

d = 60

The musical score consists of four systems of music, each with two staves (treble and bass). The key signature is one flat, and the tempo is *d = 60*. The lyrics are provided in French and Kikuyu. The first system contains four stanzas of lyrics:

1. Ku - lu - la - ma k'o - be Mu - pa - shi,
 2. Mu - ka - lo - lo k'o - be ka - ki - le,
 3. A - tue ba - sa - ngu - di - bue bo - be,
 4. Ye - su, we ku - lu - la - ma kue - tu ;

The second system continues with lyrics:

Nku - pui - di - kie na kui - bu - wa ;
 We - mui - tu - pe na bia - bu - ntu ;
 Mui - lo - o - be wa ki - shi - la,
 Wa - ku - la' shi : « Ngi'a - mi a - fi - ki »

The third system continues with lyrics:

A - ko a - ku - mue - ka na ntu - mbo
 Tui na ki - no ki - shi - nka - mi - sho :
 Ta - kui ku - pi - shi - bua, su - nga - moo :
 Ka - ko - ngie, kee - ka - le na mu - loo

The fourth system concludes with lyrics:

Ya mu - bi mu - ku - ulue n'o - be.
 « Ku - mo - na ku'e - fu - ku dio - be ».
 E - fi - le mmui - tu - le - kie - le.
 Pa ku - mo - na Mu - kuu - di e - tu !