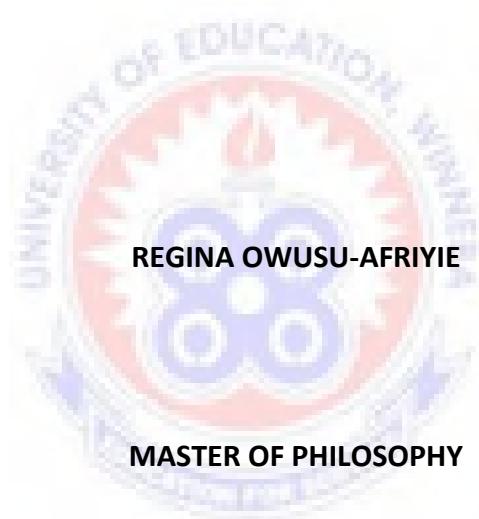


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OSUANI PAEMUKA

Me, Regina Owusu-Afriyie, pae mu ka s[, saa dwumadie yi y[nhwehw[mu a me ara na
meb]] mm]den y[e[. S[mede de[nkur]fo] a mabob] w]n din w] dwumadie yi mu no to
nky[n a, de[aka nyinaa y[m'ankasa me nsa ano adwuma. Obiara ny[[emu fa anaa
mua bi s[]de rep[abodin w] baabiara.

Ns]aano:.....

Da:.....



}HW{FO} PAEMUKA

Mepae mu ka s[, mes[ee adaaye[mehw[[dwumadie yi so, tenetenee no maa no y[[
nsiesie a [fata sèdee Simpa Suap]n akwankyer[a w]fa so de tenetene “thesis”
dwumadie no te[p[p[[p[.

Owura Lawrence Bosiwah (}hw[fo])

Ns]aano:.....

Da:.....

DINTO}

Mede nwoma yi hye Ototurobonsu Nyankopon animuonyam



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Mede aseda kεseε a enni kabea ma Tete Botan Nyankopon a ɔhwεε me so, m'adesua ne m'anadwo akwantuo a metu koo Ajumako Suapon mu, maa me nyansa, adwene ne ahooeden a mede twerεε saa nwoma yi.

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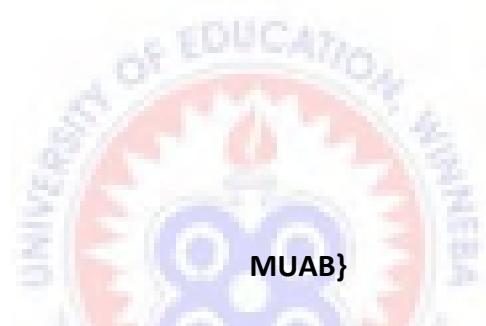
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1.0 Nnanimu

}fa baako yi ne nhwehw[mu yi mu nyinaa nnianimu. De[y[b[hunu w] saa]fa yi mu bi
ne nhwehw[mu yi nnyinaso] ne]haw a mehuni[a [nam so ma ak] hia s[m[y[saa
nhwehw[mu yi. }haw nhuni[akyi no, y[b[hunu botae[a mede asi m'ani so ne ns[mmisa
ahodoo a mede agu akwan mu a merehwehw[mmuae[ama maduru me botae[ho.
{nso h] ara, nhwehw[mu yi b[kyer[mfaso] ahodoo a [b[firi me nhwehw[mu yi mu aba
a [b[boa akunafo], Akanfo], nkur]fo] a Akan amammerε ne amanneε ho ns[ns[m da
w]n akoma so], nhwehw[mufo] ne de[[keka ho.

Afei makyer[akwanside[ahodoɔ a mehyiae[w] me nhwehw[mu yi mu ne kwan a mefaa so y[[ho biribi a [maa metumi wiee me dwumadie no. Bio, makyer[beaeɛ a me nhwehw[mu yi ano k]pem. {no akyi makyer[kwan a mefaa so hyehy[[me dwumadie yi firi]fa baako k]si]fa num.

1.1 Nhwehw[mu yi Nnyinaso]

Sedeɛ]man biara ntoto n'amammerɛ ne n'amanneɛ ase[no, saa ara nso na Akanfo] ntoto w]n de[ase[. Saa as[m yi da ne ho adi w] Akan ab[buo mu s[, "Amammerɛ y[ntoto no ase". Y[taa hunu Akanfo] amammerɛ ne w]n amanneɛ pa ara w] Akanfo] gyedie a w]w] w] abrab] kanko mu (Bonsu, 1993; Boahene, 2001; Asante ne nkae[, 2004; Matsumoto, 2007; Kobi, 2010).

Akanfo] gyedie ne s[, abrab] w] kanko num. Saa kanko no ne awo] ne dinto], bragor], aware[, owuo ne owuo akyiri asetena (Wiredu, 1992; Baloyi, n.d; Asuguo, 2011).

