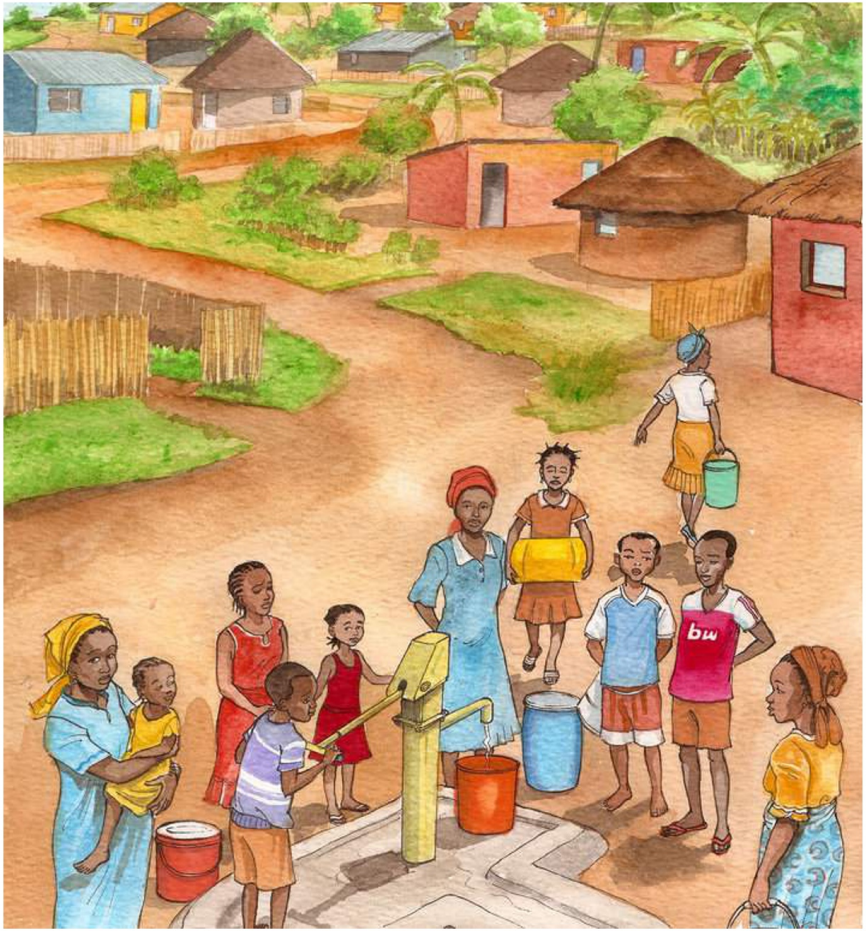
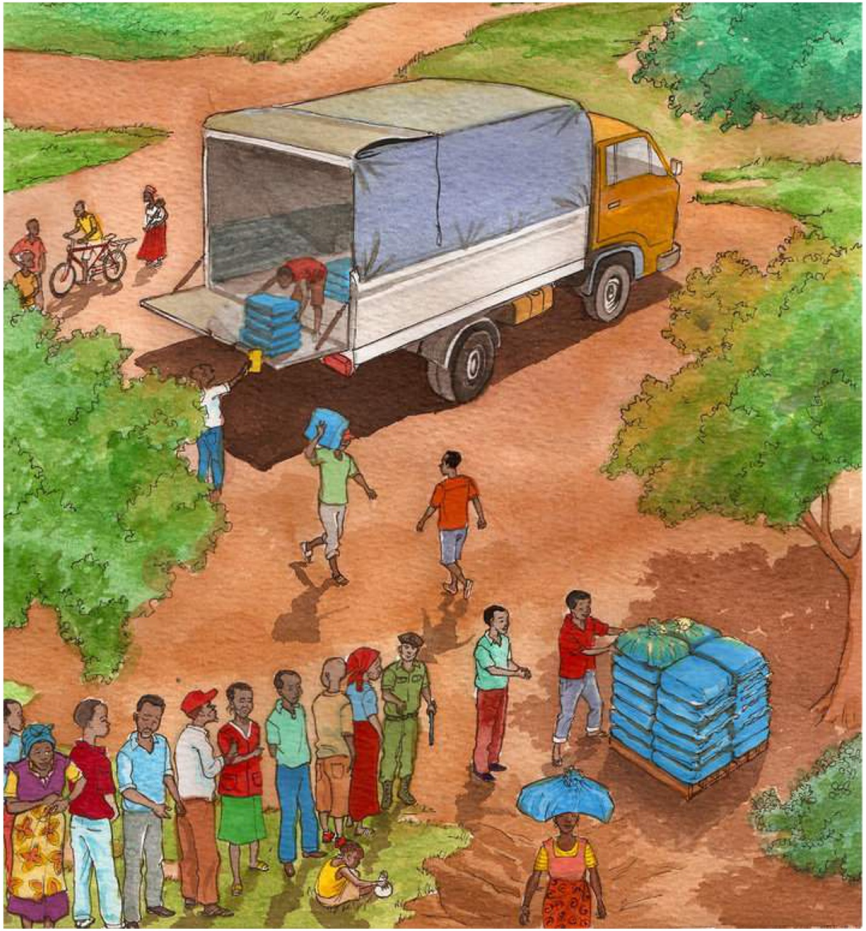


