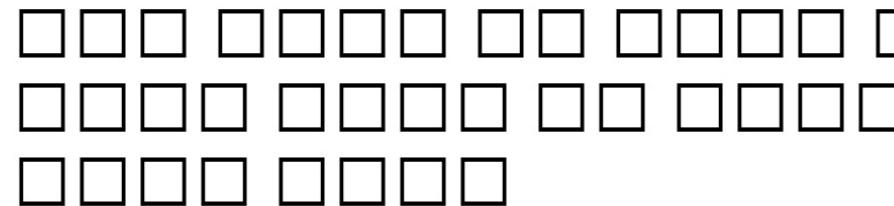
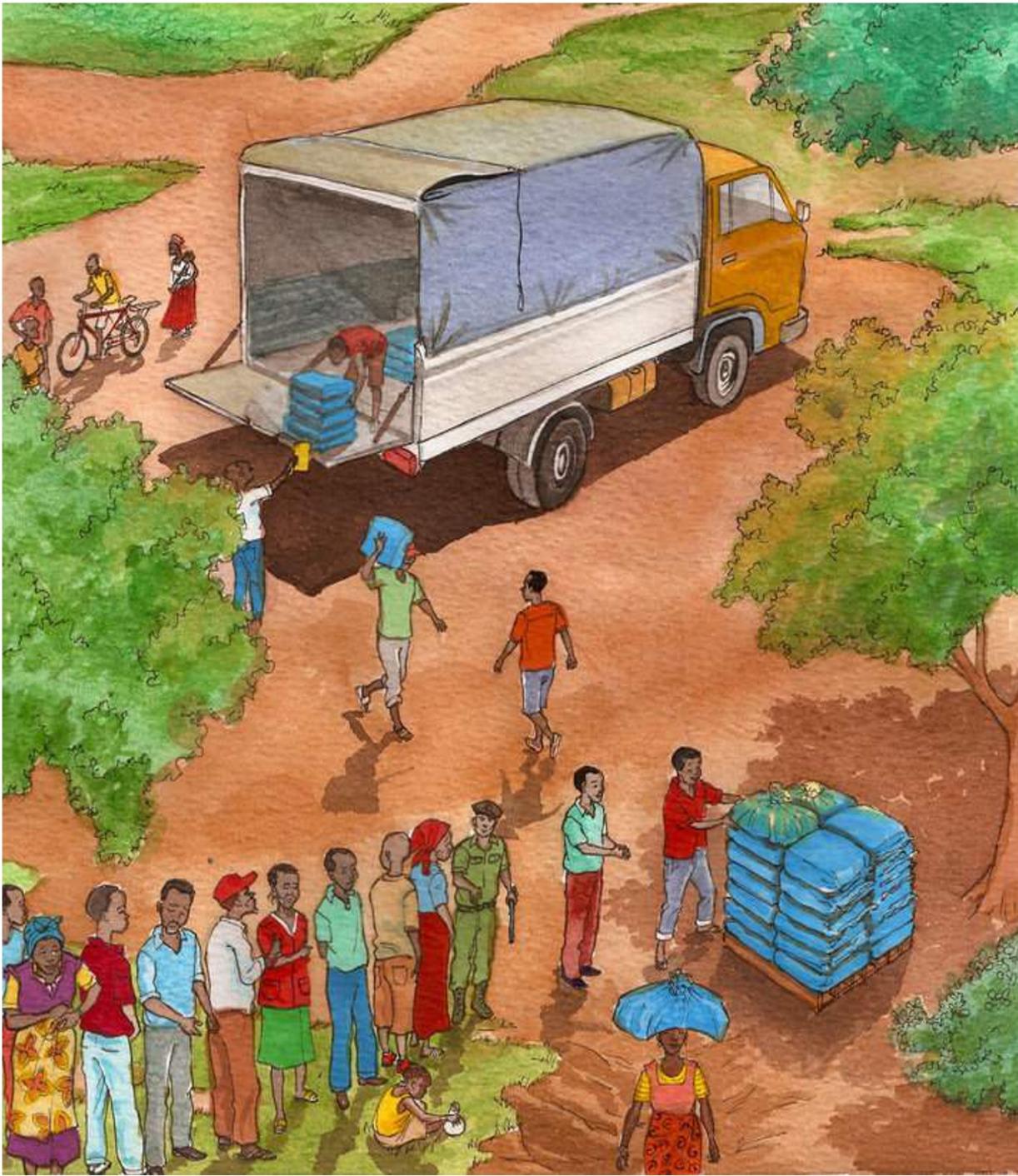