Nnipakuo biara w] w]n ankasa amammerɛ a [ma w]da nso firi afofor] ho. Nnoɔma a [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerɛ no bi ne nnipakuo bi kasa, suban ne nney[[, gyedie, adedie, anyamesom, nnwom, atenka, sedeɛ w]si hunu wiase ne de[[keka ho. Ns[mfua mmienu na [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerɛ. Yeinom ne "]man" ne "mmara". Nti ne tiawa mu no, amammerɛ y[mmara ahodoɔ a [bra]man bi anaas[mmara ahodoɔ a y[de bu]man bi. Animdefo] bebree na akyer[w]n adwene afa ade[p]tee a amammerɛ y[ho Saa nimdefo] yeinom bi na [w] ase[ha yi.

Amammerɛ y[nnipa bi nimde[, gyedie, suahunu, amanneɛ, nney[[ne suban ahodoɔ a wanya a [ma y[hu s[]ka nnipakuo bi ho. Saa ara nso na Hofstede (2001) kyer[

amammerɛ mu s[, [y] suahunu ahodoɔ a [ma nnipakuo bi da nso firi afofor] ho. Avruch (1998) nso ma y[hunu s[amammerɛ y[akwan ahodoɔ bi a y[n nananom faa so] de w]n bra ne w]n suahunu ahodoɔ a w]nyae[y[[susudua de too h] gyaa nkyirimma. S[w]ka yei a, de[[kyer[ne s[, [siane s[nnipa ny[sup] w] wiase yi mu nti, na mmom nnipa ne ab]de[ahodoɔ na [w] wiase yi mu no, w]n suahunu a [w] ab]de[a atwa w]n ho ahyia ne gyedie a w]nyaa w] ab]de[ahodoɔ no mu, de[w]de ab]de[a atwa w]n ho ahyia no y[e[, nnoɔma a w]hunu ne de[w]nhunu a w]de w]n atenka anya, ne w]n ho w]n ho nkitalodie nyinaa mu na [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerɛ (Hofstede, 1994).

Y[ntumi nya amammerɛ ho nkyer[ase[a wiase nyinaa agye atom efiri s[obiara ne sdedeε]b[si akyer[kyer[emu asi afa. Saa nnoɔma a y[abob] so] yi boa ma y[hunu amammerɛ no w] nnipa asetena ahodoɔ nyinaa mu. }kwan a nnipa fa so y[advuma, nnipa adidie mu, gyedie a w]w] w] anyame mu ne]kwan a w]fa so som saa anyame yi, nkitalodie ahodoɔ a efiri nnipa awo] so de k]si ber[a]b[wuo; abadinto], bragor], ne ayiy[.

S[]baatan bi wo na onya nnaaw]twe a, [y[Akanfo] amammerɛ s[w]to akwadaa no din. Yei nti w]y[amanneɛ de yi no pue nnaaw]twe no sos] n'anum na w]to ne din (Agyekum, 2006; Owu-Ewie, 2014; Asamoah, 2014; Adomako, 2015; Aziaku, 2016). {ny[awo] ne abadinto] nko ara na Akanfo] y[amanneɛ, mmom bragor] nso (Ansukyeremeh, 2002). Amammerɛ ne amanneɛ ahodoɔ na [k] so w] bragor] mu.

S[Akanfo] goro ababaawa bi bra, y[amanneɛ ma no wie a, afei, w]hw[anim kwan s[]b[ware. {no nso, Akanfo] gyina w]n amammerɛ ne amanneɛ ahodoɔ so gye aware[no ma no (Oppong, 1974; Sarpong, 1974; Agyepong, 1992; Korana, 1993; Nukunya, 2004). {rekame ay[s[,]kasa y[ade[a [ho hia pa ara w] amammerɛ biara mu.

Amammerε biara w] ne kasa na w]nam kasa so na w]de w]n amammerε gyā nkyirimma. }kasa y[]kwan a nnipa fa so de w]n nimde[, suahunu ne w]n gyedie to dwa. Y[nam]kasa so na [da amanneε ahodoɔ a [w] y[n amammerε mu adi. S[obi nte ne kurom kasa a, [ma no y[den s[]ne afofor] b[di nkitaho na kamp[s[wahunu n'amammerε. Saa ara nso na s[wok]]man fofor] so na s[wonte w]n kasa anaa woannya obi amma no ankyer[kyer[w]n kasa no ase a, [y[den pa ara s[wob[tumi ne nnipa adi nkitaho.

