
Arumọrụ Kwunkwugha n’Abụ Ọdinala Ẹzaa

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Ebumnuche nchọcha a bu ichọputa ma kowaa oru di iche iche kwunkwugha na nkwughari okwu na-arụ n’abụ ọdinala Ẹzaa na uzọ oru ndi ahụ si emetuta echiche nkiti na echiche nsina n’abụ ndi ahụ. A gbasoro atutu njirime/echiche nsinonodu na usoro ndacha okwu were tuchaa ufodu abụ ọdinala Ẹzaa di ka abụ ikpe, abụ ekwerekwe na ndi ozọ. Nchọcha a chọputara na ndi Ẹzaa na-eji kwunkwugha di ka mgbamonwe nka okwu nye abụ ha ma site n’uzọ ndi ahụ mee ka nkwenye agburu, agwa nñomi, atutu izugbe, ndiniwu, ejirimara, ekpe na mgbasa omenala ha wee puta ihe. Otutu mgbe abụ ndi Ẹzaa na-enwe ngwako asusu na/ma o bu mmafenye asusu nke gosiri na a na-enwe mgbanwe n’abụ ndi ahụ ka ha na-esi n’aka otu ogbo banye n’ozọ. A chọputakwara na abụ ọdinala Ẹzaa na-eji kwunkwugha eziputa udid echiche di iche iche nye ihe a na-ekwu maka ya na onodu a no kwuo ya. A tuchara oru ndi ahụ site na ileba anya n’oka okwu ndi e ji wube abụ ndi ahụ sitekwa n’uzọ ahụ mee ka omume na nkwenye ndi Ẹzaa buru ndi a na-sopuru.

Okpurukpu okwu: kwunkwugha, abụ, ọdinala, Ẹzaa

Mkpolite

Asusu Igbo dika otu n’ime asusu a maa ama na mba uwa okachasi na mba Afriika kwesiri ka e chekwaba ma kwalite ya (Nweze, I. M., Nwaoke, E. E. & Ikegwonu, C. N. 2019). A ga-eme nke a site

n'ịtucha ihe dị iche iche banyere asụsụ Igbo na olu ndị ya dị iche iche. Ọtụtụ ndị odee abụ na-eji ụzọ aghugho ekwu ihe ha choro ikwu ma o bu jiri otu ụzọ ma o bu ozọ ziputa ihe ha choro ka oha na eze mata. Otu ụzọ ha si enweta ebumnuche ahụ bu site n'iji ahiri kwunkwugha. Asụsụ bu ngwa bara oke uru nye otutu ihe mmadu na-eme. O bu nke a mere nchekwaba na nkwalite asụsụ obula ji di oke mkpa.

A bja n'amumamu usoro okwu na amumamu echiche, a na-ahuta kwunkwugha di ka adighi ike odee ma o bu nke okwu. Kwunkwugha di ka alaka amumamu echiche bu nkughari e kwughari mkpuru okwu ma o bu ndoko di iche iche ndi na-eziputa otu echiche n'ime otu ahiri okwu. otutu ndi odee kwenyere na e nweghi ndiche di n'etiti kwunkwugha (tautology), nkughari (repetition) na nhazighari (paraphrase) mana nke bu ezi okwu bu na kwukwugha na-aruga aka nye ndoko nwere mkpuru okwu abuo ma o bu kari ndi na-eziputa otu echiche ebe nkughari na-aruga aka nye mkpopta ma o bu odide a na-edede otu mkpuru okwu ugboro ugboro. Nhazighari n'aka nke ozọ bu nke e ji akowa onodu ebe agbanwere mkpuru okwu ma o bu ndoko ogbara okwu iji ziputa otu echiche ma o bu mee ka ihe a na-ekwu maka ya doo anya nke oma. Abụ bu okwu ma o bu ederede nke nwere ohere puru iche maka nho okwu, uda ndakorita na atu.

