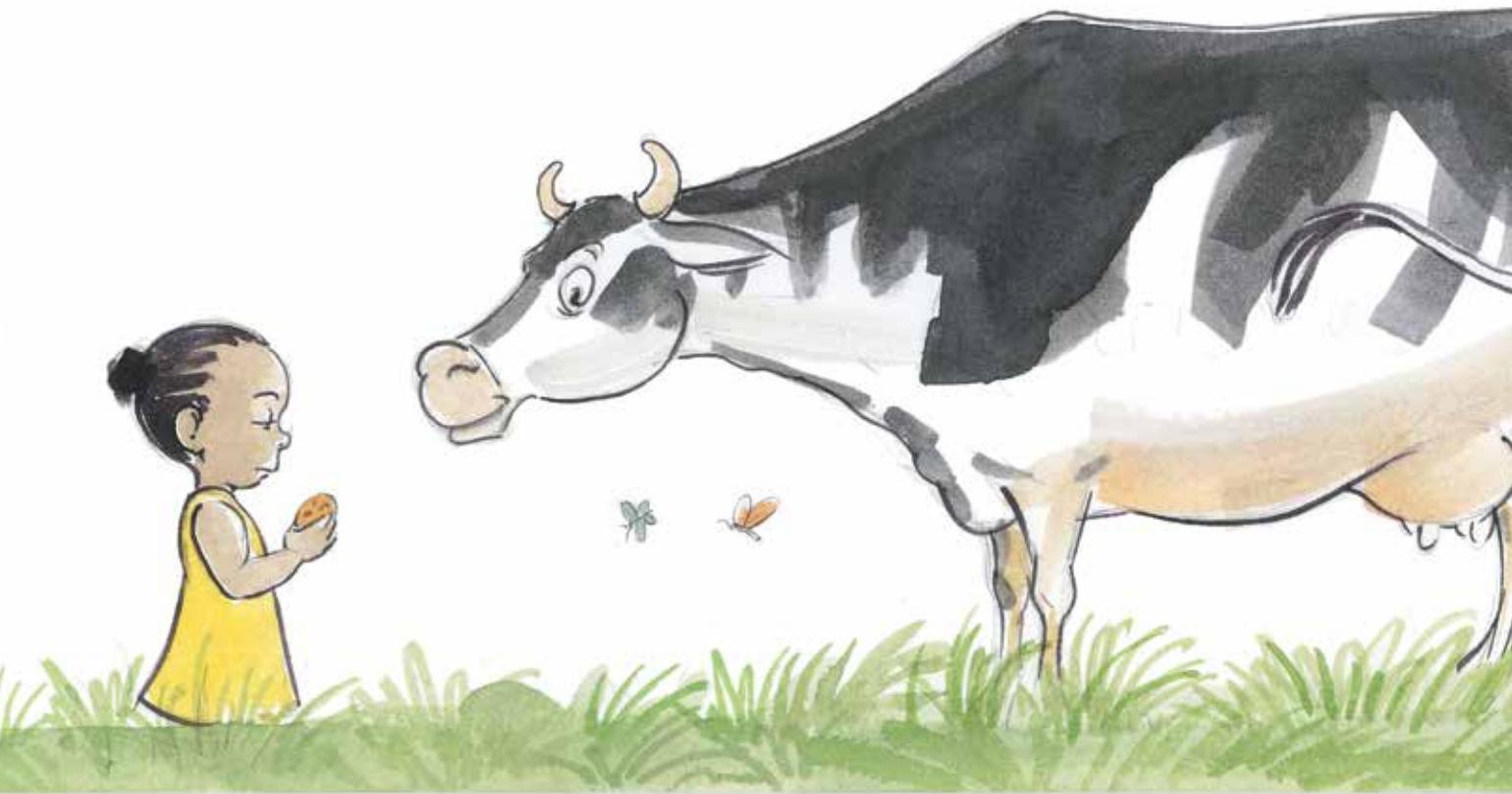


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