Yei ma y[hunu kasa ho hia a ehia w] amammerε biara mu. Sedeε y[adi kan aka no, ebinom a w]asua amammerε ak] akyiri kyer[s[y[hunu kasa w] akwan ahodoɔ mmi[nsa so: ano kasa, atwer[kasa ne kasa a w]nam ns[nkyer[nne so y[. Amammerε mu pa ara de[kasa ne ade titire a [da nnipakuo bi adi. S[wo ne iboni gyina h] na s[]nkasae[a worentumi nhunu onipa ko a]y[. Ber[a]b[bue n'no na wakasa no wohunu pr[ko p[onipa kor] a]y[s[]y[Gurun[ni anaas[Nzeman; Sehwini anaas[Mfanteni ne ade. {nam s[}b]ade[de kasa adam onipa biara nti no, [ns[s[y[bu obiara kasa animtia. Bio [s[s[obiara s] ne kasa mu yie sedeε [b[y[a [b[tena h] daa na y[atumi de adi nkitaho daa nyinnaa.

Wontumi nyi aduane mfiri amammerε mu. Nnipakuo bi amammerε na [kyer[w]n aduane a w]p[pa ara. S[wok] Asanteman mu a, mp[n pii no s[]panin bi anni fufuo da koro mpo a, [mfa ho ne nnuane ahodoɔ a wadi no,]hunu s[]mfaa hwee nkaa n'ano. Yei kyer[sedeε Asantefo] si p[fufuo fa. Saa ara nso na s[wok] Nkranman mu a, w]n nnuane pa ara ne d]kono, mako ne nkyenam, y]] k[gari, tatali ne ade. Nnuane ahodoɔ a [w] Ghana no bi ne aky[k[, akple, Mfantse d]kono, tuo zaafi, tubaani, mpot]mpot],

[tew, banku, bayer[fufuo, koko ne koose ne de[[keka ho. Saa nnuane a mabob] so yi nyinaa ab]se[firi amammerε bi mu.

Yei ma y[hunu s[nnipakuo bi aduane anaas[nnuane a w]p[no ma w]da nso firi afofor] ho. Nnipakuo binom asua afofor] nnuane di nso s[wobisa obiara a, onim w]n a [y[w]n aduane titire. {nn[Asantefo] nim akple ne [tew di [nam akwantuo ne adwumay[a [de ebinom ak]pue w] nkuro afofor] so nti. Aduane b[n na anka tete no womp[a [nn[yi woasua di?

Afahy[y[mmer[a y[de kae nne[ma bi a atwam, y[de da Onyankop]n ne ahonhom nkae[ase w] w]n banb], nhira ne nhw[so pa a w]de ama y[n. Nnipakuo biara w] nna ahodoo a w]yi si h] de kae biribi a asi w] w]n abrab] mu, w]de kae nnipa bi a w]tuu w]n ho sii h] gyee]man no sii h]. Y[w] afahy[ahodoo mmien. De[edi kan ne de[y[de huro k]m. Yei y[afahy[a y[de da Onyankop]n, Nananom ne Nsamanfo] ase s[w]ama nn]bae[aso bebree.

Yeinom bi ne Bayer[afahy[, H]m]w], Kundum ne ade. De[[t] so mmien ne de[y[de kae y[n Nananom anaa biribi a atwam. Y[de saa afahy[yi kae y[n nananom a w]de w]n ho sii h] gyee]man no. Amammerε di ahim yie w] afahy[ber[mu. Y[hunu s[, s[eduru afahy[ber[a, amanneε (yei ne nne[ma a s[w]rey[amammerε bi a w]taa y[) ahodoo na [k] so]. Y[hunu nnipakuo no abak]s[m, nimde[, suahunu, amany]s[m, w]n gyedie a w]w] w] anyame ahodoo ne nsamanfo] mu, abosom mu, ab]de[a atwa w]n ho ahyia mu ne ade. Yeinom nyinaa na [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerε no.

Ntade[a y[hy[ne ntoma a y[fura ny[ne f[k[k[nti na y[hy[anaa y[fira na mmom [da y[n amammerε adi. Y[nam ntomafira mu da y[n nimde[ne suahunu adi. }kwan baako a y[fa so nya ntoma anaa ntade[w] Ghana ha ne s[y[b[nwono. Adurade[mmien a

agye din w] Ghanaman mu ne kente ne batakari anaa fuugu. Y[nya kente firi Ghana anaaf] fam; batakari nso y[nya firi Ghana atifi fam.