Okafo na Ewelukwa (2012) hutara abụ di ka otu ngalaba agumagu odinaala nke na-aputa ihe n'udi ederede ma o bu n'udi okwu onu. Snead (1998) kwenyere na ndi mmadu na-ege abụ ma o bu egwu di iche iche iji site n'echiche ma o bu ozi abụ ahụ na-ezi nweta ahụ uto, gosi ihunanya; si etu ahụ nyere ndi ozọ aka, sonyere ndi na-eru uju ma mekwa ka nkwenye ndi mmadu puta ihe ma kwusie ike. A na-esite n'atumatu okwu di iche iche di ka mburu, myiri, mbiambiamgbochi, egbe okwu, nsinuda na atumatu okwu ndi ozọ eziputa ebumnuche abụ. Echiche niile atumatu okwu ndi a

na-enye na-agbakwasị ụkwụ nye nhurunuche nke na-arutụ aka nye ebumnuche okpọ abu.

A bịa n'amumamu agumagu Igbo, e nwere ụzọ abu abuo: abu odinaala na nke ederede/ugbu a. Abu odinaala bu bu udi abu ndi ahụ e ji onu agu ka egwu. Udi abu a bu nke a na-echekwaba site na isi n'otu ogbo nyefe ya ogbo ozo. Abu ederede (ugbu a) bu nke a na-edede n'ihe ogugu di iche iche di ka akwukwo ma site n'uzo ndi ahụ chekwaba ha.

Waldoff (2001) dere na o bu ezi okwu na mgbe o bua a kporo kwunkwugha aha, ihe na-agbata ndi mmadu n'uche bu nkwughari e kwughariri otu mkpuru okwu; o di mkpa ka a mata na kwunkwugha na myinabo ma o bu nkwughari/nsughari abughi otu. Wierzbicka (1991) mere ka a mara na ahiri nwere kwunkwugha anaghi enwe ezi echiche nke e ji ekwu na o bu ezi okwu ma o bu asi. O gara n'ihu kwuo na e nwere otutu uzọ kwunkwugha si aputa ihe n'asusu di iche iche. Ebumnuche izugbe nchocha a bu ichoputa na ikowa oru di iche iche kwunkwugha na-aru n'abu odinala Ezaa ma uzọ oru ndi ahụ si emetuta echiche nkiti na echiche nsina n'abu odinala Ezaa.

Usoro nchocha

Udi nchocha e mere bu nke ndizima. Ochocha bu nwa ama ala Ezaa, burukwa onye mara olu ndi Ezaa nke oma; o gara ala Ezaa gbaa ajuju onu ma nweta njatule e ji mee nchocha a. Njatule ndi ahụ bu abu odinaala Ezaa ndi bu abu ekwerekwe, abu ikpe, abu ndumodu, na ndi ozo.

Kwunkwugha

Ndimele (1997) kowara kwunkwugha di ka ndapu asusu ndinoru ebe ogbara okwu di n'ahiri anaghi enwe ntunye oke nye echiche ahiri ahụ na-eziputa. Traugott (1980) hutara kwunkwugha di ka

ahiri okwu bu asi nke na anaghi egosi amamihe ga-eme ka a huta ya na o bu ezi okwu n'ihu na o na-akowa onwe ya di ka ezi okwu. O gara n'ihu kwuo na mkpuru okwu ndi ahụ e kwughariri abaghi uru n'abu.

O kwukwara na kwunkwugha di ka alaka amumamu echiche na-ebute nsogbu n'ihu na ha anaghi eweta echiche ohu. Keach (2004) n'aka nke ya kwenyere na mgbe e ji otutu mkpuru okwu ziputa otu echiche n'ahiri okwu ma o bu abu, ihe o putara bu na echiche mkpuru okwu ndi ahụ na-eziputa karihi echiche nkiti ha. Echiche mkpuru okwu e kwughariri ekwughari na n'abu abughi nke a ga-asi na o naghị enwe ire kama o bu nke na-eme ka echiche mkpuru okwu ahụ buru nke a gbatiri agbatị ihu na ebumnuche okwu putara ihe. Site na nke a o doro anya na kwunkwugha na-aputa ihe mgbe nhazi mkpuru okwu putara ihe n'udidi ma o bu n'ebe o kwesighi ma site n'otu aka ahụ rupu isi n'iwu na-achi usoro okwu na nnweta echiche n'asusu ahụ.

