

251. Tyëëkwa shô ne' hu u' kasnye' t ne kwëkwëö "Khwë khwë khwë" u' kë' ,wa' ékë' nikahatakêëyát shô ne' hu wa' uthätye' .

Tyëëkwa shô - suddenly. u' kasnye' t - it spoke. kwëkwëö - yellowhammar. u' kë' - it said. wa' ékë' - she saw. nikahatakêëyát - above the forest. wa' uthätye' - it flew along singing.

The bird is the guardian spirit of the youth and enables him to withstand the orenda of the young woman.

252. Ünë ne' ne yeksa' kúwá wa' esnye' t wa' ákë' tih "Akyé kë' aawëtúnya' t ünë wai waaknö' khwa' të' ne Teuä' tanékë' ." yeksa' kúwá - young woman. wa' esnye' t - she spoke. wa' ákë' - she said. kë' - greatly. aawëtúnya' t - it might be discouraging. waaknö' khwa' të' - he made me angry.

253. Tyu' k ukötatye' wa' ötkehtahsi' húkwá khu wa' akushu' ne uähkwa' kêö' ne' ne tewashê niyuähkwáké. Tyu' k - quickly. ukötatye' - immediately. wa' ötkehtahsi' - she took it off her back. húkwá - that way. wa' akushu' - she poured out. uähkwa' kêö' - it used to be bread. tewashê - twenty. niyuähkwáké - how many loaves.

254. Ta unë ti sayöhtêti' ne' hu hösayéyö' héöwe twëni' työ' ne tewënötênôté' kutinu' ë khu. sayöhtêti' - she went back. hösayéyö' - she arrived. héöwe - where. twëni' työ' - they lived there. tewënötênôté' - sisters. kutinu' ë - their mother.

255. Kanyu' shô nae ünë hösayéyö' ta unë nae wa' ákë' ne yekëhtsi "Kuwe nö' öwë he kúwá teehsháwi' ?" kanyu' - when. hösayéyö' - she arrived back there. wa' ákë' - she said. yekëhtsi - old woman. nö' öwë - what happened. he kúwá - so great. teehsháwi' - you didn' t bring him.

256. Ta unë ne yeksa' kúwá tyesnye' t wa' ákë' "Ne í' ta' aö aakekwéni' su' tsi ê' nô teunö' kúwas së' ë." yeksa' kúwá - young woman. tyesnye' t - she spoke. wa' ákë' - she said. í' - myself. ta' aö - not possible. aakekwéni' - I might win. su' tsi - so much. ê' - indeed. nô - perhaps. teunö' kúwas - he cannot be overcome. së' ë - because.

257. Tá wa' esnye' t ne unu' ë wa' ákë' "Nae khu te' köya' táá' s su' tsi ne ís nisatyéá' t sanö' kúwas. wa' esnye' t - she spoke. unu' ë - her mother. wa' ákë' - she said. te' köya' táá' s - I don' t depend on you. su' tsi - so much. ís - you. nisatyéá' t - how you are incompetent. sanö' kúwas - you can be overcome.

258. Ta unë nae wáyakwéni' . wáyakwéni' - he overcame you.

The mother expresses disappointment, but the story requires that the victory be made by an orenda pair. Furthermore, the balance often requires four events, and the turn occurs on the final one.

259. Ünë tih ne' ëyöhtêti' ne kuthö ne' nae akwas kheyá' táá' s. ëyöhtêti' - she will go. kuthö - the youngest one. akwas - very. kheyá' táá' s - I depend on her.

The successful attempt generally comes with the younger of the orenda pair.

260. Ünë tih nae ëswaähkôni' ne' ne tekanö' hööstya' kö ne' ne tewashê nëyök. Hau' ünë." ëswaähkôni' - you will make bread. tekanö' hööstya' kö - marriage bread. tewashê - twenty. nëyök - how many there will be.