S[y[fa kente a, [y[adurade[a edi ahim yie w] Akanfo] amammerε mu. Ahemfo na na w]fura kente na mmom seesei de[, obiara tumi fira kente. {y[ntoma bi a y[de y[n nsa na [nnwono. Y[fira kente de k] badwam. kente ny[ntoma biara k[k[na adwinnie ahodoo a [w] mu da suahunu, nimde[, abak]s[m ne gyedie ahodoo adi. Y[w] kente bi te s[“}yokoman”, “Adwinni asa”, “Sika futuro”, “Abusua y[d]m”, “{maa da”, “}hene aforo hy[n” ne de[[keka ho. Wohunu s[saa edin ahodoo yi nyinaa da Akanfo] nimde[, suahunu ne w]n gyedie adi. Ny[kente din nko ara na [da amammerε adi, na mmom ahosuo ahodoo a [w] mu no nyinaa gyina h] ma biribi. S[ebia k]k]] gyina h] ma mogya; sikak]k]] gyina h] ma ahonya,]dehye[ne de[[keka ho.

S[nipa abrab] b[k] yie anaas[[renk] yie a, na egyina sika a]w] anaa ne b]t] mu. Ansa na onipa benya biribi ahy[ne kotokuo mu no agye s[]y[adwuma. Adwuma na [de sika br[nipa ma n’abrab] wie p[y[na n’asom dwo no. }dwontofo] bi na]kaa n’as[m s[, “Sika y[mogya”. Yei kyer[hia a sika hia w] abrab] mu. Na s[y[b[nya sika yi bi a, ne nyinaa gyina adwumay[so. Adwuma y[amammerε no fa a nipa ntoto no ase koraa [nam s[[y[ahiade[w]]man biara mu.

Avruch (1998) kyer[s[nnipakuo biara amammerε na [kyer[w]n nnwuma ahodoo a [k] so w] w]n atenae[mu. S[y[hw[Anlofo] a, w]n nnwuma titire pa ara ne kuay[ne afaredwuma. Asantefo] nso adwuma titire ne kuay[. Saa ara nso na Nkranfo], Oguaafo] ne {dinafo] adwuma titire ne afaredwuma. Yei kyer[s[faako a nnipakuo bi b[tena no na [kyer[dwuma p]tee a w]y[no w] h]. W]n a w]te Ghana mantifi dua atoko], ayuo, nkate[, bayer[na w]y[n anantwie, nnwan, mp]nkye ne nk]mf[m. Mfude[bi te s[

bor]de[, mankani, kwadu ne pii a [keka ho ny[yie w] Sarem Mantam mu. S[y[ba Asante, Bono, At]e[, Apuee[, Mfimfini, ne Firaw Mantam mu nso a, y[hunu s[nn]bae[bi te s[bor]de[, mankani, kwadu, bankye, kookoo, ne nne[ma pii tumi y[yie w] h].

Y[hunuu s[nne[ma ahodoø binom na [keka bob] mu ma y[hunu nnipakuo bi amammerε. Kasa di mu akotene pa ara. Y[hunuu s[kasa y[agyapade[a [ho hia yie a [ns[s[y[de di agor] koraa. Kasa na ak]y[s[tease[nam anaas[afidie bi a [so amammerε de no nam. Bio y[hunuu s[aduane a y[di ka y[n amammerε ho. {ma y[da nso firi afofor] ho a [ns[s[y[bu aduane a y[di animtia fa ebinom ho. Adurade[a wob[toe[nso nyi no akwa nka s[[y[tetefo] agyapade[na mmom s[wode y[wo ho a, [ma woda nso firi afofor] ho.

S[awarefo] yi ware, b] bra, wo mma hw[w]n mma yi ma w]n se fifiri a w]n nso hw[w]n ma w]n se tutu. {se tutu akyi no, w]wu firi ateasefoo asaase yi so. {nam Akanfo] gyedie a w]w] w] owuo ne owuo akyi asetena ho nti,]kanni biara wu a, w]y[amammerε ne amanneε de gya owufoø no kwan sèdee [s[(Goody, 1962; Shino, 1997; Van der Geest, 2006). {no nti Akanfo] ntoto w]n ayiy[ase koraa (Van der Geest, 2006, Fosu, 2010).

Ayiy[akyi no, de[[toa so] ne kunay[. Awarefo] mmienu no s[baako wu a, de[waka akyire no y[kuna (Mintah, 1996). Yei nti, kunay[ab[ka]man Ghana amammerε ho. Amanneeε bebree na [k] so w] kunay[mu. {nam nne[ma a [k] so w] mu ne]yaw a okunafo] baa titire taa k] mu nti, nkur]fo] taa kasa tia kunay[(Kondoh, 1993; Tei-Ahontu, 2008) esiane s[etiatia w]n anim (Brown & Livingston, 1987) ne w]n faahodie so (CHRAJ Report, 2005).

Sackey (2001) ne Olapengba & Chorwen (2006) kyer[s[mp[n pii no amammerε ne amanneε a w]y[ma mmaa akunafo] no ano y[den, y[hy[w]n yaw k[se[sene mmarima akunafo] no. Bio, de[w]de y[saa akunafo] yi y[de[etia Ghana mmara (Article 26, Clause 2 of Ghana's 1992 Constitution) na etiatia nnipa faahodie so (CHRAJ Annual Report 2005).