Moore (2001) kwenyere na kwunkwugha bu ochichi ma o bu nkwaru a na-ahuta mgbe e kwughariri nkebi ahiri okwu. Nkwa ya mere echiche kwunkwugha ji gbachie anya n'ihu na o meghe ka mata ma o bu banyere mkpuru okwu ka o bu echiche. Okwa okwu ato kwadoro ya site na nkwa ha nyere: Concise Oxford Dictionary (2011) kwuru na kwunkwugha bu nkughari enweghi isi nke a na-ahuta mgbe e ji otutu mkpuru okwu nwere otu echiche were kwugharia otu ihe n'ime otu nkwaputa. Merriam-Webster's Dictionary of Synonyms (1984) hutara ya di ka nkughari abaghi uru nke e ji otutu mkpuru okwu were kwuo banyere otu ihe. Oxford Dictionary of English (2010) kwara kwunkwugha di ka isi uzọ abuo ma o bu karia ziputa otu echiche banyere otu ihe nke a hutara na o dabaghi n'aka nka asusu. Kwunkwugha anaghi aputa ihe naani na mkpuru okwu. A na-eji ya eziputa echiche di mkpa na mkpuru okwu nakwa ogbara okwu di iche iche. Nke a mere Gibbs

(1994) jiri kwuo na kwunkwugha na-ekwuputa n'uju ihe e kwuru na mbu n'ogbara okwu di iche iche. Nkwa ya wetara myiri n'etiti kwunkwugha na nkwughari.

Waldoff (2001) kwenyere na o bu ezi okwu na a na-ahuta kwunkwugha di ka nkwughari a na-ekwughari otu mkpuru okwu n'ime otu ahiri okwu mana na o di mkpa na a ghotara na *nkuzi mgbamejije - replication* na oyiri ha na-eziputa n'ahiri okwu abughi otu ya na nkwughari mgbe otutu okwu nwere otu echiche di n'ime ahiri okwu. Keach (2004) kwenye na o bu onodu a mere kwunkwugha ji eweli ike abu elu. O kwuru na mgbe o bua otutu mkpuru okwu nwere otu echiche putara ihe n'ahiri okwu ma o bu n'abu, ihe o putara bu na echiche ha na-eziputa karihi echiche nkiti ha.

Meibauer (2008) dere na a bia n'amumamu asusu, a n-esite n'onodu a no kwuo okwu ma ebe a no kwuo ya huta kwunkwugha di ka ahiri okwu nke echiche ya bu ezi okwu. O dere na omuma atu kwunkwugha n'amumamu asusu bu " agha bu agha", nke echiche ya bu ezi okwu n'onodu niile mana a bia n'onodu amumamu *akpu okwu e ji aka o dighi -propositional calculus*, o gaghizi enwe kwunkwugha. Nkwenye ya mere kwunkwugha jiri buru ihe kwesiri itucha site n'ileba anya nke oma n'onodu ebe a no kwuo okwu. Leech (1969) n'aka nke ya hutara kwunkwugha di ka ihe na-anaghi ekwu ihe o bua gbasara uwa na asusu. Ward na Hirschberg (1991) kwenyere na e kwesiri iwube atutu putara ihe a ga-eji atucha abaghi uru mkpuru okwu n'ogbara okwu di iche iche.

Pomorska (1987) hutara kwunkwugha di ka nkwughari a na-ekwughari otu mkpuru okwu nke na-eziputa otu echiche. O kwukwara na kwunkwugha na-eziputa echiche okwu e kwuru na mbu nke a choror ka echiche ya guzosie ike. States (2000) dere na nkwenye banyere kwunkwugha bu nke e kwesiri ileba anya site na

imata ihe anyị hụgara dị ka myiri na ndịiche, mpekere na ogbe. O gara n'ihu kwuo na ọ buru na anyị emeghi nke a, e nwekwara ike ihuta uwa a niile dị ka kwunkwugha.

