

Rilhuhuka ndatha

(DIADEMATA. S.M.D.)

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1. Ri-lhu - hu - ka nda - tha, E - wa Nya-mu-ha -
 2. Ni-ndi wa-sya - nza - ngya Nga - ba - bu - yi - ri -
 3. E-mbu - lhi yi - ri e - yo ; E - wa Nya-mu-ha -

nga, O - mo bi - ka-lhi byo lhwa-nzo, Mba -
 re Ri - thu - lha mu-bi - ri o - yo, Na -
 nga, Mo lhwa-nzo o-lhu tswa - nge - ne Na -

lho sya-nda - thi - re, Kwe - bi - tsa - nge e -
 gha - ni - re kwe - hi ? Ri - lhwa mo bu - lhwe -
 yo yu - tsu - mwi - rwe. Ne Kya - na kye Mbu -

byo O - kwa - ba - tho - hi - re, ha Nya - mu - hanga
 re e - ri - pi - pa e - ryo ? mu - thi - ma si - ryah -
 lhi. Nya - si ngunu - nu - ko yo lhwa - nzo lhuthe -

ka - lhi - nda, 'Ko - bu - lhi mu-thi - ma.
nga-tha-ngwa; lhwa - nzo lhwa-sya-ko - tha.
bu-gha - wa. Nya - si ko - ni-bya - ghe.

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| 4. Maka wo Mulhimu
Akyingwire lhukyo
Rindetha kondambi mbuya
Ryaghalhwa ryamahwa
Ko bundu bwembitha
bwa Kristo omwolho
Thatha yukaha 'butheke
Nasyamutsemera. | 5. Ribirikirwa mo
Mbitha yo butseme,
(mwitsumangwa ne sisoni)
Rithabwa mwisinda.
Eyo hakangire,
mulhamya alhi naghu,
ngaghenda mo kyakakalha
'Nembitha ye nzeru. |
| 6. Eyo omo nzira
Eyabirimbalhya
Yabisando bikalholha
Noko bandi bosi.
Nindi wekitsumbi
Ke wekyakakalha,
Asyakangya 'rikanga ryo,
Bwikalho bwe Mbulhi ? | 7. (Niramya risa eryo
Nasyabya na maka,
Kandi n'engebe ya kera,
Mwithendekerera.)
Thatha ne Mbulhi ba
Syabya eHekalu,
Bangiriri be'righaba
Lhukyimba na kera. |

Alternate Tunes : Nearer Home, 161 ; Terra Beata, 64.

Alternate Tune suited to the word edition : Boylston, 31.