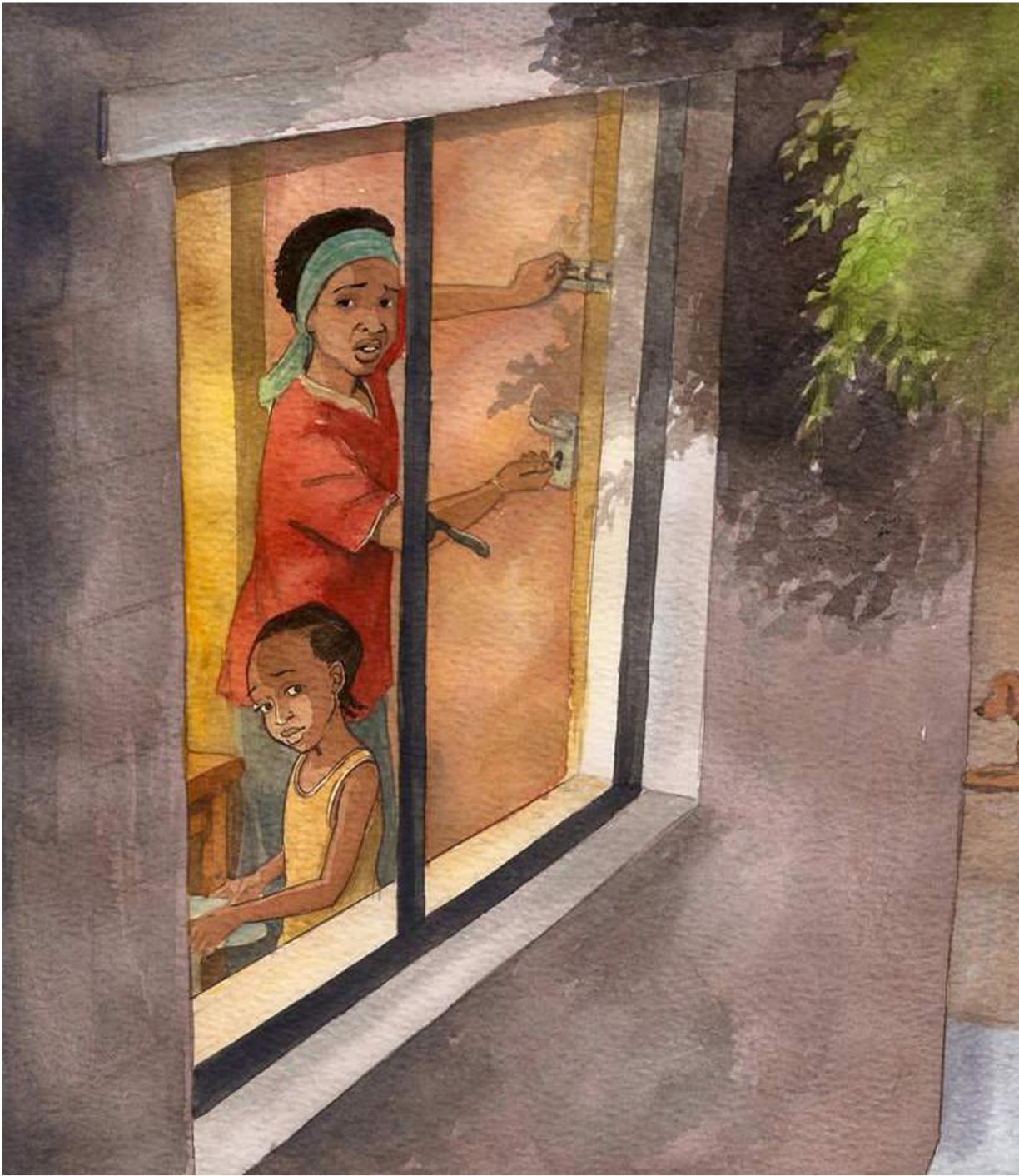
My village had many problems. We made a long line to fetch water from one tap.





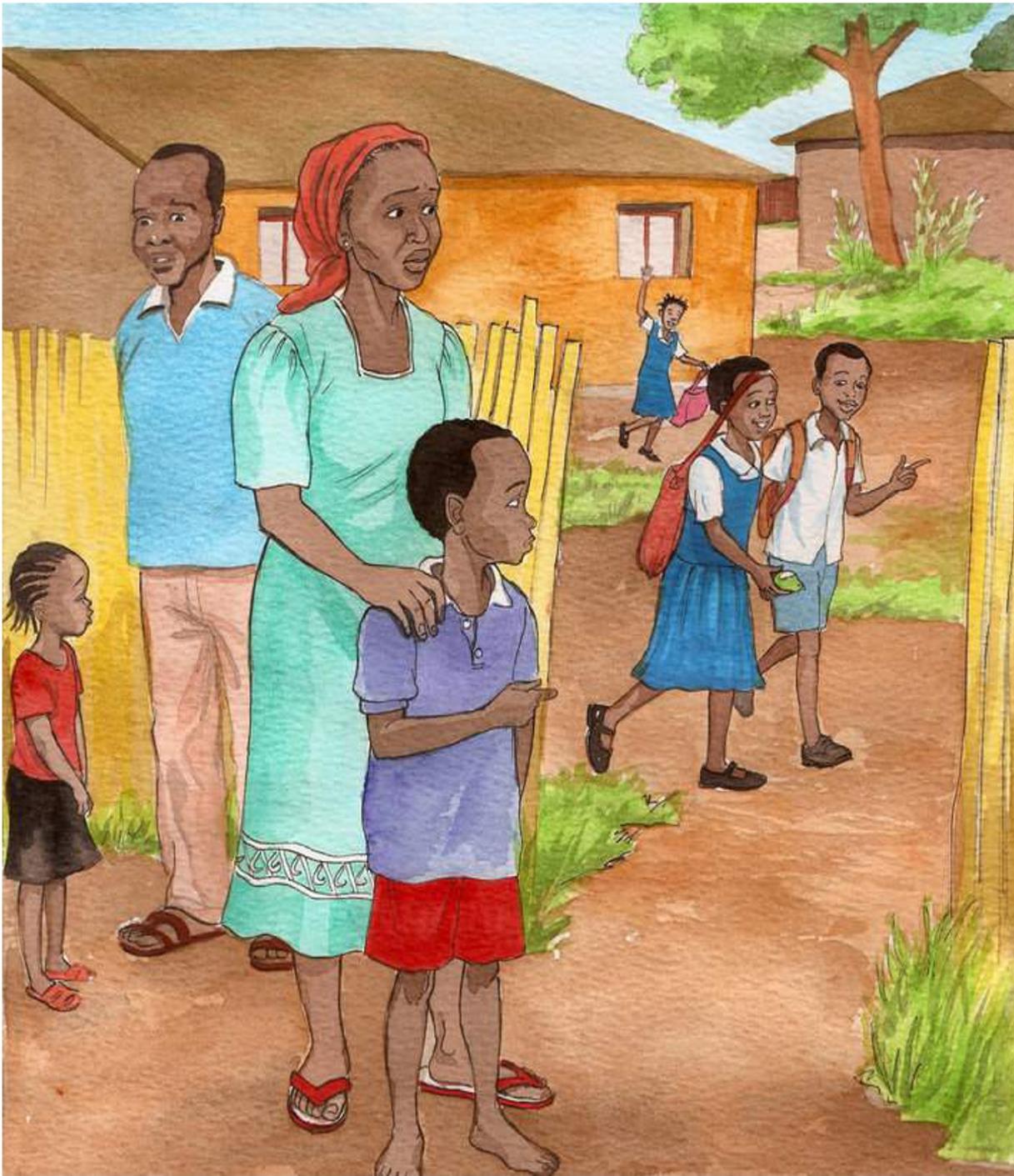
We waited for food  
donated by others.





