira Julian uyo aive achiri kuratidza hope ndikamuti "Bye" achibva angotedzerawo.

Ndakabuda ndakaita kumirirwa padoor ndikaita kunge ndichanyungudika nekunyara.

Ndakadzokorodza kuti "Bye" munhu wacho kwakuti "Ndipo number yako ndozouya ndokutora mangwana ,I stay mudhuze munomu.



Mangwana ndendisina zvekuita."

End of chapter

Last free chapter

Zvamada

Ndakasekerera ndikaita "Ehoi" yakaita kuti vasekewo vakanditarisa kwakuzovhundutswa naJulian uyo akabva avhura door rake achiti



"Daddy where is your phone?"

"My phone?" His dad replied turning to him zvikanzi "Yes your phone."

"Mirai ndokupai mudhara,just a minute."
Vakadaro vachidzosa maziso pandiri
ndokunditambidza phone iya ndikaiisa number
yangu.

Patakapedza zvemanumber ndakabva ndazooneka kekupedzisira ndikaenda kugate ndakangotariswa.Ndaive ndavarambidza kumira pagate chaipo nekuti paisave pamba pamainini chaipo.Ndaisada kuti vagozoite maproblems nevarungu vavo.

Ndakasvika pagate ndikanzwa baba Julian vave kuridza kamuridzo in a funny way ndikatendeuka ndichiseka.

He waved his hand ndikatevedzerawo vachibva vazopinda mumota mavo.

I called mainini avo vakabva vatouya kuzondivhurira gate vakaita kufara chaizvo nekundiona.

Takapinda mugate mota yababa Julian ikatozomutswa tatove mukati. Mainini handina kuda kuvaudza nezve munhu wandaive ndauya naye ndakangonyarara since ndaisada kuzofungirwa twakawanda-wanda.

Ndakazovanzwa vave kuti "Mota idzi dzanetsa munomu" ndikati "Mota dzipi?" zvikanzi "Iyaya marange rover seyandaona kunze uko! Asi ndiyo yawauya nayo?" "Ayehwa iiih!!" ndakapindura shaking my head zvikanzi "Dzanetsa dzotyisa idzi."

"Ko hindaya?" I asked zvikanzi

"Hurombwa chaihwo! Vanhu vari kuita zvinogara zvakadaro."

Ndakangokwiridzira mapendekete ndichiti "Hoo" ,vakazochinja nyaya yacho tave mumba.Takamhoresana vachibva vatonditi "Kuri sei kubasa?" ndikati "Kuri bhoo zvako mama, kurisei kuno?"

"Kungodaro daro, mumwe wako ndiye andipedza mari rwendo rwuno nechikoro ichi, hameno hanzi maCala kudiiko wee ,aaa ndafa ini!" "Hii Biri here?"

"Ehee kuchikoro kwavo kuri kudiwa dzamatsana remari! Ndofa zvangu rwendo rwuno! Ndapfidza kani!"

"Aiwa mudzidzisei anozokuchengetai."

"Haa ndizvozvo chaizvo, ndatobva kutaura namai vako vanga vachibvunza kuti wasvika here.Vanokutyira chaizvo."

Ndakaseka zvangu ndikati "lii motovaudza kuti ndasvika."

"Matiunzireiko chii chiri mupepa?" Vakabvunza

mainini ndikatovhundukawo ndichivhura plastic bag raive nezvinhu zvaive zvatengwa nababa Julian zvandaive ndisina kuzovhura.

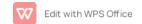
Maive muine nefish and chips nejuice yacho zvaive zvatengwa muOcean basket mandakatonzwawo mbiri yamo namainini vachiti "Iii hamupindike umu munodhura, taimuenda namadam maSundays."

"Hoo munodhura nhaai?"

"Ehee murungu wangu aidya zviya zvimagakanje nazvimaprawns ,unomerera wazviona apa."

"Hii imi maitodyawo?"

"Ndakambodya nekukara ndikaita zvikwakwa



muviri wese."