S[y[de saa amammerε ne amanneε a y[ka ho as[m yi nyinaa to nky[n a, de[atwer[fo] ne animdefo] abu w]n ani agu so] bi ne]haw ahodoo a akunafo] yi k] mu ne de[etumi toto saa akunafo] yi mma, w]n abusuafo] ne w]n man. Yei na ak]hia s[mey[saa nhwehw[mu yi.

1.2 }haw no Adiyi

Animdefo] ahodoo bebree na way[nhwehw[mu afa owuo, ayiy[ne kunay[ho firi Nyiresi aburokyiman mu b[si Ghana so. Nyiresi aburokyiman mu nso, Cavallo & Warner (1999) ay[kunay[ho nhwehw[mu afa tete ne akyire yi mu ho.

Goody (1962) y[[nhwehw[mu faa owuo, agyapade[ne nsamanfo] nney[e[w] Lodagaa m]kyere a [w] Abibiman At]e[mu. Korich (1996) nso y[[nhwehw[mu faa Igbofo] kunay[mu w] Nigeria apue[afa mu. Olapegba & Chrowan, (2006) hw[[nsunsuansoo a kunay[mu amanneε no nya w] akunafo] a w]w] Nigerian man mu no so ne mmoa a w]hia ho.

Ghana nso Tei-Ahontu (2008) hw[[kunay[amanneε w] Nkran mp]tamu. Akanman mu nso, Amoako-Ata (2000) hw[[]kwan a Akanfo] fa so y[ayie. Sackey (2001) nso y[[nhwehw[mu faa]kwan a Otumfo] yerenom fa so y[kuna w] Asanteman mu. Mensah

(2019) nso hw[[amammerε ne amanneε a w]y[ma akunafo] a w]w] Prestea-Himan w]
At]e[Mantam mu. Mmara kwan so no na, Lithur (2008) ay[nhwehw[mu afa mmara a
[bata kunay[ho w] Ghanaman yi mu.

S[y[hw[de[y[abob] so] yi nyinaa mu a, y[hunu s[Sackey (2001) kyer[[]kwan a w]fa
so y[ahemfie kuna. {daa adi w] nhwehw[mu no mu sε ɔkwān a wɔfa so yε no no da
nso kakra firi dee wɔyε ma okunafoɔ biara. Ne saa nti s[megyina dee animdefoɔ yi aye
fa kunayεne Akanfoɔ amammerε ne amanneε ahodoɔ no ho a, mehunu sε]kwan k[se[
pa ara da de[animdefo] no ay[nyinaa mu efiri s[[di kan no, w]n mu biara antwa n'ani
anhw[de[[k] so w] New Juaben Mp]ntamu mu a w]n nso ka Akanfo] ho. Nti saa
nhwehw[mu yi b[hw[]haw a akunafo] a w]w] New Juaben fa mu, [so nsunsuansoɔ a
saa]haw no nya w] w]n so, w]n mma, w]n abusuaf] ne kurodua a w]w] mu no so.

1.3 Nhwehw[mu yi Botae[

Nhwehw[mu yi botae[ne s[[b[hwehw[]haw a akunafo] a w]w] New Juaben
Mp]ntamu k] mu w] w]n kunay[mu ne nsunsuansoɔ a saa]haw yi de br[w]n mma ne
w]n abusuaf] ahosiesie, ne titire no, nhwehw[mu yi b[hw[;

- i. Amammerε a w]y[ma akunafo] a w]w] New Juaben Mp]tamu mu.
- ii. Nsunsuansoɔ a kunayε de ba okunafoɔ no ne ne mma so w] New Juaben
Mp]tamu.

1.4 Nhwehw[mu Ns[mmisa

Nhwehw[mu yi b[hwehw[mmuae[ama ns[mmisa a edidi so] yi;

- i. Amammerε b[n na w]y[ma akunafo] a w]w] New Juaben Mp]tamu?.
- ii. Nsunsuansoɔ b[n na kunayε de ba okunafoɔ no ne ne mma so w] New Juaben Mp]tamu?

1.5 Nhwehw[mu yi ho Mfaso]

Mpanin se, “Mfaso] nti na batani di dwa”. Yei kyer[s[obiara de botae[bi si n’ani so w] abrab] mu hwehw[mfaso]. Saa nso na nhwehw[mufo] yi hwehw[s[mfaso] ahodoɔ b[fi saa nhwehw[mu yi mu aba.