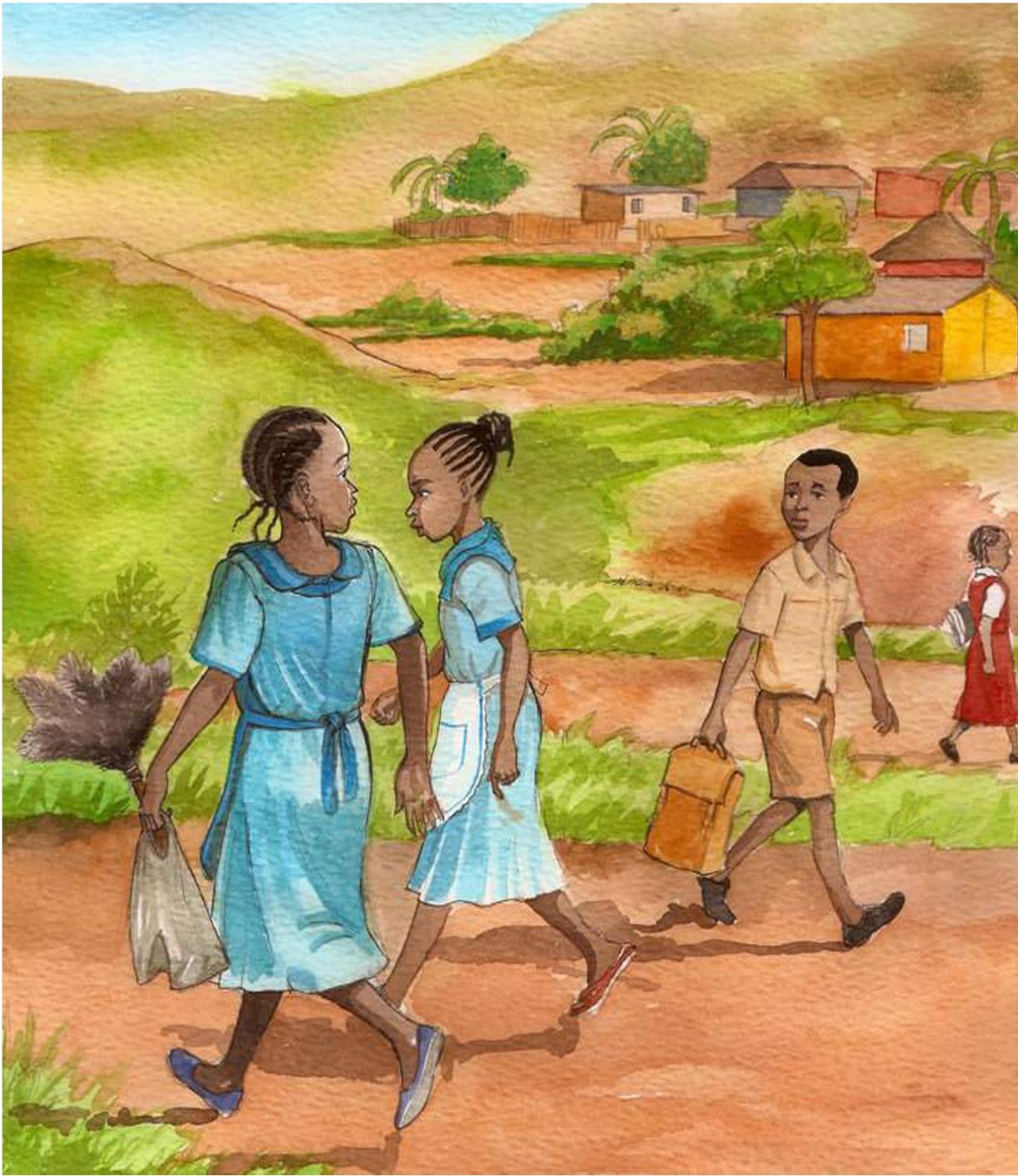
We locked our houses  
early because of thieves.