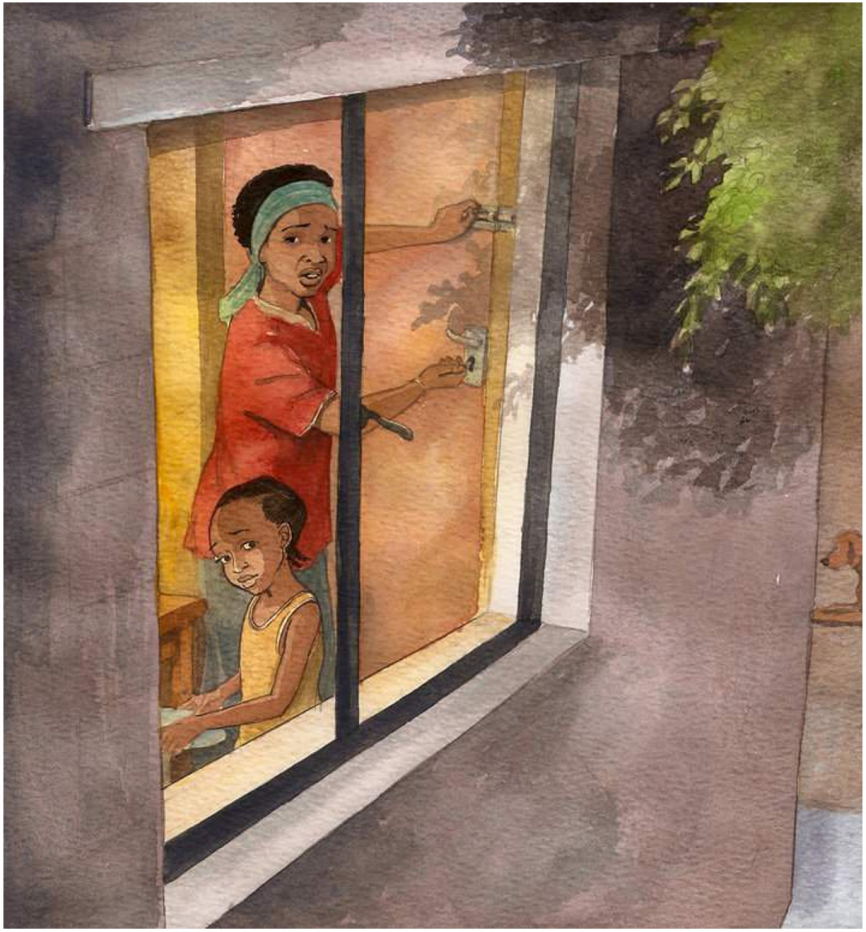
My village had many problems. We made a long line to fetch water from one tap.

زما په کلي کې ډېرې ستونزې وې. موږ د ویې نل څخه د اوبو راوړلو لپاره اوږده کرښه جوړه کړه.



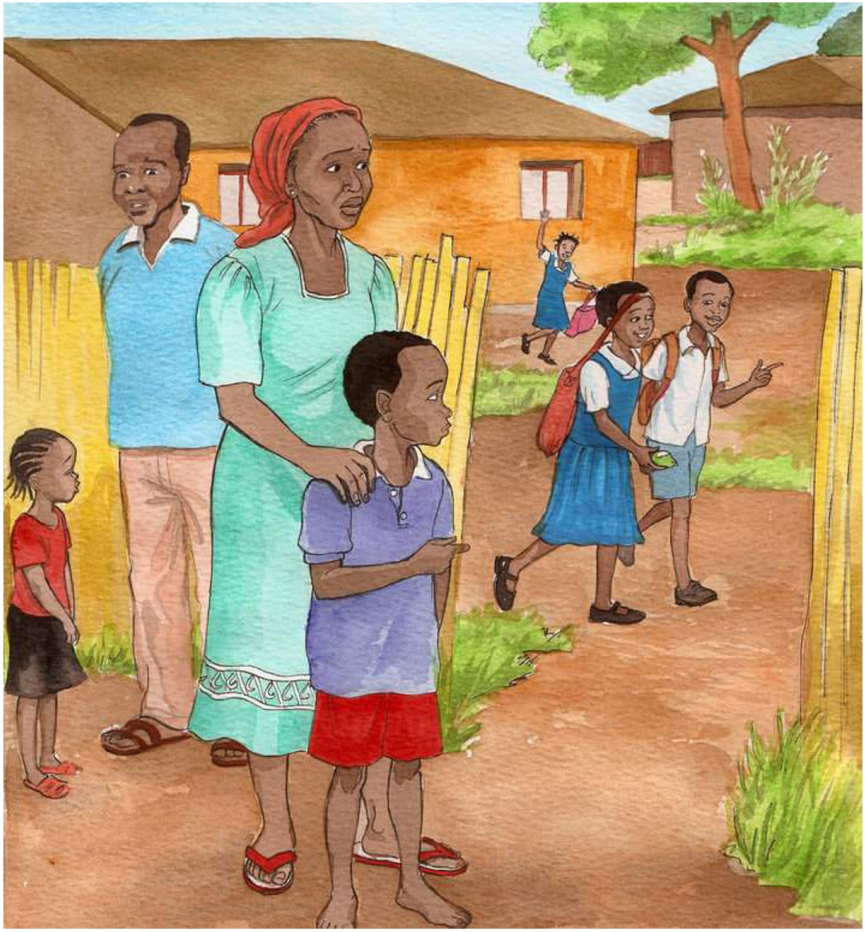
We waited for food donated by others.