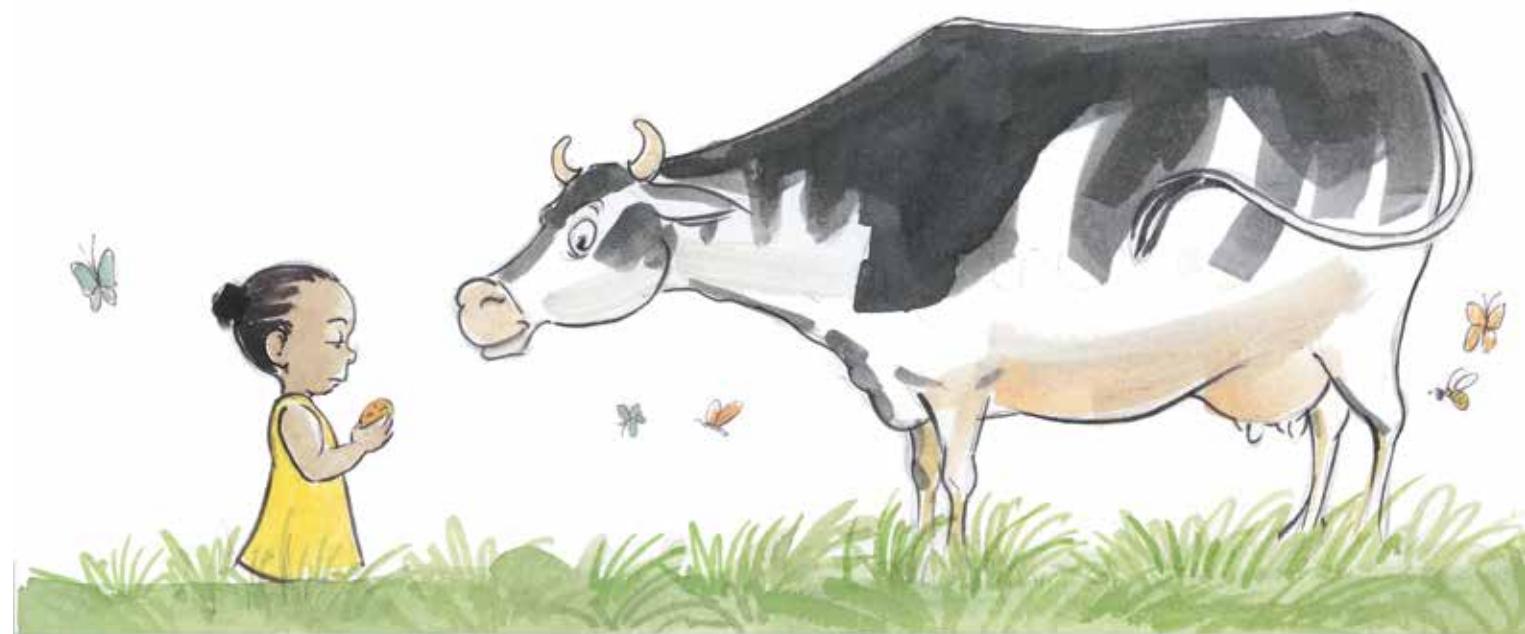
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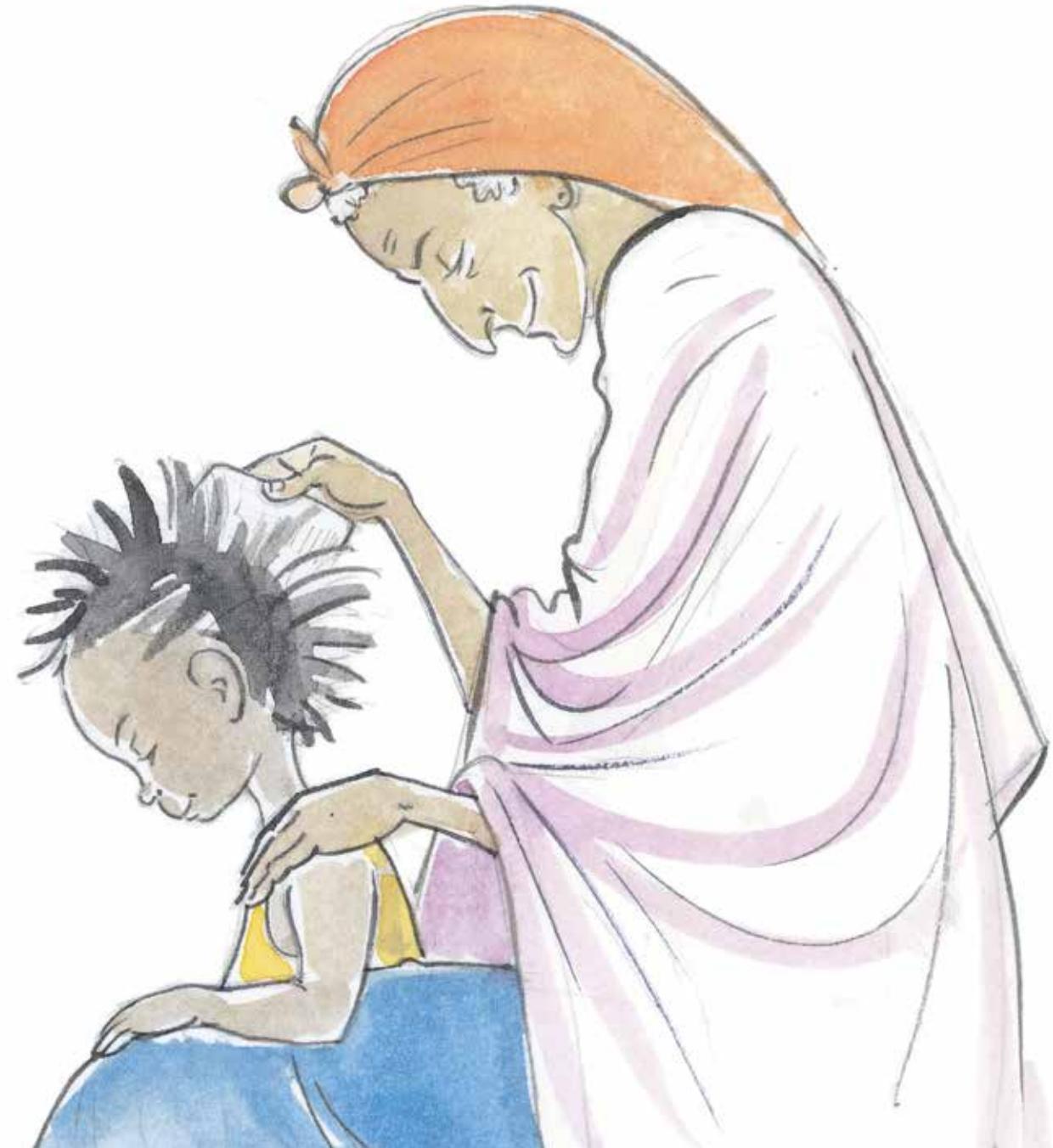
UThuli uhlala noninakhulu kanye
nenkomazi yakubo, uKhethiwe, esigodini
sasemakhaya.