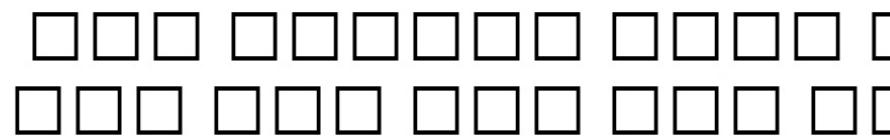


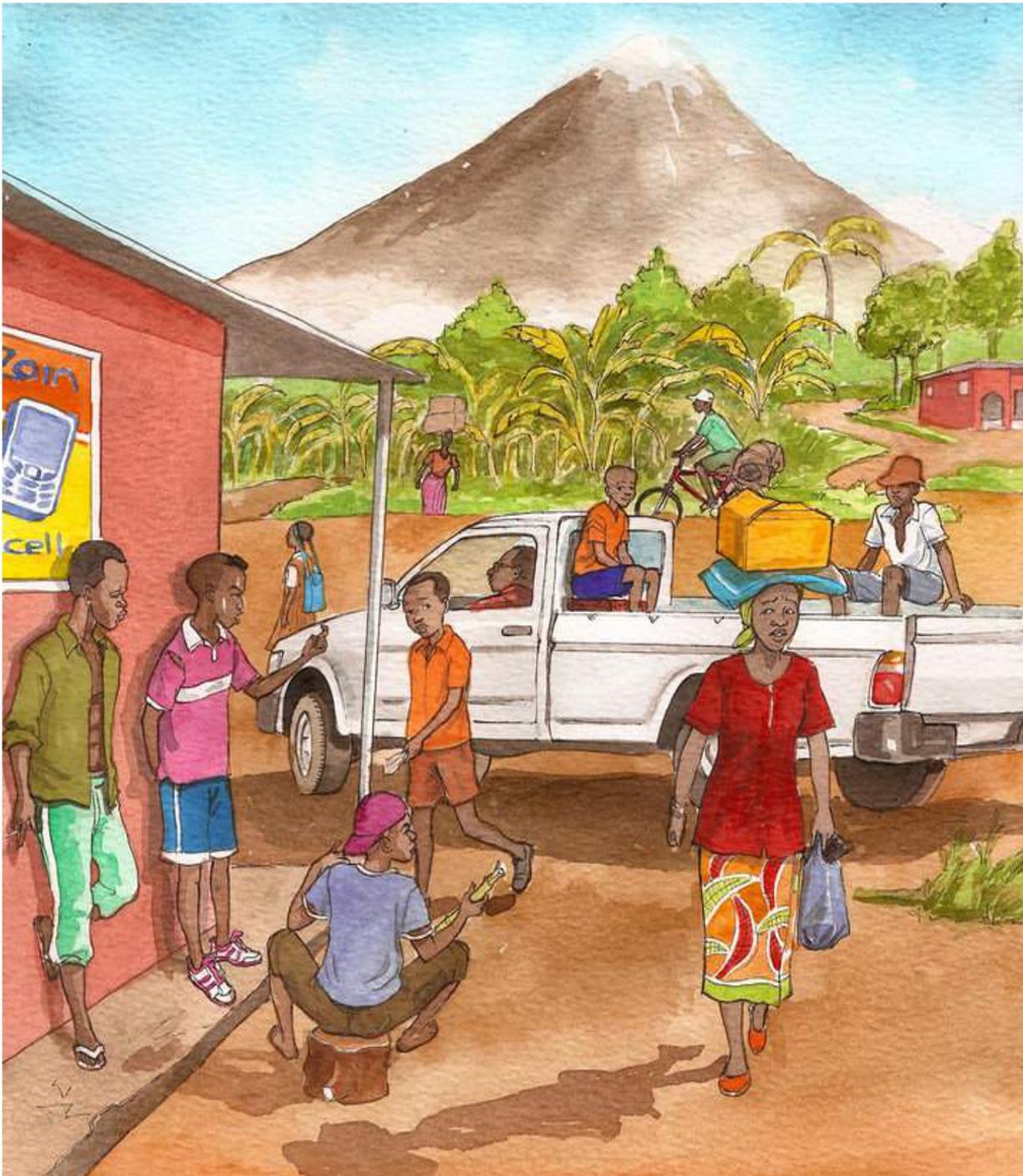
Many children dropped  
out of school.



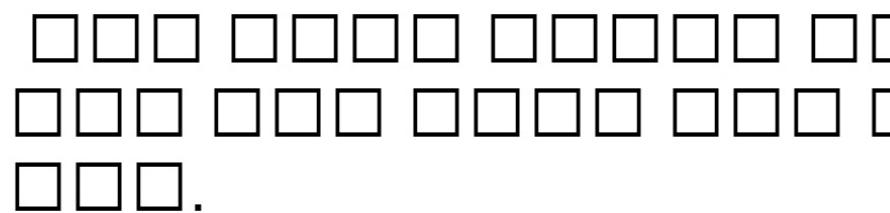


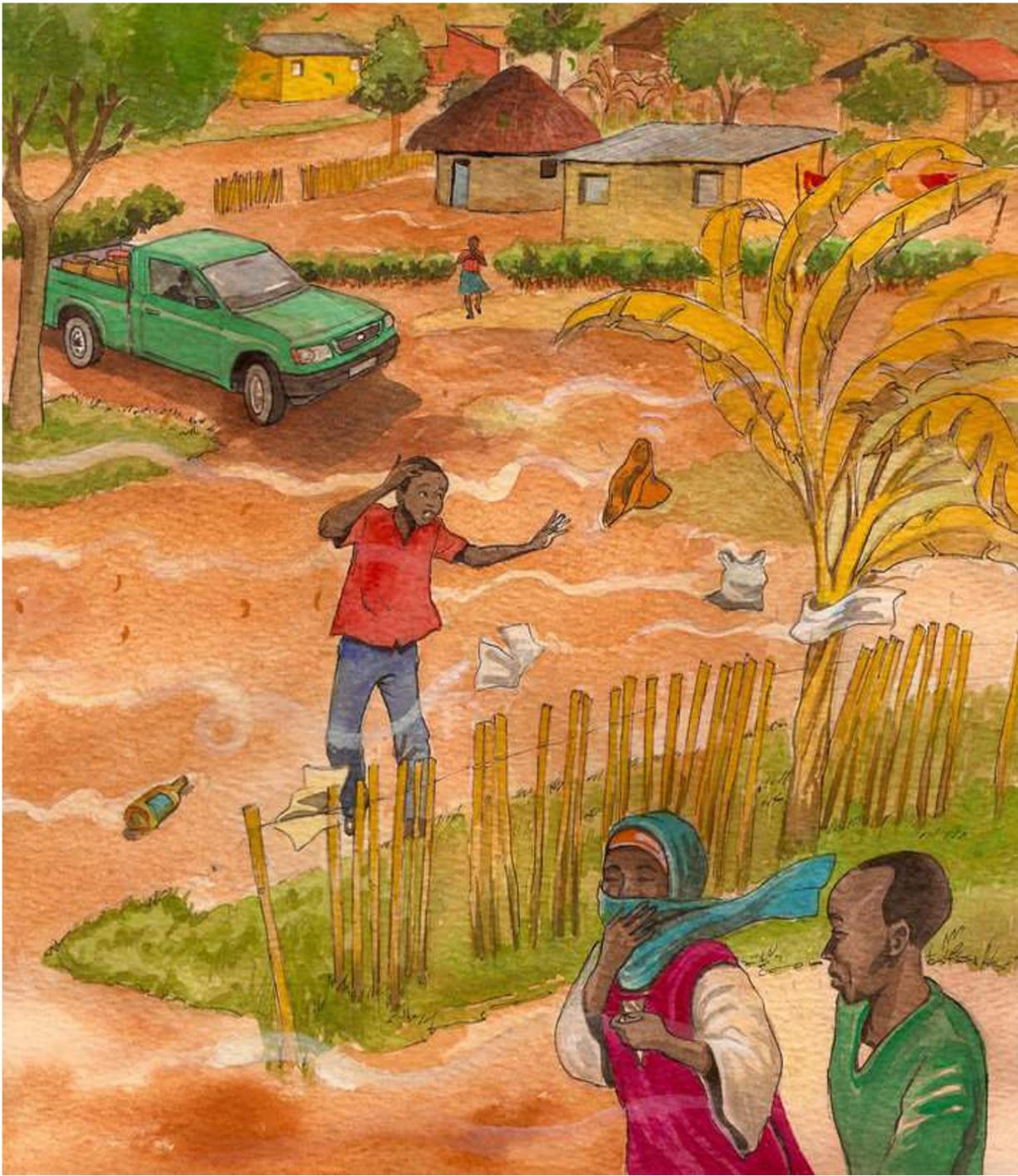
Young girls worked as maids in other villages.