Ndakaseka zvangu ndichiti "Mama ka!" Ndikanzi "Dai watenga zvako chicken slice isingadhure!"

Ndakazeza kutaura kuti ndaive ndatotengerwawo ndokungovati "Aiwa chimbodyai mari yemubvana amai."

Vakafara chaizvo mai vangu ndikanzwa nekurumbidzwa musi iwowo. Vana vavo vakazouyawo kwatove kumazuvaradzoka vakafarawo nekundiona. Waindainyanya kuwirirana naye ainzi Bridget uyo aive form 4.

Seipapa ndakabva ndatotanga kuratidzwa zvinhu zvaaiita kuchikoro kwavo ndikatoti "Shingai asikana."



"KO iwewe?"

"Eeeh?"

"Chikoro ka! Uchazoenda."

"Kana zvinhu zvave a bit stable, ndiri kufunga kumboitira tuvapfana twangu chete ini ndozozviona later,you never know pamwe nditwo twunozondifundisa."

"Hazvinetse izvi ,unongoita malessons ka wonyora,achirimo here madefinitions andakakupa aye mumusoro umu?"

I rolled my eyes ndikati "Ndichiri kungoziva kuti wakati History is the study of past events chete, zvimwe zvacho zvatiza."

"Uri kucrema ka apa ,unofanira kuzviziva zvinhu izvi kwete kuita zvekucrema."

Ndakatozoponeswa nephone yangu yakabva yatangawo kurira. Yakatondivhundutsa nekuti yaisawanzofonwa . Ndini ndaitowanzofonera mai vangu then vamwe vakaita samai Mona namai Neymar taingoita zvekutaura pawhatsapp.

Ndakadaira ndichitoziva kuti vaive baba Julian chete vaive vafona ndikatanga ndambonyaririra ndokuzodaira.

Havana zvavo kutaura zvakawanda vakangondimhoresa nekundibvunza kuti ndaive ndasvika sei ndikati "Ndasvika bhoo" kwakutonditi "Save my number, and mangwana undiudze kana wave kubuda." I giggled ndikati "Okay" ,zvikanzi "Ko inini handibvunzwewo kuti ndafamba seiwo?"

"Mafamba sei?" Ndakabvunza ndichiseka zvikanzi "handichatoda, izvo zvekuita kuudzirwa!"

"Sorry."

"Ndatotsamwa zvangu, ndichakubata."

Call yacho yakapera ndichiseka ndikatobvunzwa naBridget kuti ndiani ndichibva ndatomuudza.Ndakamuudza zvese zvaive zvaitika pakati pangu naMalcom kusvika paakazotizirwa naMuchanyara iye achibva angoti "Hoo,saka babamukuru ndovari kuita

kublashirwa nepaphone?"

"Yuwii ndisiye, ndablusher kupi?"

"Ndave kutorambirwa zvandaona?"

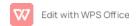
"I guess zvangoita zvega."

"Hoo!" akapindura muromo uchibhendeswa achibva angosimuka.

Semunhu aiva audzwa kunzi aida kuzoperekedzwa handina kutorega kuzoudza baba Julian pandaive ndakudzokera.

He did come to pick me up, ndikanosiiwa kudhuze nekumba chaiko.

Kubva ipapo taive takungotaura paphone



mazuva ese. Ndakapedzisira ndatovajaira zvekuti ndaitonzwa kunge something was missing kana tikasataura.kutaura kwacho ndatoita kwekumirira ivo kuti vanditange kuri kutya musikana wavo.

Vainge vakusatobva kumba kwedu uko kwavaigara vakapa maexcuse ekuti vanenge vachivinga Neymar.He would bring tumagoodies twonzi ndetwe mwana though tumwe twacho twaisambove twezera rake.Musikana wavo vainge vakusauya naye, he would come alone or nemwana wavo chete which was okay with me.

Mumwe musi vakauya kumba pari pakati peweek dzitori kuma12 mid day vaina Julian wavo uyo wavaiti ainge asina kuenda kuchikoro zuva iroro.