موږ د نورو لخوا مرسته شوي خواړو ته انتظار باسو.



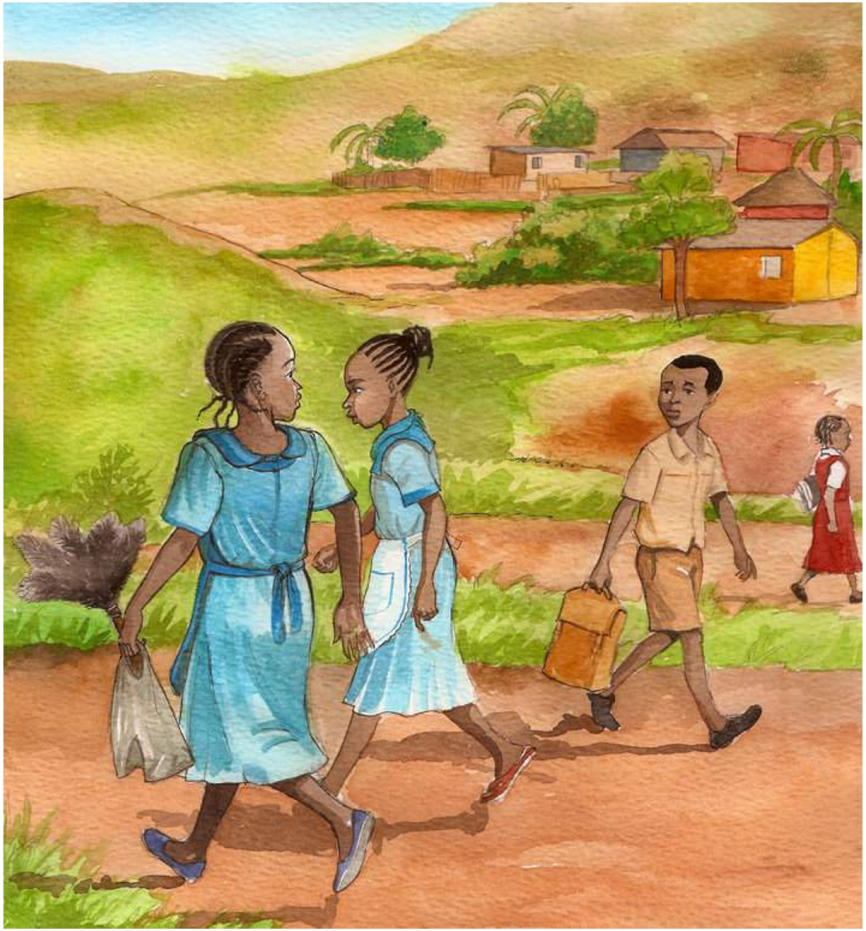
We locked our houses early because of thieves.

موږ خپل کورونه د غلو له امله وتړل.