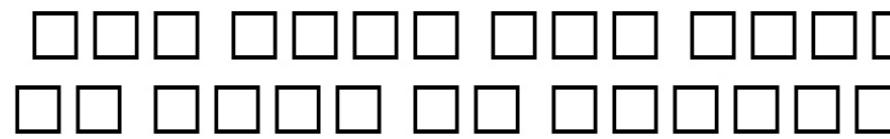


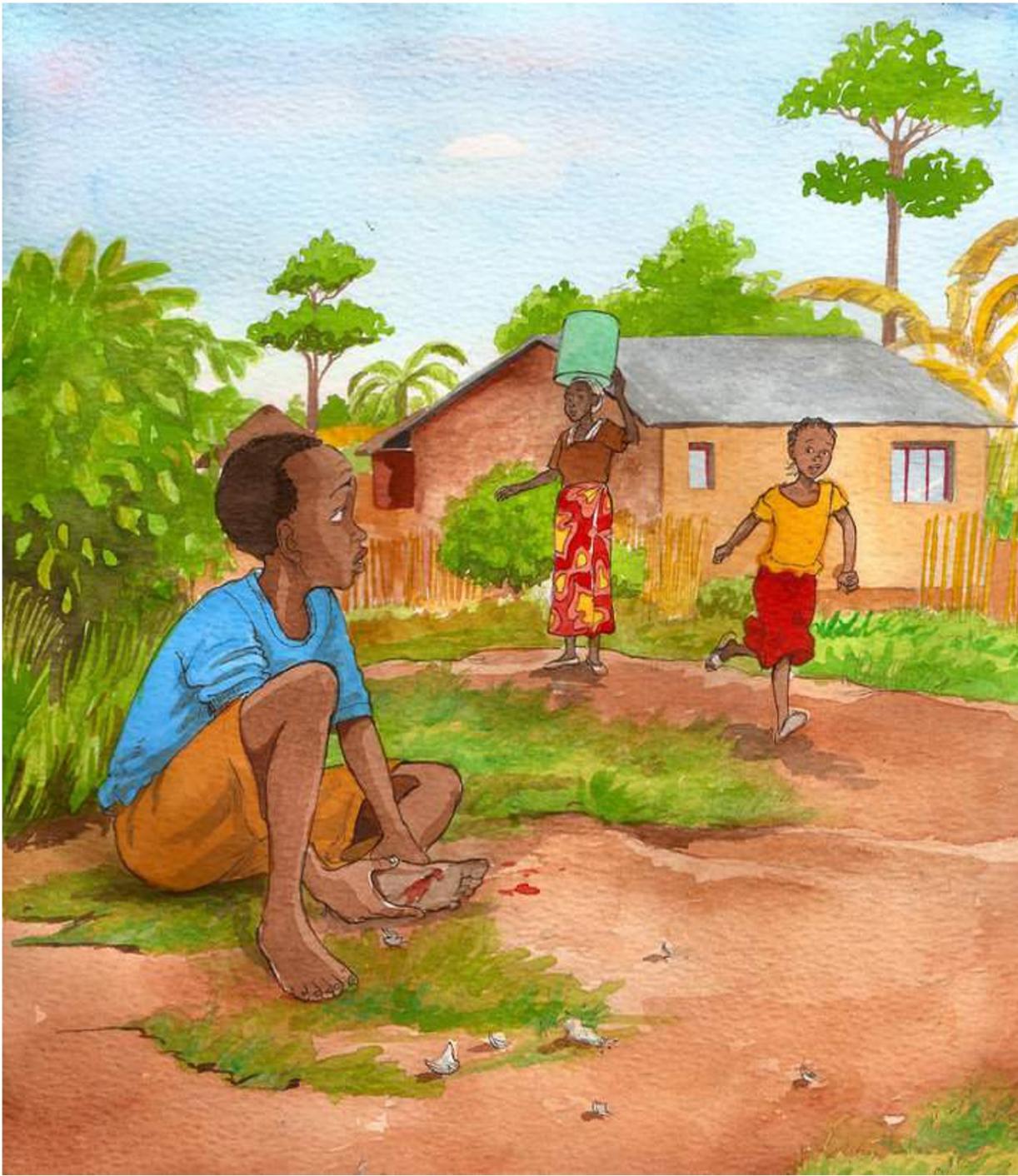
Young boys roamed around the village while others worked on people's farms.



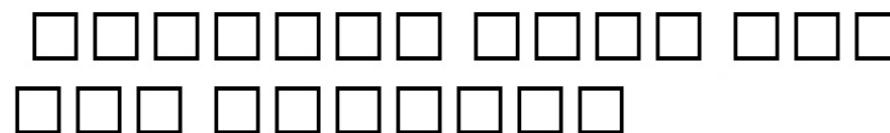


When the wind blew,  
waste paper hung on trees  
and fences.



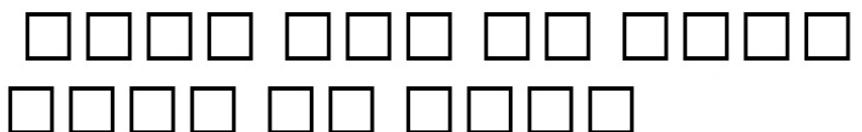


People were cut by  
broken glass that was  
thrown carelessly.