Saa nhwehw[mu yi ho b[ba mfaso] ama akunafo] a w]w] New Juaben Mp]tamu ne w]n a w]w] Ghana nyinaa. S[nti ne s[, nhwehw[mu yi awie[no, [b[ma y[ahunu s[mmara w]]man yi mu a [b] akunafo] ho ban nanso, esiane s[akunafo], ne w]n a w]y[amanneε ma akunafo] no nnim nti [ma w]tiatia akunafo] no faahodie so (Brown & Livingston, 1987; Ghana Constitution, 1992; CHRAJ, 2005)

Bio, saa dwumadie yi b[boa akunafo] mma ne w]n abusuafø] ankasa. {b[ma wahunu s[amanneε no bi ho nhia mma y[n [nn[mmer[yi mu. Afei, s[]barima bi b[wu na w]b[tu]baa kunafo] no ne ne mma afiri fie h] no y[ade[a atwa mu.

Afei, nhwehw[mufo] b[nya ho mfaso] efiri s[nhwehw[mu yi b[ma w]n anya nnyinaso] ankasa w] w]n nhwehw[mu ahodoɔ yi mu.

Esiane s[kunay[ka daadaa adesua a [k] so firi mm]fra sukuu kosi suap]n mu nti, [b[boa dodo] ara a w]sua no. {ny[asuafo] nko, mmom akyer[kyer[fo] nso.

Ne korakora no, [b[boa ma CHRAJFO} ahy[w]n adwuma no mu kena aboa atu]haw a akunafo] no fa mu no ho.

Me a mey[nhwehw[mufo] yi nso, [b[boa me ma manya osuahunu ankasa a [b[boa m'abrab].

1.6 Beaeε a Nhwehw[mu no K]pem

Madi kan akyer[w] me nnyinaso] no mu s[Akanfo] w] amanneε ahodoo a w]y[no w]n amammerε ahodoo mu, nanso me nhwehw[mu yi hw[owuo ne amanneε a w]y[ma akunafo] a w]w] New Juaben Mp]tamu. Dwumadie yi mu no, mehw[[]haw ahodoo a owuo ne saa amanneε a w]y[ma akunafo] yi nya ne kwan a saa]haw yi de nsunsuansoo ba akunafo], w]n mma ne New Juaben Mp]tamu ne kwan a y[b[tumi afa mmara kwan so atwitwa agye saa akunafo] yi ayi w]n haw afiri w]n so.

1.7 Nhwehw[mu ho Akwanside]

Mpanin se, “B]nwema bata br[bo] ho”. Saa nso na ahyiakwa w]]bra akwantuo mu. Akwanside[ahodoo bebree na esisii m’akwan mu, ber[a merey[me nhwehw[mu no. Akwanside[baako a mehyiae[y[nnipa a mene w]n dii dwuma no. Akunafo] ny[nna de[nanso, na w]n mu dodo] no ara ny[[w]n adwene s[w]ne me b[kasa. Esiane s[na w]mp[s[w]b[kae w]n yaw ne awer[ho].

Kakra a w]kae[nso suu pa ara ber[a na w]reka w]n akos[m. W]n a na w]y[saa amanneε no nso mu pii awuwu nti manntumi ne w]n anky[w]n suahunu. W]n a na w]w] h] no nso mu dodo] no ara de abufuo k[se[s[w]gye di s[akunafo] mmaa no mu ahodoɔ no ara na w]kumm w]n kununom. Eduruu baabi no, na [s[s[mes]re pata nt]kwa. Saa da no ara nk]mm] a me ne nnipa bi twetwee[no, meduruu fie no mede maa aberante[bi s[]ntwe ngu afidie fofor] so mma me no, [h] ara na]komiaa diliti so maa ne nyinaa pepa firii afidie no so a [maa menuu me ho s[mebaa sukuu yi me wer[hoo yie a saa da no mamfa aduane sei anka m'ano na [de adwendwen b[t]] me so.

Ehaw baako nso a mehyiae[y[afidie (phone) a mede k]twee nnipa no anum as[m no. Meba b[b] tie[no, na [mma. Hw[s[mak]kyinkyini ak]bisabisa ns[m atwe agu afidie so na meb] a [mm]. M'ani s]] k]] s[gya. M'ani bere ky[e[ansana]domfo] bi a wakwadare foon nsiesie mu reboa asiesie a me nsa san kaa ns[m a na [w] so no.

Mehaw bio nso y[ber[a na meretintim m'adwuma no ak]ma me nhwehw[mu hw[fo no. S[[w] s[anka metwer[gu nwoma mu ansa na mede ak] k]mputa so no, many[no saa. Mamia m'ani,]baa aberewa, ab] no nkakrankakra agu so na mede firi Koforidua rek] Ajumako na s[meduru a maprente ak]ma me hw[fo]. Ber[a meduruu Ajumako no na baage a lapt]]p k]mputa hy[mu no ayera. B[si [nn[, menhunui[na saa da no, mesuu s[akwadaa, {no nti mede awer[ho] sanee m'akyi k]] Koforidua k]hy[[adwuma no ase bio ber[a na may[]fa baako k]si mmi[nsa.