"KO hanzi chii?" ,I asked zvikanzi "Tiri kubva kwadoctor ,he was not okay."

"Hanzi aita sei?"

"Maflue iyaya."

"Sorry zvako Ju handiti?" Ndakadaro ndichimupuruzira musoro and he nodded achisekerera.

Sezvo ndaive busy ,ndakabva ndatovapa mwana kwakuvasiya vachiona TV ndichibva ndatonopedzisa zvandaive ndichiita.Pasina kana nguva ndakaona ndateverwa kukitchen kuye ndikanzi "Mwana wako arara." Ndikati "Inga maita basa."

"My hands are blessed you know?"he boasted

"Kuti kudaro?"

Ndakabvunza ndichivatendeukira vachibva vatanga vambotarisa maoko acho avaireva ndokuzoti "Yes."

Ndakatora dish towel ndikapukuta maoko ndikati "Regai ndinomurarisa."

Pandakada kuti ndidarike nepavari vakabva vandibata ruoko ndikaita sekunge ndarohwa nemagetsi. Ndakavatarisa ignoring hana yangu yaive yakurova ndikati "Chii?",vachibva vamboramba vakanditarisisa nemaziso aitoita kunge ainge akutondibvisa hembe.

He licked his lips then asked kuti"When are you turning 18?"

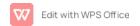
I wasn't expecting such a question ndakatongovatarisa ndikati "Babamukuru ka!" vachibva vaswedera padhuze neni then whispered munzeve dzangu chaimo vachiti "Sidney."

Ndakaswedera kumashure kuri kuedza kuvatiza ivo vachibva vanditevera futi vachiti "Watii?" ,ndikati "Why are you asking me izvozvo?"

"Cause ndiri kumirira kuti usvitse 18 yacho ndizokuudza zvandiri kuda kutaura but kana ukanditendera zvako kuti ndizvitaure izvezvi I won't mind.I can't wait any longer."

The air between us was already suffocating me zvekuti kuramba ndiri padhuze navo ndaive ndakusakwanisa zvachose.

Pandakada kuti ndidzokera kumashure futi ndakabva ndadhumira pacupboard ndikatura



mafemo ekupererwa chaiyo.

"Bab Julian.." Ndakaerekana ndadaro ndave kutotya zvikanzi "I won't do anything ,chill okay?"

I nodded zvikanzi "Ndotaura?" ndikadzungudza musoro ndatoziva zvaida kutaurwa zvacho izvo zvandaitoziva kuti zvaisafa zvakaita.

Ivo vakatoseka zvavo shaking his head ,vachibva vazoisa maoko avo maviri kucupboard yaive kumadziro kwangu.

I was trapped pakati pemaoko avo ndikashaya pekubuda napo.

"Mada look here" vakadaro with a deepened voice ndikadzungudza musoro ndakatarisa pasi.

He laughed vachiti "Come on baby, hona"



ndikaramba ndakatsikitsira pasi ndichikwiridzira mapendekete kwakuzonzwa ndave kusimudzwa face yangu.

He cupped my face with both hands ndokunditi"I promise i am not going to do anything silly without your permission. Yes i want you so bad right now but handidi kuita kunge ndiri kukubatirira, ndizvo? "

Ndakamedza mate ndikagutsurira musoro voice ratorambira kubuda zvikabva zvanzi "I know this may sound crazy but ndizvo zvandiri kutonzwa kuda.I cant help it Mada, I am in love with you."

Pauline

"Shame I am very sorry about your husband" mukadzi wekuda munhu webasa uyu akapindura message yangu ndikati "Haa its okay."

"Saka can you come kuHarare totaura?"

"Ndokwanisa kuuya but handina kwekusvikira."I lied

"Kutouya zvemangwana here? Are you sure kuti basa racho munorigona?"

"Yes maam ,It's better titongonzwisisana paphone ipapa topedzerana kana ndave kuuya ndongouya ndichingoziva kuti ndiri kuuya kubasa."