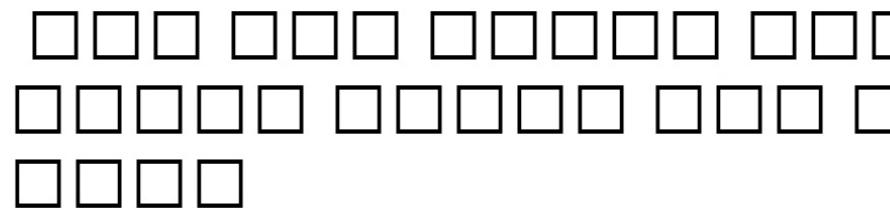


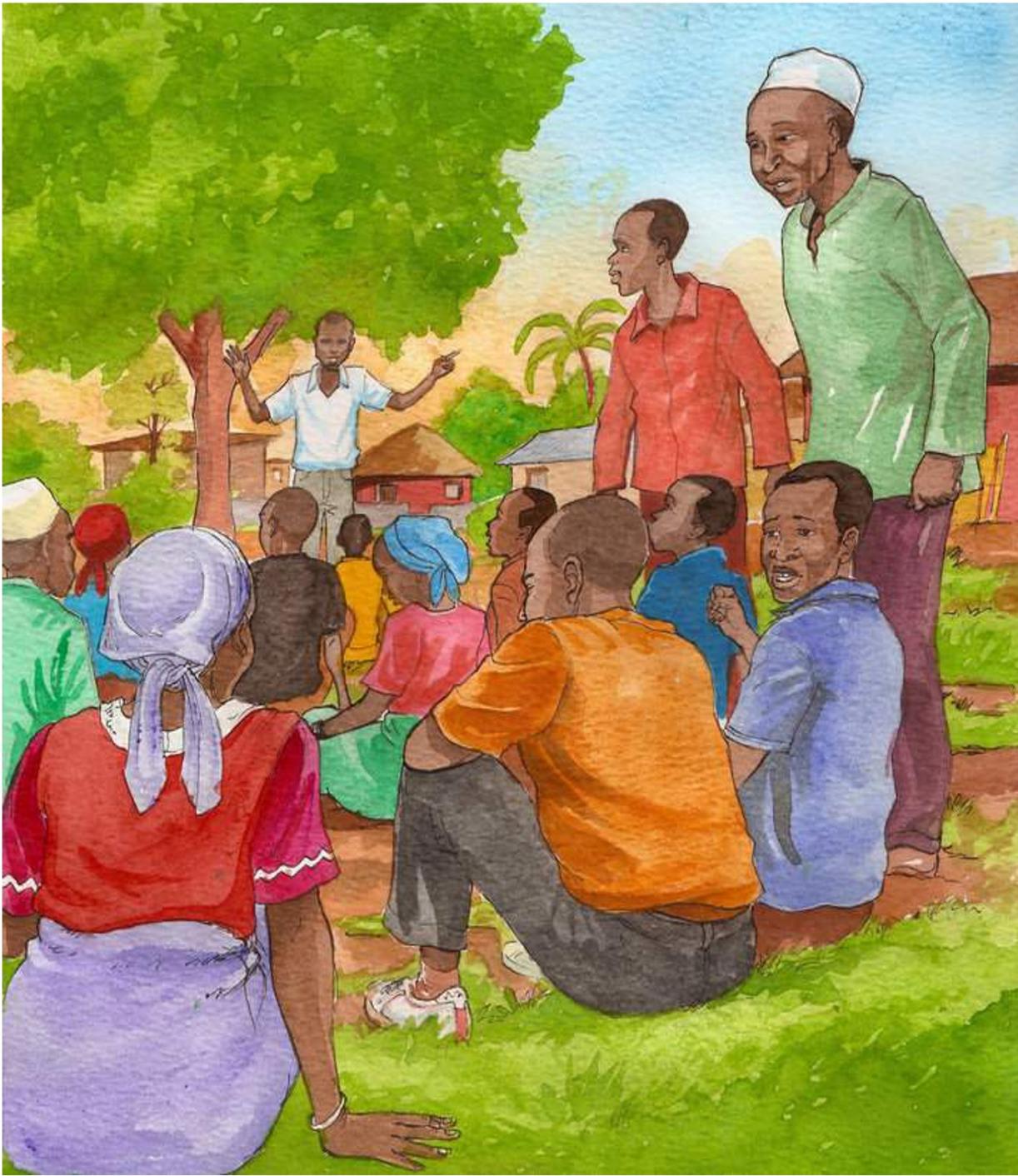
Then one day, the tap  
dried up and our  
containers were empty.