Abụ ọdịnaala

Nze na Imo (2010) kọwara abụ dị ka nzimozị nke si n'obi pụta nke e nwere ike ide n'akwukwọ ma ọ bu ziputa n'onye; nke a na-eji okwu okpoka ma ọ bu okwu a piri aka ma ọ bu nke okwu bu igba ziputa n'uzo di nke nke. Ha kwenyere na a na-akpi okwu akpi mgbe a na-edo abụ ugbu a. Olajubu (1981) dere na a na-ahutazi abụ ọdịnaala di ka abụ zuru oke. Abụ ọdịnaala nwere nka mma na agwara niile asusu na-enwe n'ihia na ndina na nhazi ha niile bu udi a na-ahuta n'abụ ugbu a. Bamikunle (1985) na aka nke ya kwenyere na ọ di mkpa na anyi tuchara abụ ọdịnaala anyi n'ihia na ọ bu uzo di etu a ka anyi ga-esi mee ka nkojo na nneni ndi ochaa kojoro/nenie abụ ọdịnaala anyi daa mba. Finnegan (1992) hutara abụ ọdịnaala di ka nke a na-enyefe site na okwu onye; anaghi enyefe ya site n'ederede di ka ọ di na abụ ugbu a. O gara n'ihu mee ka a mata na nnyefe, mwube na ngosi abụ ọdịnaala bu ndi a na-eme site n'okwu onye.

Tupu abụ ọdịnaala Ẹzaa adi, a ga-enweriri onye ma ọ bu ndi dere ma ọ bu wube abụ ndi ahụ, ndi e siri n'aka ha hazie, gosi ma nyefe ha n'aka obodo. Ugbu a, abụ ndi ahụ enweghi onye/ndi a mara wubere ha, ebe a no wube ha ma ọ bu mgbe e wubere ha kpom kwem. Ka ubochi na-aga, a na-esi n'otu ogbo nyefe ha n'aka ogbo ozo; a na-enwekwa mgbanwe na ha site na ntinye ma ọ bu mwepu otu ihe ma obu ozo. Sotunsa (2002) kwuru na ọ bu onodu a mere e ji ahuta ha di ka nke oha obodo. Ndi wubere ha na-enweta ngwa ha ji wube ha site n'ewumewu ọdịnaala/omenala obodo di ka ilu, akuko, akpala okwu, ukabuilu na ndi ozo. O bu ya mere ndi ochocha di iche iche ji ahuta abụ ọdịnaala di ka nke ha obodo ma

chefuo na ndị okaa na ndị ozo a ma ama di ka Mike Ejagha, Chinua Achebe, Wole Soyinka, Amos Tutuola, Ngugi Wa Thiog'o na ndị ozo ejirila ilu, ukabuilu, uru okwu na ewumewu asusu mba ala Afriika dee ihe ndi e ji anu aha ha mana ndi okpo abu odinaala enweghi ebe e deturu nke ha edetu n'ihu ya o nweghi onye na-anu aha ha kama o bu aha obodo ha ka a na-anu. Sotunsa (2002) kwuru na otutu mmadu ahazigharila abu odinaala site na idetu ya edetu na igosi ya egosi. O gara n'ihu kwukwa na abu ederede ndi ahụ bu ndi a na-egosi n'oha di ka egwu odinaala n'ihu na a na-etinye ha agwara odinaala ha. Ojaide (1995) choputara uzu mgbanwe abuo putara ihe na abu odinaala; kwunkwugha na egwu nkwa. O kwuru na a na-enwe ngwakọ asusu, mmafenye asusu na ngwa nkowa echiche nsinauda n'abu ederede ndi mba Afriika.

Arumoru kwunkwugha n'abu odinala Ezaa

Nchocha a gbasoro atutu njirime (echiche nsinonodu) Wittgenstein (1953) wubere na usoro nkwasị ya na ndacha okwu nke Leech (1969) wubere. Atutu njirime (echiche nsinonodu) na-ekwu na a na-aghota mkpuru okwu ma o bu ogbara okwu o bu site n'etu ndi obodo nwe asusu si were okwu ahụ na-arụ oru ma o bu etu ha si e ji ha ezikorita ozi. Atutu a bara uru na nchocha n'ihu na nchocha a tuchara abu odinala Ezaa di iche iche ma gosiputa udidi ha na onodu ebe a na-ano akpo udi abu ndi ahụ na ihe ndi kapatara o ji di etu ahụ.