1.8 Nhwehw[mu no Nhyehy[e]

Saa nhwehw[mu yi w] afa num. }fa a [di kan no y[nhwehw[mu no nyinaa nnanimu. Yei kyer[y[n nhwehw[mu yi nnyinaso],]haw a mehunui[nti a [nam so ma [kaa m'akoma ma mefaa saa nhwehw[mu yi too me ho so s[m[di ho dwuma. Afei nso m[kyer[botae[a [si m'ani so] w] saa nhwehw[mu yi mu. Botae[no akyi no, mew] ns[mmisa mmienu a egyina me botae[no so a [ma metuu anam]n k]] New Juaben Mp]tamu ne akunafo], w]n a w]y[amanneε ma akunafo], akunafo] mma ne w]n abusuafø], ne mmaraminfo] h] k]gyee w]n adwenkyer[. Mesan kyer[[mfaso] ahodoø a me nhwehw[mu yi de b[br[me nhwehw[mni, akunafo], akunafo] mma, akunafo] abusuafø], nhwehw[mufo], amamfo], ne]man Ghana nyinaa.. Afei, beaεε a me nhwehw[mu yi k]pem, akwanside[a [baa m'akwan mu ber[a na meredi me dwuma no ne kwan a mefaa so dii dwuma no, kwan a mafa so ahyehy[me dwumadie no ne]fa no t]fab].

}fa mmienu no kyer[nhwehw[mu a animdefo] no bi ay[a [fa me nhwehw[mu yi ho a [b[y[susudua ama me nhwehw[mu yi. Saa fa yi b[hw[Akanfo] amammerε ne w]n amanneε,]bra kanko (awo) ne abadinto], bragor], aware[, owuo ne ayiy[, ne owuo akyi asetena), kunay[ne de[[keka ho. Afei, m[hw[ti]ri akwankyer[a [ne me nhwehw[mu no k].

}fa mmi[nsa no y[nhwehw[mu kwan. Yei kyer[kyer[beaεε a nhwehw[mu no k]] so. }kyer[nkuro ahodoø a mek]] so k]y[[me nhwehw[mu no, mp[n dodo] anaa mmer[dodo] a medii no w] h] de y[[adwuma no, nnipa dodo] a me ne w]n twetwee nk]mm], w]n mfe[ne kwan a mefaa so p[ns[p[ns[m me nhwehw[mu no mu.

}fa nan no y[nhwehw[mu no mp[ns[mp[ns[mu. Yei no, m[gyina me nhwehw[mu
botae[/ns[mmisa no so ay[me mp[ns[mp[ns[mu no.

}fa num no y[t]fab], awiee[ne adwenkyer[. {ha no m[yiyi de[[firi me nhwehw[mu no
aba no baako baako ato dwa. Afei, m[b] me nhwehw[mu no nyinnaa t]fa w] awiee[no.
Ne korakora no, mede me nsusui[ne adwenkyer[nso b[to dwa.

1.9 }fa yi T]fab]

Saa]fa yi akasa afa nhwehw[mu yi nyinnaa nnianimu ho akyer[Akanfo] amammerε ne
w]n amanneε ahodoo firi awo] ne abadinto], bragor], aware[, owuo ne owuo akyi
asetena ho de b[si kunay[so. Masan akyer[]haw a mehunuii[a [nam so ma me ho
pere me s[medi saa dwuma yi. Mehunuu]haw no, mede botae[sii m'ani so hwehw[[
ns[mmisa a m[gyina so ak]p[muae[.

Anso h] ara, makyer[mfaso] ahodoo a dwumadie yi de b[ba ma aboa me nhwehw[mu
yi. New Juaben Mp]tamu mu akunafo], Ghana akunafo], nhwehw[mufo], CHRAJFO},
ne adesuafo] ne adekyer[fo].

Dwumadie yi mu no, makyer[beaee a me nhwehw[mu yi k]pem, akwanside[a
mehyiae[ne kwan a m[fa so ahyehy[me dwumadie no.



2.0 Nnianimu

]fa yi mu no, mehw[[de[animdefo] binom aka a [fa me dwumadie yi ho. Nimde[ahodoø a [fa nhwehw[mu yi ho ne ne nkyer[ase[nyinaa mada no adi w]]fa mmienu yi mu. Saa]fa yi w] nkyeky[mu mmi[nsa. Yeinom ne adwenesu nhyehy[e[kwan, adwenemus[m nhyehy[e[fapem ne]fa yi t]fab]. Adwenesu nhyehy[e[kwan mu no mada de[animdefo] binom aka af a Akanfo] amammerε, Akan]bra kanko (awo)/dinto], bragor], aware[, owuo/ayiy], owuo akyi asetena) ne kunay[. Biom, nso adwenemus[m fapem a megyinaa so y[[nhwehw[mu no nso mada no adi akyer[kyer[mu kama. Na mab]]fa yi t]fa de awie no korakora.