Abazali bakhe basebenza edolobheni
elikhulu.



Njalo ekuseni ugogo kaThuli umvusa
kusempondozankomo ukuyobuka ilanga
liphuma.

Uma ilanga seliphezulu esibhakabhakeni,
uGogo ugeza uThuli. Uxubha amazinyo
kaThuli, amhlambe ubuso aphinde
ambhulashe nezinwele zakhe.





Lapho uThuli esemuhle, esehlangezile,
uGogo umnikeza idokwe. UThuli
uyazifela ngedokwe. Kodwa uthanda ubisi
kakhudlwana, ngoba luphuma enkomazini
yakwabo, uKhethiwe.

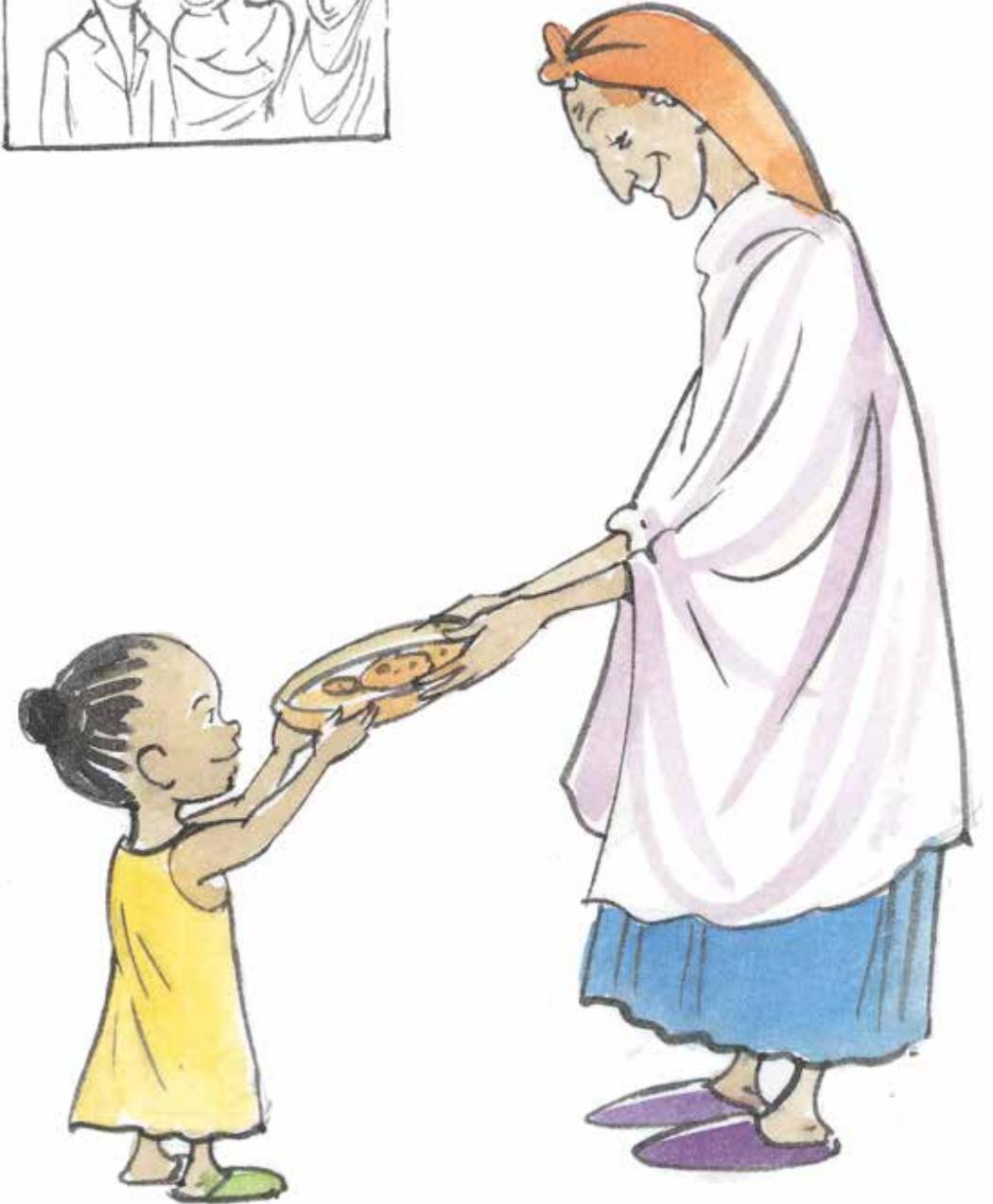
Ubisi lusha futhi lunotho ngokhilimu.