Usoro ndacha okwu n'aka nke ozo bakwara uru nke ya n'ihu na o na-ekwu na ihe gbasara mmekorita mmadu na ibe ya na omenala bu nke akuko ala nke na anaghi atukwasa uche n'iwu utu asusu kama o na-eziputa oke mmasi nye aka nka garala aga. Usoro a nwere mpaghara abuo: myimemetu na ndacha /ndahie. Myimemetu bu ndiko n'otu oge ma o bu n'uzo yiri na-emetughaghi emetuta ebe ndacha (ndahie) bu otutu aka nka nye etu

o si gbaso usoro asụsụ a na-ekwu maka ya, ma ọ dị ukwuu ma o di nta. Anyị kwadoro Simpson (2007) nke kwuru na usoro ndacha okwu bụ isi a huru kwaba okpu n'aka nka n'ihi na myimemetụ na ndacha na-enyere nhazi ekwumekwu na ederede asụsụ dị iche iche aka weputa nka na mma dị ha n'ime.

Usoro a gbasoro bụ nke nkọwa sị. A kọwa ra abụ ndị ahụ site na ileba anya n'ogo amụmamụ na mmebe asụsụ. Leech na Short (1981) ziputara ogo ano e si akọwa nka asụsụ; ha gunyere amụmamụ echiche, usoro okwu, amụmamụ mkpuru uda na amụmamụ odide. Leech (1969) dere na e nwere odidi ndacha dị iche iche a na-ahụta n'abụ; ha gunyere ndacha mkpuru okwu, ndacha echiche, ndacha mkpuru uda asụsụ, ndacha mmebe okwu, ndacha uto asụsụ, ndacha olu ndị, ndacha asụsụ njimaru, ndacha akuko na ndacha usoro odide. O kwuru na ụzọ ndacha itoolu ndị a anaghị aputa ihe n'abụ otu mgbe; kama otu ma ọ bụ karia na-aputa ihe n'otu abụ. Etu o sila dị, ndị ochocha tuchara abụ oḍinala Ezaa ole na ole na nchọcha a site na ikọwa sị ụdidi ha, ụdi onodu na-akpalite ha, kwunkwughā na nkweghari echiche ha, usoro okwu ha na ndacha a na-ahuta na ha.

Abụ A –

Bịagē bīagē

Bịagē bīagē bīagē jee l'eke

Ayē ayē ayē eee

Onye la-abia anyi a mara ulo ya

Ayē ayē ayē eee

Bịagē bīagē bīagē jee l'eke

Ayē ayē ayē eee

Onye la-abia choro anyi opfu e

Ayē ayē ayē eee

Bịagē bīagē bīagē jee l'eke

Ayē ayē ayē eee

Onye la-abia cho t'anyị hwu ya ihwu

Ayẹ ayẹ ayẹ eee
Bịagẹ bịagẹ bịagẹ jee l’eke
Ayẹ ayẹ ayẹ eee
Onye la-abịa anyị ereta ya nre e
Ayẹ ayẹ ayẹ eee
Bịagẹ bịagẹ bịagẹ jee l’eke
Ayẹ ayẹ ayẹ eee
Onye l’eku ehubadu mma oku
Ayẹ ayẹ ayẹ eee
Bịagẹ bịagẹ bịagẹ jee l’eke
Ayẹ ayẹ ayẹ eee
Mini onye la-añu be ehu ya le-eme go ya
Ayẹ ayẹ ayẹ eee
Bịagẹ bịagẹ bịagẹ jee l’eke
Ayẹ ayẹ ayẹ eee

Abụ a bụ abụ oru e kwere ekwe. O bụ abụ oḍinala ụmụ nwaanyị Ezaa ji azacha ma na-ehocha ahịhịa n’okpuru ebe ha si ekute mmiri onunu n’oge mbụ. Abụ a na-akpọ ụmụ nwaanyị niile bi n’ogbe ka ha pụta bịa jiko aka ka e mee ebe ahụ ka o dị ocha. O mere ka a mara na aga-ada onye na-abịaghi nha. Kwunkwugha pụtara ihe nke oma n’otutu ahiri ebe a si *Bịagẹ bịagẹ bịagẹ... Mini onye la-añu be ehu ya le-eme go ya, etc.* O doru anya na o bụ ndi nwe okpuru na-elekota ya, mgbe a si onye o bula bịa ruo n’eke, nke bụ egbe okwu n’ihi na o nweghi ka a ga-esi si mmadu niile bi n’ala Ezaa ruo n’Onueke puta bịa dowe otu okpuru ocha. *Onye la-abịa anyị a mara ụlọ ya* na *Onye la-abịa chọ t’anyị hwu ya ihwu* bụ akpala okwu nke na-ekwu na a ga-ada onye na abịaghi nha; e kwughariri ha n’echiche agba ala ha mgbe a si *Onye la-abịa anyị ereta ya nre e*. Echiche abụ a doru onya, usoro okwu e ji kpọ abụ a na mbụ na nke e ji dee ya ugbo a gbasoro uto asusu Ezaa. E nweghi ndacha pụtara ihe n’ihi na ahiri niile nwere myimemetu;