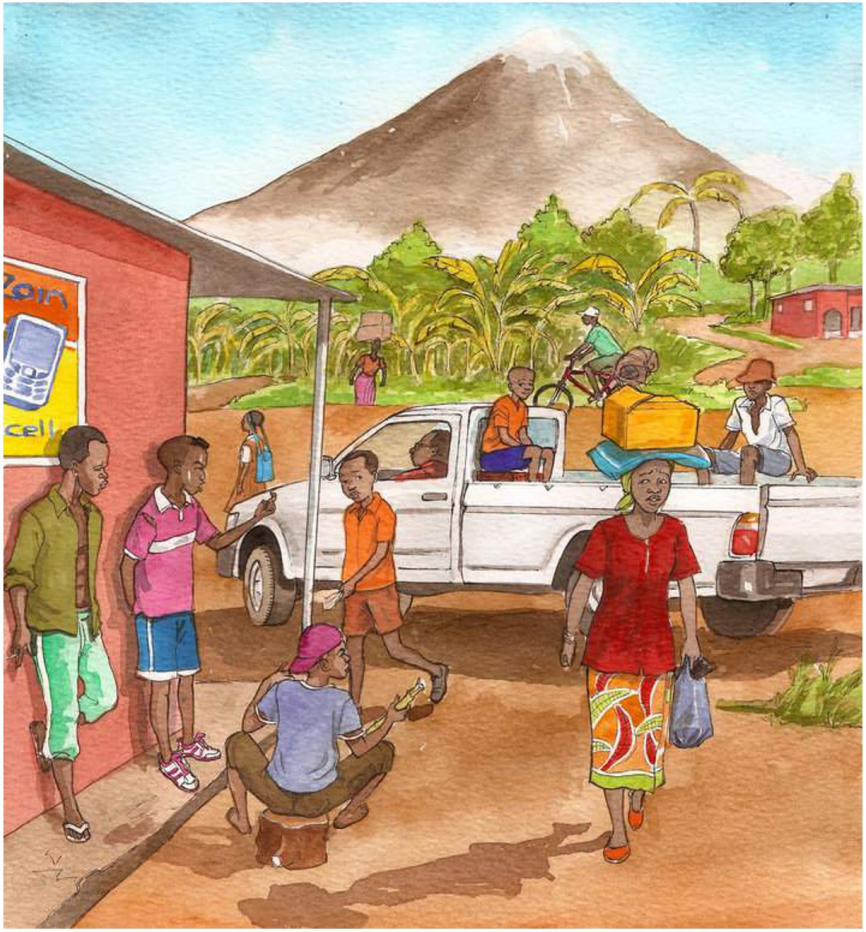
Many children dropped out of school.

ډېرې ماشومان ښوونځي پرېښودل.



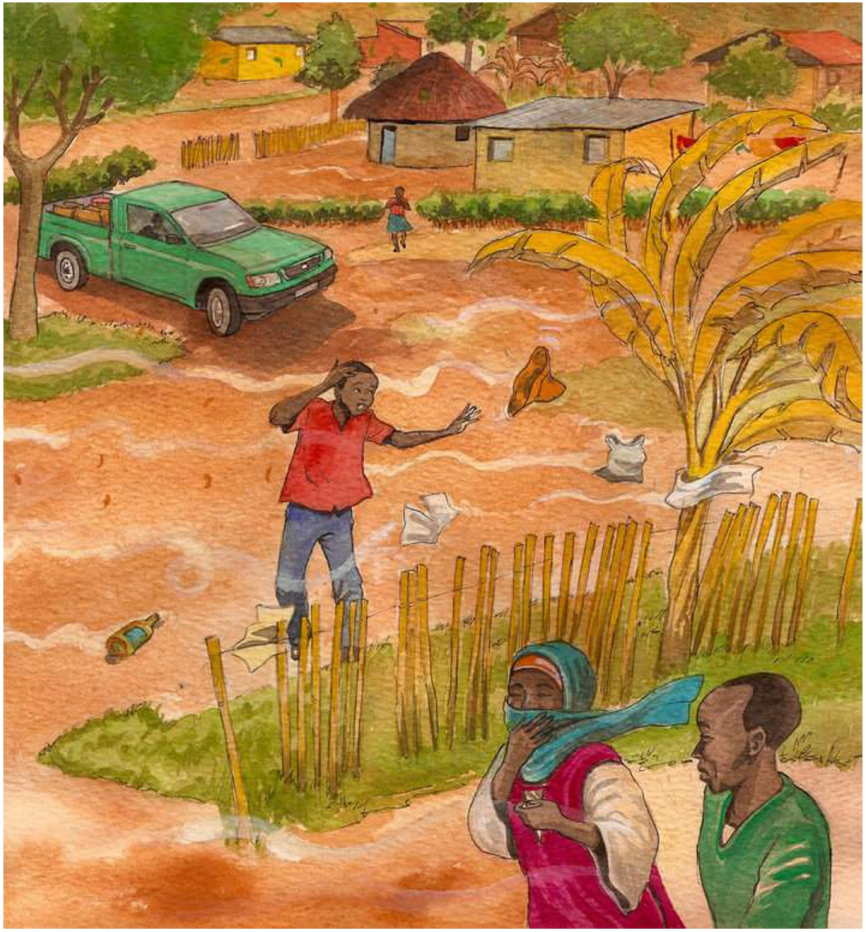
Young girls worked as maids in other villages.

ځوانې نجونې په نورو کلیو کې د نوکرانې په توګه کار کاوه.