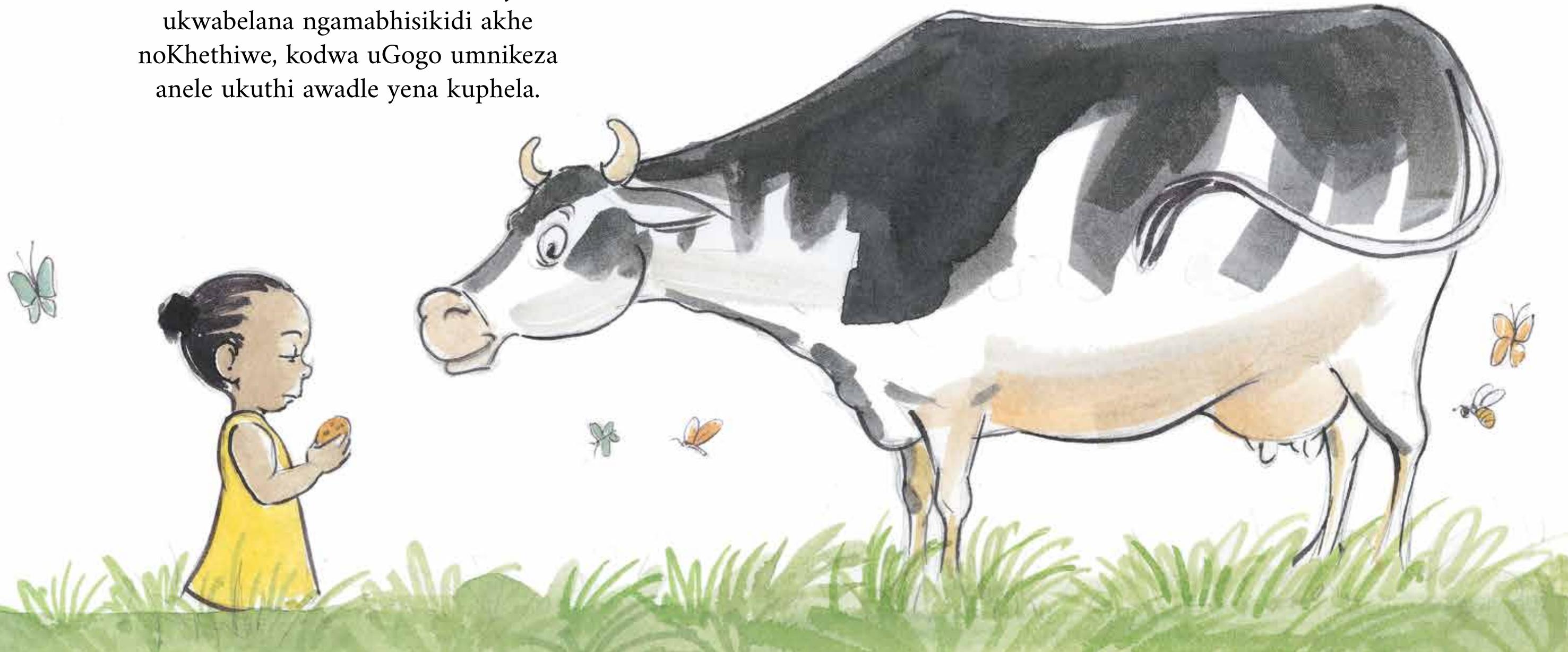
Ngemuva kokudla, uThuli noGogo bahlala
phansi kwesihlahla bese uGogo exoxela
uThuli izindaba.

Uma izindaba seziphelile, uGogo unikeza
uThuli amabhisikidi ambalwa kanye
nengilazi yobisi olusha olusakhilimu.

Abazali bakaThuli bafika namabhisikidi
uma bezovakasha – amabhisikidi
anoshokoledi. UThuli uwakhonze kabi.



UKhethiwe ubuka uThuli njalo lapho edla amabhisikidi akhe. UThuli uyafisa ukwabelana ngamabhisikidi akhe noKhethiwe, kodwa uGogo umnikeza anele ukuthi awadle yena kuphela.