ekwerekwe ya *aye aye aye eee* enweghi echiche pụrụ iche ọ na-ezipụta mana o nyere aka mee ka o nwee ndakorịta na ndanusoro. E nwekwara ngwagwo asusu n'abụ a, ọ pụtara ihe na *idotị* pụtara *dirty* n'asusu Bekee.

Abụ b –

Dọla notu

A tūrūta m dọla notu

Ngwanụ

A tūrūta m dọla notu

Ngwanụ

Onye riru ihwe m gbabere m

Ngwanụ

Onye ono a buru nwoke nwanyi lanu

Ngwanụ

Onye ono a buru udele tufuru l'etsu

Ngwanụ

Onye ono a buru nkashi bafu l'uba

Ngwanụ

Onye ono a buru echara tufu l'utu

Ngwanụ

Tujenu m dọla notu

Ngwanụ

O kwa m bu dọla notu

Ngwanụ

A tūrūtamu dọla notu

Ngwanụ

Onye riru ihwe m gbabere m

Ngwanụ

Onye ono a buru nwoke nwanyi lanu

Ngwanụ

Onye ono a buru udele tufuru l'etsu

Ngwanụ

Onye ono a buru nkashi bafu l'uba
Ngwanu

Abu a bu abu oru e kwere ekwe. O bu abu okpo abu ji ekwuputa obi sarasara ya. O kwuru na ya turutara akwukwo ego *dollar* ma gosikwa mmasi ya iji ya nyere ndi ozọ aka. O malitere mee ka a mata na onye o bu la ya nyere aka chorọ iji ihe ojo kwuo ya ugwo ga-abu onye ihe ga-esiri ike. O mere nke a site na ikwugheri echiche ahiri ahụ n'udi di iche iche ndi gunyere *Onye riru ihwe m gbaberu m, onye ono a buru nwoke nwanyi lanu, onye ono a buru udele tufuru l'etsu, onye ono a buru nkashi bafu l'uba, onye ono a buru echara tufu l'utu*. Nke a putara na onye ahụ ga-adi ka nwoke lulu nnani otu nwanyi (agu ga-egbu ya), onye ahụ ga-abu udele tukwuru ebe mposi (udele anaghi eri nsi- agu ga-egbu ya), onye ahụ ga-abu ede bara n'akwukwo ya mana o nweghi nke a ga-egwuru n'ala ma o bu achara tuo utu nke putara na o gaghi aba uru. Echiche abu a doru onya agabanyeghi na o kwuru otu ihe n'uzo di iche iche, usoro okwu e ji kpo abu a na mbu na nke e ji dee ya ugbu a gbasoro utu asusu Ezaa. E nweghi ndacha putara ihe n'ihia na ahiri niile nwere myimemetu; ekwerekwe ya *ngwanu* nyere abu ahụ ndakorita ma na-eziputa echiche nke na-ekwu ka a nwanu.

Abu Ch – Anu nwa Jaaki

Anu nwa jaaki e yita ghu iwhe

Hwacha gegedegen

Anu nwa jaaki e yita ghu iwhe

Hwacha gegedegen

O yitaru ukporo ekpa ego le ekpa ego ole o?