Message iyoyo yakazopindurwa atove manheru



chaiyo ndikaudzwa kunzi taizosangana mutown zuva raitevera racho tozoenda tese kumba kwavo kwacho.

"Sorry ndinonzi Aisha or mai Chihombori."
Message yakapinda ndikaivhura
kwakumboramba ndakavhurisa maziso
ndatovhundutswa nesurname yekuti
Chihombori iyi.

Ndakatura mafemo ndikazopindura ndichiti "Okay, gara zviye mati munogara kupi?"

"KuMadokero." Vakapindura nekukasika as if she had been waiting for that question ndichibva ndatoturawo mafemo feeling a bit relieved.

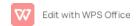
Surname yavo yaive yakafanana neyaTawanda but chakazondidzikamisa ndechekuti Tawanda aigara kuBraeside. Ndakanzwa kuremerwa kuye kunoitika kana wakatarisiswa ndichibva ndasimudza musoro ndokuona vari gogo vaive vakatoita zvekuyeverwa neni.

Ndakangovasekerera zvekunyepera ushingi zvichibva zvaita kuti vatosimuke vachiuya kuzogara pandaive ndiri.

"Uri right?" Ndizvo zvavakatanga nekubvunza ndikatiwo "Right?" ndichishamisika zvikanzi "Ehee right right?"

"Ndiri right ini gogo."

"Vave vanhu two vari kunditi unenge une pamumvuri,ini ndakamboda kuzvitaura but ndakangoti kuda maziso angu airesva kuona."



"Vanhu vapi?"

"Vanhu vanhu, ita kudai tione nzeve idzo!" She commanded.

Ndakasimuka ndava kutopopota ndichiti "Vanhu vapi? Ndivo vakandipa nhumbu yacho here vanhu vacho?"

"Ko nzeve uri kurambirei nadzo?Mai Vanessa ka! Unoda kuuraya mwana wangu nebp?"

"Handina chandinacho inini gogo." Ndakaita zvekushambatata chaizvo zvikanzi "Ehoo tichaona zvedu!" Ndakasimuka paye ndikaenda mumba kwakumbonozvitarisa pamirror ndichida kuona kuti nhumbu yacho yaive yotooneka zvekudaro here.

Ndakavhara dumbu rangu ndikadongorera pawindow ndanzwa kuchema kwaiita Mbira panze. Twaireporter pese paipfuura munhu nekudanga ratwo.

Seipapa vainge vatori gogo zvavo avo vaitotwukandira zvavo zvimacabbage.
Ndakaerekana ndadonhedza kasodzi ndakatarisa gogo, ndikakapukuta nekukasika ndokuzevezera ndichiti "Sorriyi zvenyu gogo."

Ndakadzungudza musoro wondering kuti vaizosara sei kana ndaenda ndikatanga kutovanzwira tsitsi.Apa worse nekuvasiira Vanessa kwandaida kuita.Vainge vasati vakura



zvekudaro zvavo asi kwaitongove kuvaremedza.

Ndaivimba navo zvekuti ndaitoziva kuti Vanessa aizosara ari in good hands.

Ndakarongedza hembe dzandaida kutakura bag racho ndichibva ndaita rekuviga pasi pemubhedha.

Manheru ndini ndakabva ndabika chikafu.Ndakabika nemoyo wangu wese kuri kuedza kufadzawo gogo kekupedzisira.

Ndakarara ndatosuka nekutsvaira mukitchen gogo vakatonetsekanawo nazvo nekuti ndaisawanzodaro.

Vanessa aive nekagame kekunetseka nekurara, ndakabva ndaita wekubereka sekacheche ndikatanga kumusvusvudzira kusvika arara



kwakuzorarawo.

I kissed her forehead ndokuita wekubvumbamira padhuze pangu.

Hope hadzina kutobata musi uyu, ndaingunofunga twakawanda nekuzvipa mhosva pane zvese zvainge zvaitika.