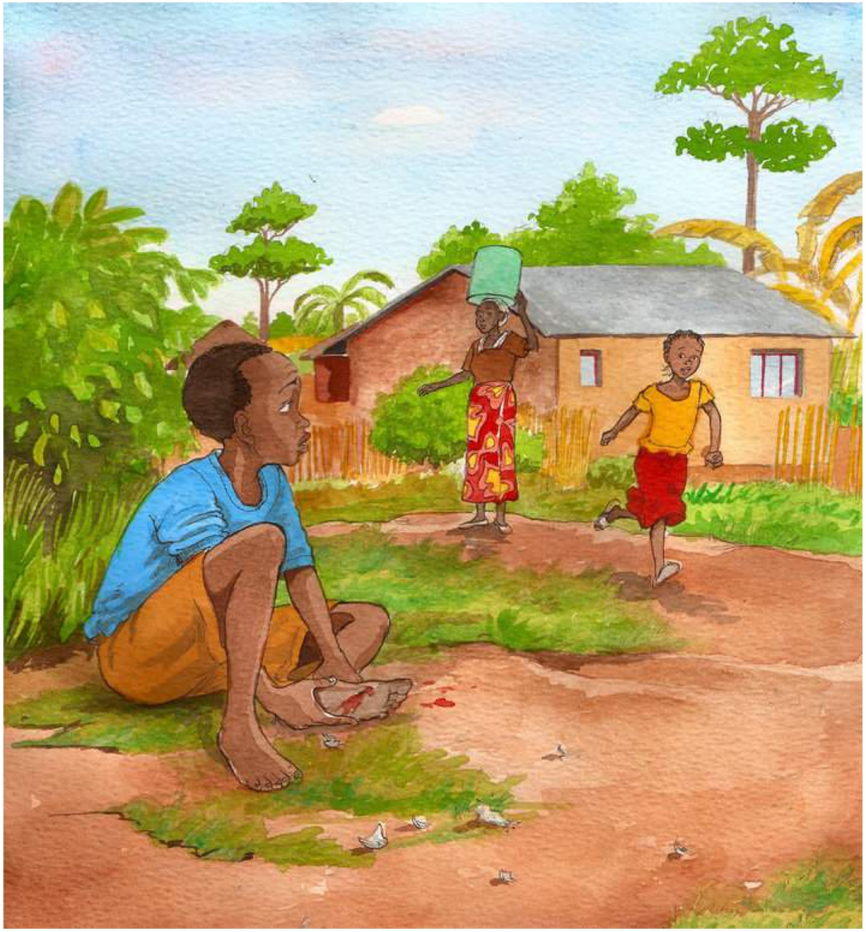
Young boys roamed around the village while others worked on people's farms.

ځوان هلکان د کلي شاوخوا ګرځي او نور یې د خلکو په کروندو کې کار کاوه.



When the wind blew, waste paper hung on trees and fences.

کله چې باد وخوت، فاضله کاغذ په ونو او باندو ځړول.

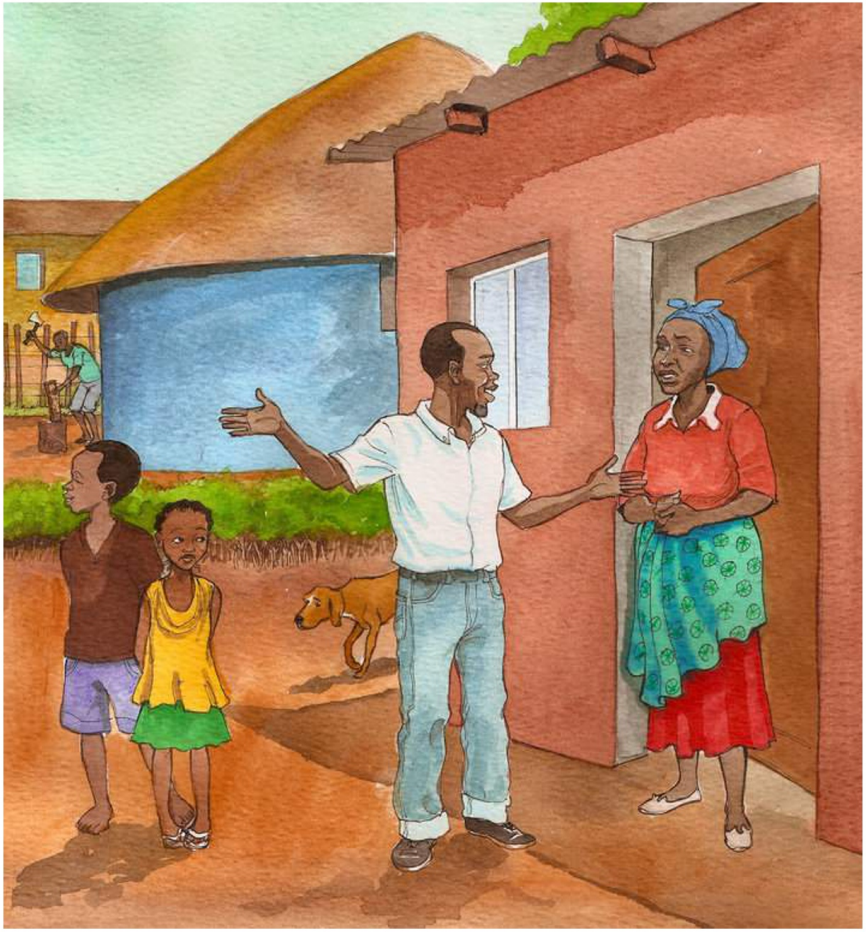


People were cut by broken glass that was thrown carelessly.