Hwacha gegedegen

O kwa ukporo ekpa ego le ekpa ego ise

Hwacha gegedegen

Vuta jiakpu ghu ree je apfua ugwo ya

Hwịacha gegedegen
O to hwudukwa
O hwudukwa mọ nwa ile ile
Whụ ya bụ ẹka gegedegen
Unwurukpo nwata ụrọbọ
Nọdụ ta a wuru ghụ ohwe
Nọdụ ta a naru ghụ unu
ẹka gwọrụ ghu eji
A kwọrụ ghu ẹka le mini ọkụ?
Hwịacha gegedegen

Abụ a bụ abụ ikpe. Abụ ikpe bụ abụ e ji akojọ a dighi mma/ike nke mmadu, onodu ma o bu obodo. Abụ a na-ekwu banyere umu nwaanyi aka oku ndi kama o ga-adoro n'ite ka o doro n'afọ. Echiche abụ a doro anya. O kojoro nwaanyi bitere ego na nzuko zo ahia anu jaaki nke isi ego ya, uru ma ihe ubi o korọ nara n'iyi n'ihina o nweghi ike ichedo nke o nwere si etu ahụ butere onwe ya na ezi n'ulo ya mkpari. Abụ kororo nwanyi ino ka di ya na-emere ya ihe niile di ka izutara ya ofe otite na nnu. O kwukara na nwanyi o bula no n'udi onodu a bu onye aka gworoaju. Ajuju nzara onwe putara ihe n'abu a: *O yitaru ukporo ekpa ego le ekpa ego ole o? A kworu ghụ ẹka le mini oku?* E nwekwara mmafenye asusu site n'asusu Igbo banye na Bekee n'abu a: *Unwurukpo nwa urubo (rubber)*. A gbasoro utọ asusu Ezaa kpo ma dee abụ a. E nweghi ndacha putara ihe n'ihina ahiri niile nwere myimemetu; ekwerekwe ya *Hwịacha gegedegen* na-eziputa na e nweghi ihe foro ma otu; o nyekwara abụ a ndakorita na ndanusoro bu igba.

Abụ D – Chinyere Ugo

Anyi jee l'upfu ukpa
Je a hwua Chinyere Ugo
Anyi jide Chinyere Ugo onye yeru ya ime o
O su le o papa ya bu onye yeru ya ime

Anyị je l'ịkpa ishi
Onye yejeru nwa ya ime?

Abụ a bụ abụ miri emi na-ezipụta ikpe nke nke. Abụ a na-akọwa na ime mkpuke bụ ihe ala Ẹzaa na-agbarurū ihu Igbo. Onye ọ bụla tūrurur ime mkpuke na-ezo onwe ya ezo n'ih ihere. Nke Chinyere Ugo gbachiri anya kari nke ibe n'ih na o kwuru na ọ bụ nna ya tūrur ya ime. N'ala Ẹzaa, ọ bụ ajo ihe ụmụ nwanne, nna na nwa ma ọ bụ nne na nwa inwe mmekọ nwoke na nwaanyi. Mgbe e nwere onodu di etu a ma ọ bụ ihe ọ bụla gbachiri anya nke ukwu n'ala Ẹzaa, a na-eje n'Okpokọ Ezekuna je juo ajuju banyere ụzo a ga-esi mee ka ọ di mma. Abụ a na-arū orū nduzi nye ụmụ Ẹzaa, ka ha mata na e nwere ebe a na-ajuta ajuju banyere omenala na odinala di iche iche n'ala Ẹzaa. Abụ a bụ ihe ido aka na nti diri ogbo ugbu a ndi na-akpa agwa ka nkita. E nwere okwu ndi e kwughariri n'abu a; ha gunyere *Chinyere Ugo* na *onye yeru ya ime*. E nwekwara ajuju nzara onwe n'ikpe azu ya ebe a juru *Onye yejeru nwa ya ime?* E nwekwara ngwakọ asusu Igbo na asusu Bekee n'abu a: *O su le o papa ya bu onye yeru ya ime*. Echiche abụ a doru onya n'ih na a kporo ya n'udi abu akuko, usoro okwu e ji kpo abu a na mbu na nke e ji dee ya ugbu a gbasoro utọ asusu Ẹzaa. E nweghi ndacha putara ihe n'ih na ahiri niile nwere myimemetu; o nweghi ekwerekwe mana o nwere ndakorita na ndanusoro di mma.

