

Odiyifo Yona Nhoma

Yona Guan AWURADE

¹ AWURADE aSEM baa Amitai babarima Yona nkyEN se,
² “KƆ kuropon Ninewe mu na kƆka aSEmpa no tia wƆn,
efise wƆn atirimɔdenseM aforo abedu m’anim.”

³ Nanso Yona guan fii AWURADE anim na ɔde n’ani
kyerEE Tarsis. ƆkƆƆ Yopa, na okonyaa hyEN wƆ hƆ a
na ErekƆ Tarsis. Otuaa ka kƆtenaa hyEN no mu, sE ɔrefi
AWURADE anim akƆ Tarsis.

⁴ Nanso AWURADE maa mframa kESE bi bƆƆ wƆ po
no so; Emaa ahum tui a, anka hyEN no rebebo. ⁵ HyEN
no mufo no nyinaa suroe, na obiara su frEE ne nyame.
WƆtotoo aguade a EwƆ hyEN no mu guguu po no mu
sEnea hyEN no mu beyE hare.

Nanso na Yona akɔhyE hyEN no ase baabi ada hatee.
⁶ Na hyEN no so panyin no kƆƆ ne nkyEN kƆkae se, “AdEN
na woada? Sɔre na frE wo nyame! Ebia, obehu yEN
mmɔbo, na yEanwuwu.”

⁷ Afei hyEN no mufo no keka kyerEE wƆn ho wƆn ho se,
“Momma yEMMƆ ntonto nhwehwe nea saa amanehunu
yi nam ne so aba.” WƆbƆƆ ntonto no na EboƆ Yona. ⁸ Enti
wobisaa no se, “KyerE yEN, hena na wama saa ɔhaw yi
nyinaa aba? Adwuma bEN na woyE? Ehe na wufi? Ɔman
bEN so na wufi? Ehefo ne wo nkurɔfo?”

⁹ Obuae se, “MeyE Hebrini, na mesom AWURADE, ɔsoro
NyankopƆn a, ɔboƆ po ne asase.”

¹⁰ Eyi bɔɔ wɔn hu, enti wobisaa Yona se, “Dɛn na woayɛ?” (Na wonim sɛ ɔreguan afi AWURADE nkyɛn, efisɛ na waka saa akyerɛ wɔn dedaw).

¹¹ Na ahum no kɔ so tu denneennen ara. Enti wobisaa no se, “Dɛn na yɛnyɛ wo a ɛbɛma ahum yi ano abrɛ ase ama yɛn?”

¹² Yona buaa wɔn se, “Momma me so ntow me nkyene po yi mu, na ano bedwo. Minim sɛ me nti na ahum kɛse yi retu wɔ mo so.”

¹³ Mmarima no yɛɛ nea wobetumi biara sɛ wɔbɛhare hyɛn no akɔ mpoano. Nanso, wɔantumi, esiane sɛ na po no so ahum no ano ayɛ den asen kan no. ¹⁴ Afei wosu frɛɛ AWURADE se, “AWURADE yɛsrɛ wo mma yennwuwu sɛ yɛama ɔbarima yi ahwere ne nkwa nti. Mma yenni fɔ wɔ ɔbarima yi mogya ho, efisɛ, AWURADE wayɛ nea wopɛ.” ¹⁵ Afei, wɔmaa Yona so tow no kyenee po no mu, na po a na ehuru so no yɛɛ komm. ¹⁶ Eyi maa mmarima no suroo AWURADE pa ara na wɔbɔɔ afɔre maa AWURADE, na wɔhyɛɛ no bɔ.

Yona Mpaebɔ

¹⁷ Na AWURADE maa bonsu kɛse bi bɛmenee Yona, na Yona daa bonsu no yam nnansa, awia ne anadwo.

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¹ Yona wɔ apataa no yam no, ɔbɔɔ AWURADE ne Nyankopɔn mpae se,

² “M’ahohia mu mefrɛɛ AWURADE,
na ogyee me so.

Mifi ɔda ase tɔnn srɛɛ mmoa
na wutiee me sufrɛ.

³ Wotow me kyenee bun mu
wɔ po ase tɔnn,
na ɔhweam twaa me ho hyiae;
w’asorɔkye ne mframa

bu faa me so.

⁴ Na mekae se, ‘Woapam me afi w’anim;
nanso mede m’ani bekyere

w’asoredan kronkron no bio’

⁵ Nsu a abu afa me so no bɔɔ me hu,
bun no twaa me ho hyiae;

po mu nwura kyekyeree me ti ho.

⁶ Memem kɔɔ mmepɔw no ase pɛɛ;
asase ase kaa me hyɛɛ mu afebɔɔ.

Nanso wugyee me nkwa fii amoa mu,
AWURADE, me Nyankopɔn.

⁷ “Bere a me nkwa resen akɔ no,
mekae wo AWURADE,
na me mpaebɔ foro baa wo nkyɛn,
wɔ w’asoredan kronkron no mu.

⁸ “Wɔn a wɔde wɔn ho bata ahoni huhuw ho no
hwere adom a anka eyɛ wɔn de.