خلک د مات شوي شیشې په واسطه پرې شوي چې په بې پرواۍ سره غورځول شوي.

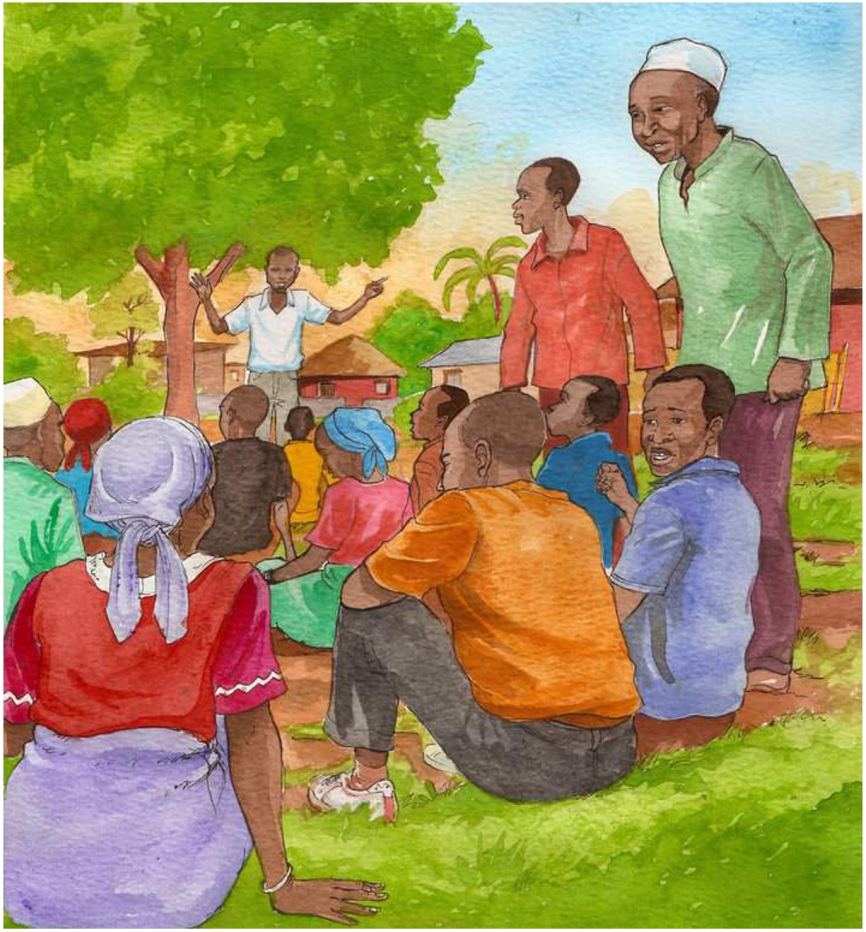
Then one day, the tap dried up and our containers were empty.

بیا یوه ورځ نل وچ شو او
زموږ کانتینرونه خالي شول.



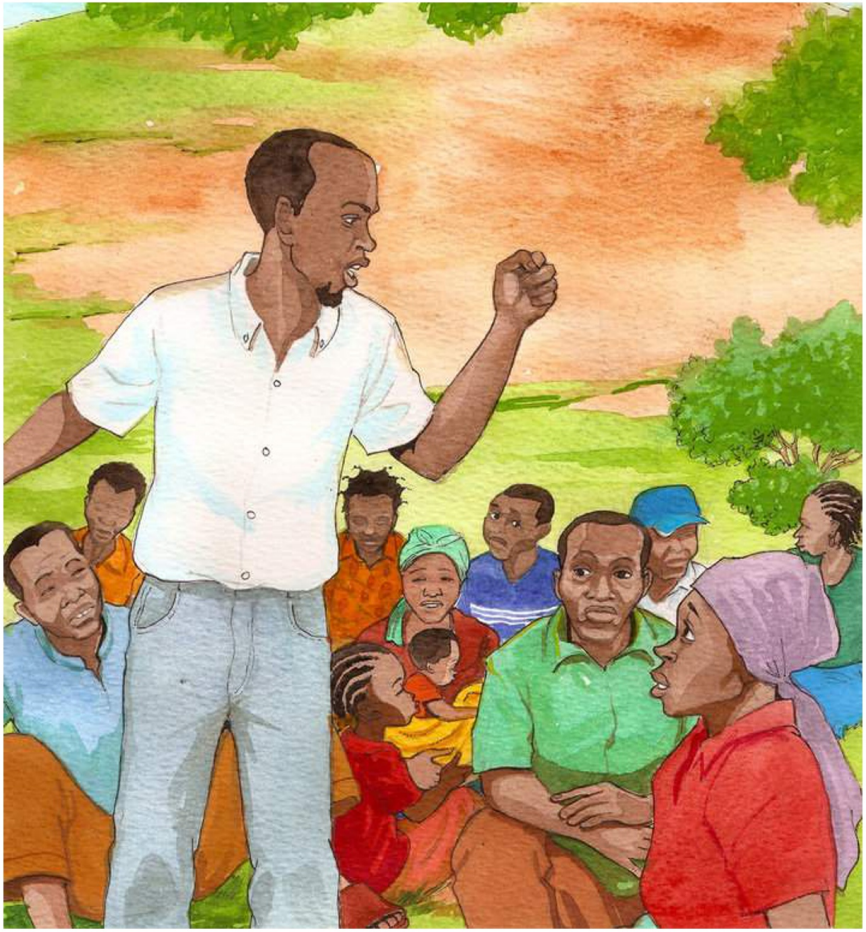
My father walked from house to house asking people to attend a village meeting.