Abụ E – Ota anu

Onye ole gbahanuru m onu oba

Iye... iye ye yege iye

Eji nwonu oba gbaharu m onu oba

Iye... iye ye yege iye

O kwa ji m su te a gbaharu m onu oba

Iye... iye ye yege iye

Unwu nnaji ji m gbaharu m onu oba

Iye... iye ye yege iye

Temenu i taa anu rijiadanu ehwo
Iye.. iye ye yege iye
Idzu inya egu l'eme t'edzudu eka ya ndu nke m
Iye... iye ye yege iye
O gude ago eri nyata onye gude eka
Iye... iye ye yege iye
Onye ario kanuhwo onye oshi mma
Iye... iye ye yege iye
M ta ajikakwa anu egu taa nshi oku
Iye... iye ye yege iye
Onwutaru nwa le mgboko zukwa ya azu
Iye... iye ye yege iye
O buru le nsogbu ghu bu ahwa l'anu
Iye... iye ye yege iye
Jee te i ko nwa ereshi
Iye... iye ye yege iye
O buru le nsogbu ghu bu ukporo ahwa
Iye... iye ye yege iye
Jee te iwata adza mpfu
Iye... iye ye yege iye
O buru le nsogbu ghu kariru ukporo ahwa
Iye... iye ye yege iye
Je te i zua nwa azu
Iye... iye ye yege iye
Iyege iyege iye
Iye... iye ye yege iye
Iyege ige iye
Iye... iye ye yege iye

Abu a bu abu ndumodu; A bia n'ala Ezaa, o nwere omenala a na akpo *ima inya*. Onye o bu la mara inya ka a na-akpo *onye inya* nwunye ya a buru *idzu inya*. Oha na-asopuru onye o bu la mere nke

a, mgbe agba oñu biawara, o nwere otu nwanji di jere gote inyinnya maka omenala a, mana agụ na-egbu ha. Mgbe nwoke ahụ kpụ inyinnya ahụ bata, e nwere oñu puru iche e ji anabata onye mere ihe di etu ahụ:

*Gbee gara gara gara gara
Nweta nwishi le nwinya o*

Nwaanyi ahụ wee pụta tie mkpu gosiri na agụ na-anyu ha ikpakwu si:

*Gbee gara gara gara gara
Bee eri nri le ba akpo okpu uchi; enyanshi
bu akuku akuku*

Ihe idzu inya ahụ kwuru wutere umu nna di nke ukwu. Ha wee nye iwu ma gosi nwaanyi ahụ osisi ji abụ buru ibu n'oba di ya ka o si ebe ahụ na-ewere ji o ga na-eri. Onu mere nwaanyi ahụ ji were buo abụ a. Malite ubochi ahụ, ndi mmadu bia nwee mmasi n'izu umu ha kariya ihe ndi ozọ. Echiche abụ a doro onya agabanyeghi na ndacha echiche putara ihe na mmalite ya mana ka guru gbada, o malitere nwebe myimemetu. Okpukpo abụ a na odide ya gbasoro utọ asusu Ezaa. Ekwerekwe ya *Iye... iye ye yege iye* nyere abụ ahụ ndakorita na ndanusoro mana o nweghi echiche puru iche o na-eziputa.

4.0 Nchikọta na mmechi

Otu ihe kacha pụta ihe na nchocha bu na abụ odinala Ezaa na-eji uzọ aghughọ ezipuru oha na eze ozi; nke a mere ahiri abụ ndi ahụ ji enwe echiche nkiti na nke nsina. Abụ odinala Ezaa nwere ndi nwere ekwerekwe na ndi na enweghi. Ekwerekwe abụ odinala Ezaa nwere ndi nwere echiche nwee ndi na enweghi echiche mana ha niile na-enye abụ ndi ahụ ndakorita na ndanusoro. Atumatu okwu, kwunkwugha na nkweghari so na aka nka na nkamara e ji eziputa nkwenye agburu, agwa nñomi, atutu izugbe, ndiniwu,

ejirimara, ekpe na mgbasa omenala Ezaa. A hutara ngwako asusu na mmafenye asusu n'ufodu abụ ndị a; nke a na-egosi na a na-enwe mgbanwe, ntinye na mwepu n'abụ ndị ahụ. Nke a na-emetu nkwenye agburu ndi ozo ka ha si n'aka otu ogo banye n'aka ogo ozo. Nchocha kwenyekwara na

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