Ndakamukira kuma4am ndikaita zvinhu zvangu chinyararire ndokubva ndaita kunyahwaira ndichibuda.Ndakamira ndikasekerera ndasvika padoor ragogo avo vaitoita zvavo ngonono dzavo.Ndakangobata door racho ndokuripuruzira ndichiita sekunge ndaitopuruzira muridzi waro kwakuzobuda.

Handina kunetseka zvangu ndakafamba zvakanaka nekamari kashoma kandaive ndiinako.Ndakazotarisa time ndatosvika kuHarare ndikaona dzatove kuma9 am.Paphone



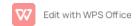
pacho painge patove nemamissed calls hobho hobho and I knew it was gogo.

Ndakaisa bag rangu pazvimasimbi zveparank ,ndikamirawo neche paside ndokuisira gogo voice note kuwhatsApp ndichiti "Gogo sorry zvenyu. Ndaenda kuHarare, kubasa. Gogo ndine nhumbu and kuti ndiende kamuridzi wayo hazviite nekuti ane mukadzi wake.Ndazeza kukuremedzai zvekare pamwe nekuzeza kuti ndotarisana nemi sei.Ndimi mai vangu ,makanditora ana nyakutumbura vanditadza mukaedza nepamunogona napo kuti ndiite zvakanaka asi zvakakona. Sorriyi gogo, I hope one day ndichazokufadzai ..ndasiya Vanessa kwamuri nekuti ndoziva kuti munokwanisa kumuriritira muchimuitira zvese zvandaigona kunge ndichimuitira inini.Kana akuremerai munogona kunomusiya kuna mama kwaMutawatawa then zvinhu zvangu zvikazofamba ndouya ndomutora."

Ndakazopedza kurecorder ndave kutochema. Voice note yacho payakaratidza kuti yavhurwa ndakabva ndatobuda pawhats App paye kwakunyat sochema ndakat simbirira face yangu pabag.

Vanhu vakatanga kuita makwikwi ekundifonera asi handina kana kutodaira macalls acho.Ndakatora nguva ndakagara murank imomo ndichingoona mabhazi aiuya nekuenda.Nzara yakandikiya ndikatega maputi e10bond kwakutanga kumabubunya ndakamira. Ndakazofonera mai Chihombori dzatove kuma12 masikati ndaneta nekugara sezvo ndaisada vazive kuti ndaive ndaita zvekumukira.

"Muri papi?" ,she asked tapedza kumhoresana pamwe nekuvaudza kuti ndasvika ndikati "Pana



forth parank yeMurehwa."

Vakangoti "Okay" ndokuzofona futi after about an hour vachiti

"Huyai paEngen ndopandiri ipapo."

Ndakabva ndatotakurana nezvinhu zvangu ndikaenda paEngen paye ndikavafonera ndichibvunza pavaive chaipo. Vakaburuka mune imwe mota yaitove padhuze tichibva tangozivana since tese taive takaisa maphone kunzeve.

Vakauya kwandiri vachiita zvekudhonza makumbo avo ndikatanga kutofamba ndichienda kunoti ndisangane navo.

Ndakakwanisa kuvatarisa tisati tasangana ndikaona kuti vaive nemakumbo aye madhafu, aye anoita kunge akazvimba iwo



asina.Mupimbiri zvese netsapfu zvinenge zvakangobatana.

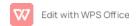
Vaive vakanaka pachiso ,uye body yavo yacho yaisashoreka zvayo.

Takazosara tosangana ndatova calculater kudhara ndatoburitsa kuti vaive vari munhu uye akanyarara, munhu uya anokasika kunzwira vamwe tsitsi.

"Hey " vakadaro vachisekerera patakazosangana pacho ndikati "hevoi."

Vakatambira bag rangu vachiti "Masvika kare?" Ndikati "Aaa manje manje."

Tave kuda kutosvika pamota pavo yakabva yatovhurwa rimwe door racho muchibva mabuda Tawanda uyo akabva aita kustika



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