زما پلار کور په کور
ګرځېده او له خلکو به یې
غوښتل چې د کلي په غونډه
کې ګډون وکړي.



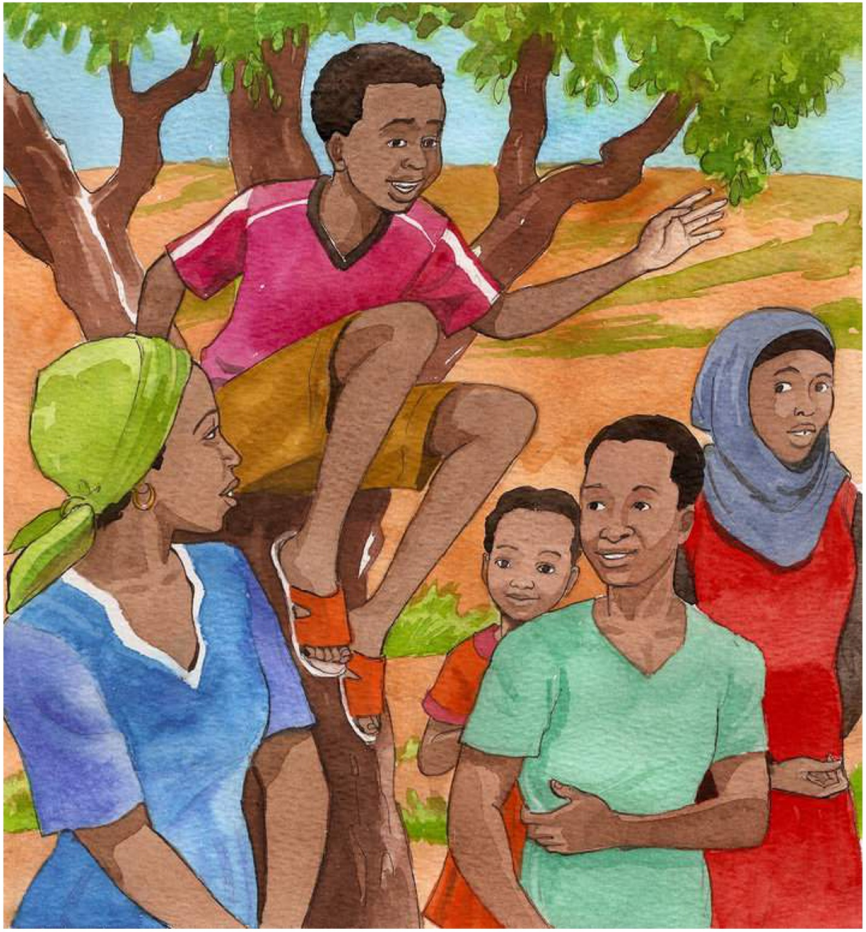
People gathered under a big tree and listened.

خلک د وېې لوېې ونې لاندې راټول شول او غوږ یې ونیوه.