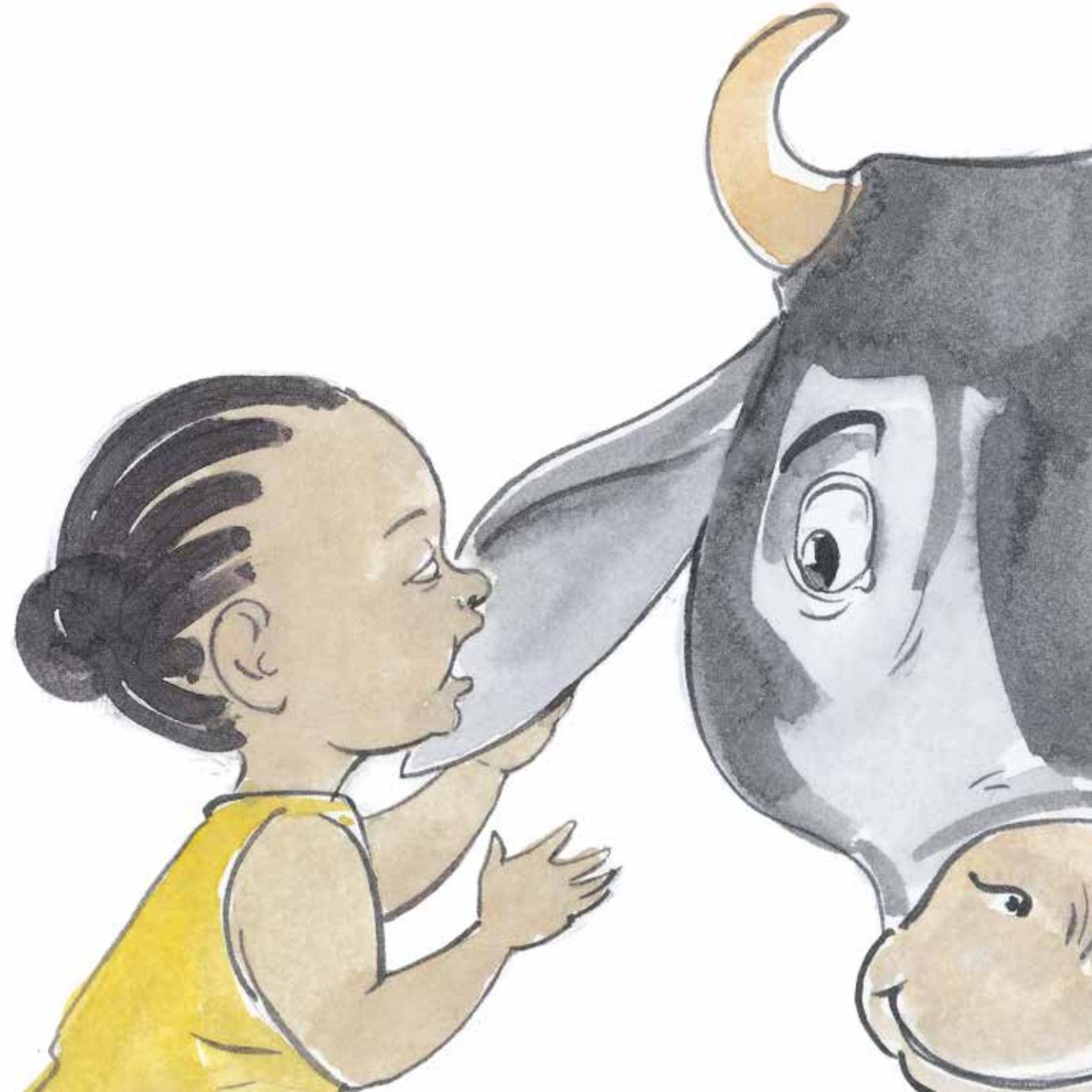


Ngolunye usuku emva kokulalela izindaba, uThuli ulandela uGogo uya endlini, uhamba ngamanzonzwane ukuze uGogo angamuzwa.

UThuli ubona uGogo ekhipha amabhisikidi ambalwa kuhhavini.



Uyagijima aphumele ngaphandle atshele
uKhethiwe ukuthi maduze nje uzobe
enamabhisikidi azokwabelana ngawo naye.





Makhathaleni ntambama, uGogo noThuli bathatha isithongwana. Emva kwalokho bavuka babuke ilanga seliyoshona.



Lathi uma selishonile ilanga, uThuli
wanyelela waqonda ekhishini.

Uvula uhhavini athathele uKhethiwe
amabhisikidi ambalwa.



UKhethiwe ukhotha uThuli ngesikhathi emnikeza
amabhisikidi. UKhethiwe wamoyizela. UThuli
wamoyizela.

“Yimfihlo yethu encane le,”
kusho uThuli.