⁹ Nanso me, mede ayeyi nnwom
bebɔ afɔre ama wo.

Nea mahyɛ ho bɔ no, mɛyɛ.
Nkwagyɛ fi AWURADE.”

¹⁰ Na afei, AWURADE hyɛɛ apataa no ma ɔfee Yona too
asase so.

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Yona Kɔ Ninewe

¹ Afei, AWURADE asɛm baa Yona nkyɛn ne mprenu so
se, ² “Kɔ Ninewe kuropɔn no mu, na kɔpae mu ka asɛm a
mede rema wo yi.”

³ Yona yɛɛ osetie maa AWURADE asɛm no, na ɔkɔɔ
Ninewe. Na Ninewe yɛ kuropɔn titiriw a wɔde nnansa na
etwa mu nyinaa. ⁴ Da a edi kan no, Yona hyɛn kuropɔn
no mu, na ofii ase pae mu kae se, “Aka adaduanan na

wɔadan Ninewe abutuw.” ⁵ Ninewefo gyee Nyankopɔn dii. Wɔhyɛ sɛ wɔn nyinaa bedi mmuada, efi ɔkɛse so kosi aketewa so, na wɔafurafura atweaatam.

⁶ Bere a Ninewehene tee asɛm no, ɔsɔre fii n’ahengua so, ɔworɔw n’ahentade, ofuraa atweaatam, na ɔtenaa mfutuma mu. ⁷ Afei, ɔma wɔbɔɔ dawuru wɔ Ninewe se,

“Mmara a wofi ɔhene ne n’atitiriw hɔ ni:

“Obiara, sɛ ɔyɛ onipa anaa aboa, anantwikuw anaa nguankuw, mmfa hwee nka n’ano; onnnidi anaa ɔnnom. ⁸ Na mmom nnipa ne mmoa mfa atweaatam nkata wɔn ho. Obiara mfa anibere nsu mfrɛ Onyankopɔn. Womfi wɔn akwammɔne so, na wonnyae basabasayɛ. ⁹ Hena na onim? Ebia, Onyankopɔn behu yɛn mmɔbɔ, na watwe n’abufuwhyew no a ɔnam so rebɛsɛe yɛn no asan.” ¹⁰ Na Onyankopɔn huu sɛnea wɔyɛɛ ne sɛnea wɔsan fii wɔn akwammɔne ho no, ohuu wɔn mmɔbɔ, na wansɛɛ wɔn sɛnea ɔkae no.

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Yona Abufuw Wɔ AWURADE Ahummɔbɔ Ho

¹ Nanso na eyi yɛ mfomso kɛse ma Yona, na ne bo fuwii. ² ɔbɔɔ AWURADE mpae se, “AWURADE, bere a na mewɔ fie no, ɛnyɛ sɛɛ na mekae? Eyi nti na meperee sɛ miguan akɔ Tarsis no, efisɛ na minim sɛ, woyɛ ɔdomfo ne mmɔborɔhunu Nyankopɔn a wo bo kyɛ fuw, na wo dɔ boro so. Woyɛ Onyankopɔn a ɔtwentwɛn n’anan ase wɔ bɔne amanehunu ho. ³ Afei, AWURADE! Gye me nkwa fi me nsɛm. Eye ma me sɛ mewu sen sɛ mɛtena ase.”

⁴ Na AWURADE buae se, “Eye sɛ wo bo fuw wɔ saa asɛm yi ho ana?”

⁵ Na Yona kɔɔ kuropɔn no apuei fam baabi kɔtenaa hɔ. ɔbɔɔ pata tenaa ne nwini no mu, twɛn nea ɛbɛba kuropɔn no so. ⁶ Na AWURADE Nyankopɔn maa dua bi a ɛwɔ nhaban pii nyin ntɛmntɛm wɔ n’atifi na ɛmaa Yona

nyaa ahotɔ, na n'ani gyee dua no ho. ⁷ Nanso ahemadakye no, Onyankopɔn maa ɔsa bɛwee dua no maa nhaban no poe. ⁸ Owia puei no, Onyankopɔn maa apuei mframa bi a mu yɛ hyew bɔɛ, na owia hyee Yona apampam ma ɔtɔɔ beraw. Ɔpɛɛ sɛ owu, na ɔkae se, “Eye ma me sɛ miwu sen sɛ metena ase.”

⁹ Onyankopɔn bisaa Yona se, “Eye sɛ wofa abufuw wɔ dua no ho ana?”

Yona buae se, “Yiw, me bo afuw, na sɛ miwu a anka mepɛ.”

¹⁰ Na AWURADE kae se, “Dua yi ho asɛm ahaw wo, nanso woanni ho dwuma biara, na ɛnyɛ wo na woma enyinii. Efifii ntɛmntɛm na ewuu ntɛmntɛm. ¹¹ Nanso nnipa mpem ɔha ne aduonu wɔ Ninewe a wonnim wɔn benkum ne wɔn nifa. Na mmoa bebree nso wɔ hɔ. ɛnsɛ sɛ mema Ninewe kuropɔn yi ho asɛm haw me ana?”

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