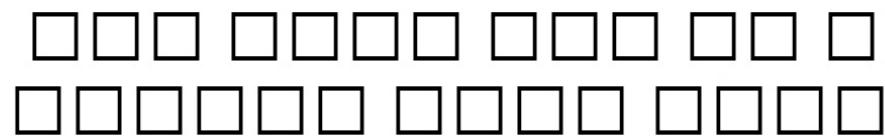


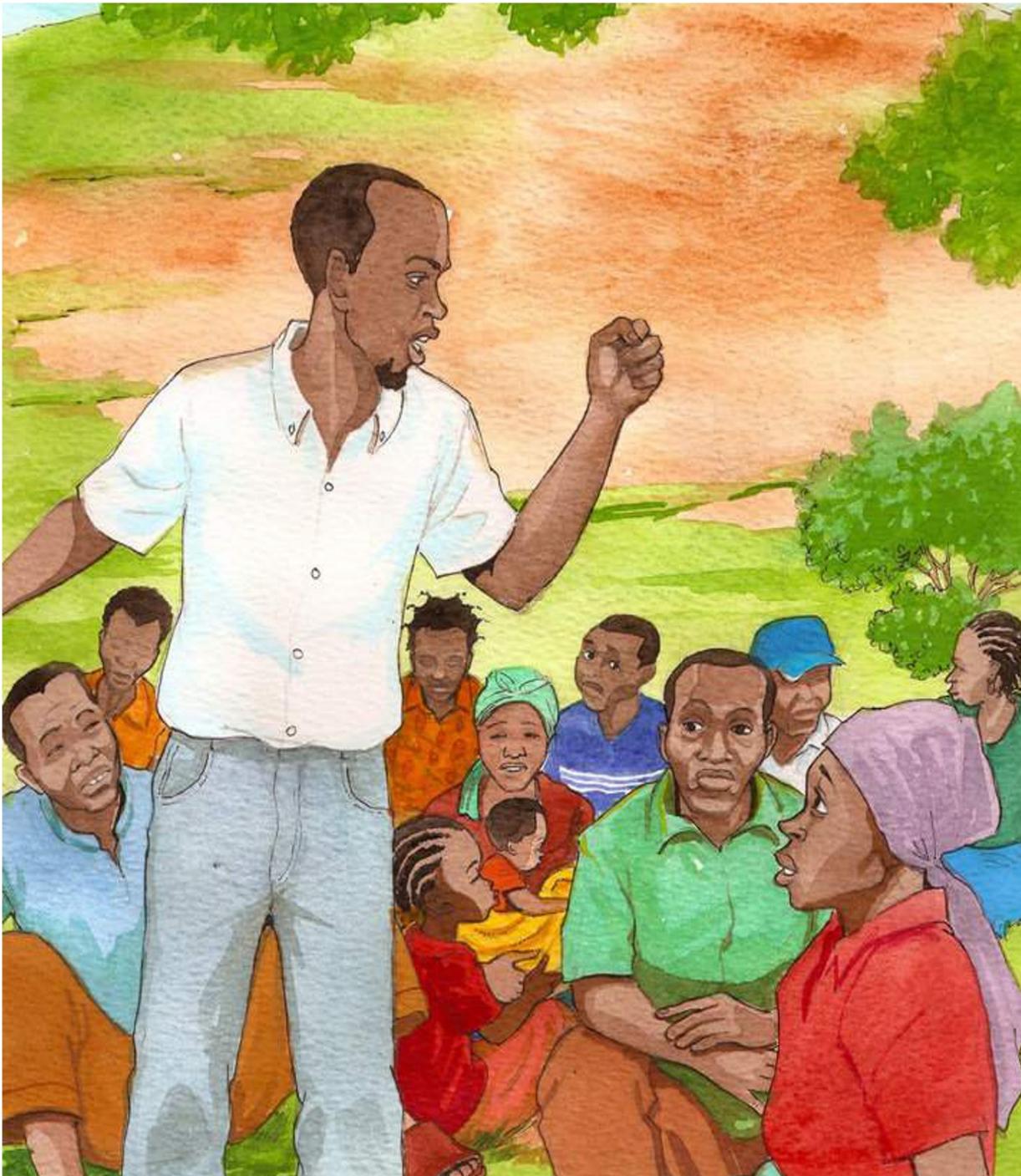
My father walked from house to house asking people to attend a village meeting.



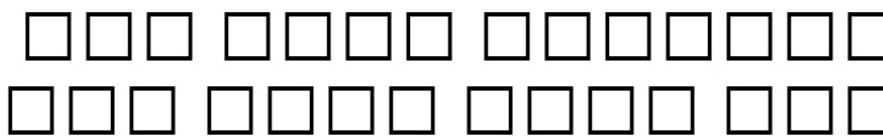


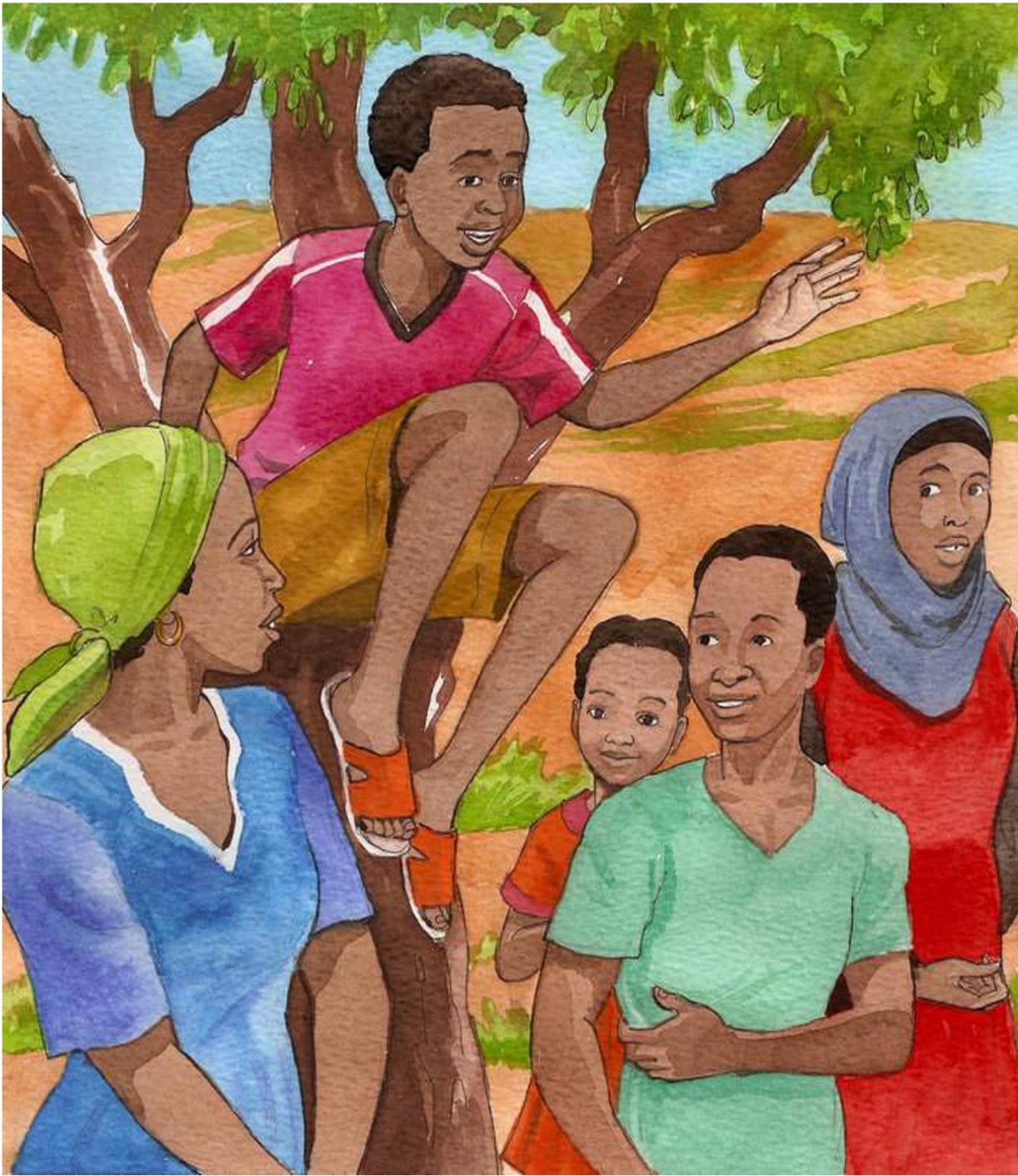
People gathered under a big tree and listened.