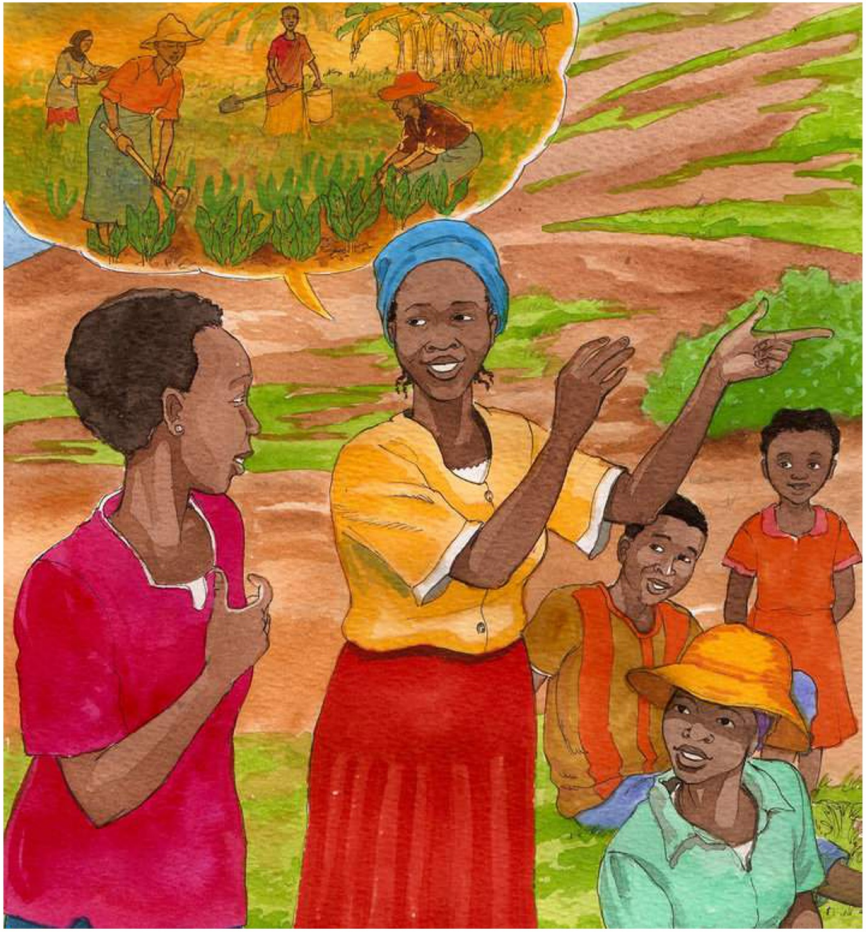
My father stood up and said, We need to work together to solve our problems.

پلار مې ودرېد او وېې
ویل، موږ باید د خپلو
ستونزو د حل لپاره په ګډه
کار وکړو.



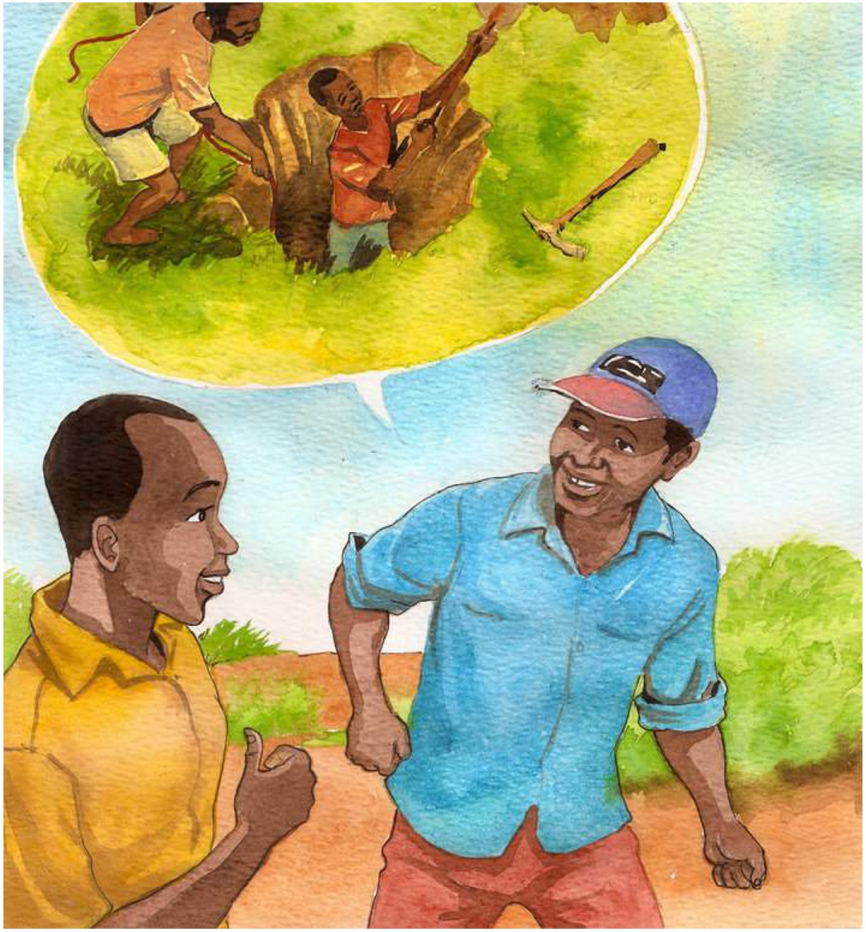
Eight-year-old Juma, sitting on atree trunk shouted, I can help with cleaning up.

اتہ کلن جمعہ، پہ اتڼ کې ناست، چیغې یې کړې، زہ کولی شم پہ پاکولو کې مرستہ وکړم.



One woman said, The women can join me to grow food.

وې ښځې وویل، ښځې کولی شي له ما سره وځای شي چې خواړه وکړي.



Another man stood up and said, The men will dig a well.

وی بل سړی ودرېد او وېې
ویل: سړی به وی څاه کیني.