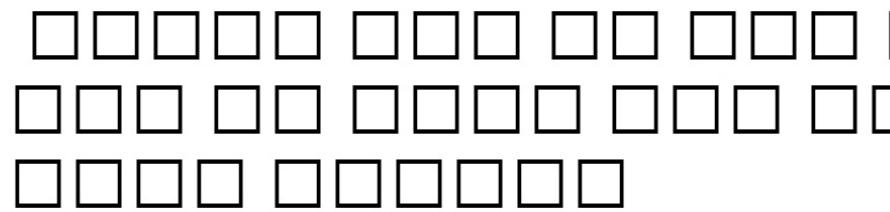


My father stood up and said, We need to work together to solve our problems.





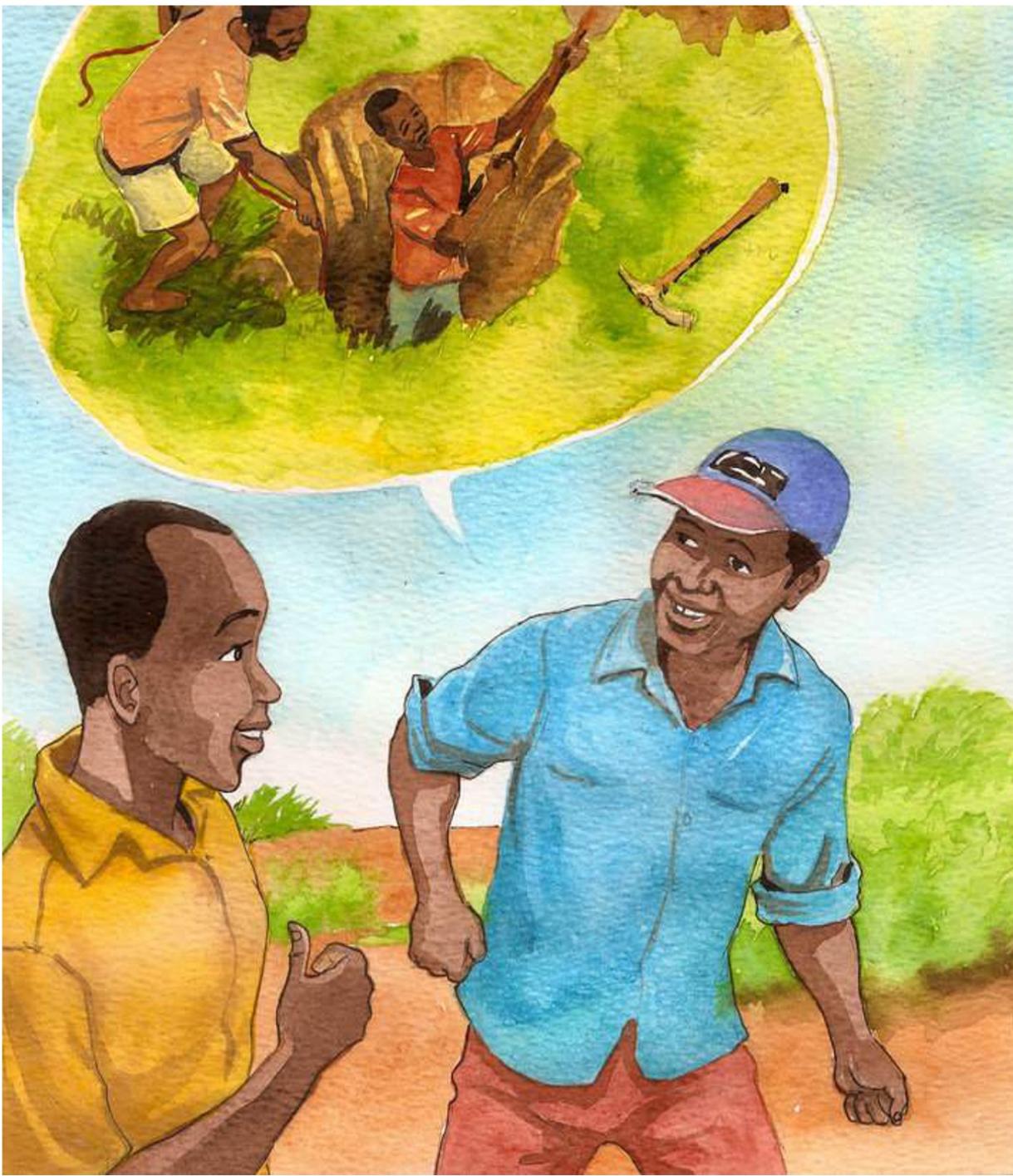
Eight-year-old Juma,  
sitting on atree trunk  
shouted, I can help with  
cleaning up.





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

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