2.1 Adwensu ho Akwankyer[(Conceptual Framework)

Hobbs & Norton (2006) kyer[s[adwensu akwankyer[ho hia pa ara w] akwan ahodoɔ a nhwehw[mufo] yi fa so boaboa ne ns[m ano de di ne dwuma anaa y[ne nhwehw[mu. Adwenesu kyer[adwene ahodoɔ a animdefo] pii susu de to dwa w] dwumadie p]tee bi mu. Adwensu ho akwankyer[dwumadie gu ahodoɔ pii w] Akan kasa mu. Mp[n pii no, ansa na dwumadie p]tee bi a [w] Akan kasa mu b[wie mudie anaa [b[tumi ada adwemp] p]tee bi adi no, gye s[]twer[fo] no da adwensu ahodoɔ adi yie ansa. Esiane s[adwensu ho akwankyer[no na [boa ma]twer[fo] bi tumi boaboa adwemp] ahodoɔ bi ano firi nhwehw[mu ahodoɔ pii bi mu. S[]twer[fo] bi de adwensu ho akwankyer[di dwuma yie a, [boa ma ne dwumadie no di mu na obiara a]kenkan no nso te ase[yie pa ara.

Ne korakora no, adwensu na [y[akyer[kyer[kwan a [boa kyer[kyer[na [sane danedane nhwehw[mu dwumadie no. Saa dwumadie yi mu no, nhwehw[mu no kyer[Akanfo] amammerɛ, Akan]bra kanko (awo)/dinto], bragor], aware[, owuo/ayiy], owuo akyi asetena) ne kunay[. Dwumadie yi nso mu, Feminism adwensu na nhwehw[mufo] yi de b[di dwuma. Saa adwensu yi pere yiedie ma mmaa.

W]hy[[firi tete. Ne fa a [di kan hy[[ase[w] awo]ntoatoaso] a [t] so du-nkron ne aduonu mu h]. W]n adwenp] nyinaa ne s[hokwan, fahodie, tumi, ahobamm], ne de[[keka ho biara a mmarima tumi nya w] asetena mu no, [s[s[mmaa nso nya bi saa ara. Wei so na w]gyinaa hyehy[[saa adwensu yi. Animdefo] pii na [de saa adwensu yi akyer[kyer[dwumadie, ammamer[ne amanne[ahodo] a [k] tia mmaa. S[nhwehw[mufo] yi de saa adwensu yi toto kunay[mu ammamer[ne amanne[no ho, [b[tumi aboa apere

yiedie ama mmaa yie. Bio, [b[tumi aboa ap[ns[mp[ns[m kunay[mu nsunsuanso] mu yie. Wei nti na nhwehw[mufo] no paa saa adwensu yi.

2.1.1. Akanfo]

Boahene (2001) kyer[s[, Akanfo] ntumi nkyer[beaeε p]tee a na w]te[ansa na w]reba]man Ghana mu. }kyer[s[,]bra mu akukuruhwease[, aforosiane ne abene maa w]dii atutena. De[]ka ne s[, nnipa binom to Akanfo] ana firi Tete Ghana Ahemp]n, nanso de[y[reka ne s[, ansana Akanfo] yi b[ba]man yi mu no, na Nyame Akuma abu so w] asase yi so. Abak]s[m kyer[s[saa ber[no na nnipa binom ab] w]n atenase[dada. Nkyer[mu yi ma y[hunu s[, Akanfo] bae[no, w]b[too nnipa binom w] h] a w]warewaree w]n. Saa aware[yi ka ho bi na [maa Akanfo] kasahodoø no d]]so saa.

Boahene (2001) k] so ara ka s[, Akanfo] y[nnipakuo bi a, w]d]]so yie w] Ghanaman mu.]se, s[w]ky[Ghana asase mu mmi[nsa a, Akanfo] tete nky[mu mmieno so na w]n dodo] boro]man yi mu nnipa]ha mu nky[mu aduonum.]k] so ka s[, [hye[a Enyirensi Abor]fo de b[too Ivory Coast ne Ghanafo] ntam mfe[bi a atwa mu nti, ama Akanfo] binom tete Ivory Coast.

Agyekum (2010) de foa Boahene (2001) so s[, Akanfo] y[nnipakuo bi a [kwan bi so no, y[tumi kyer[w]n ase. Nnipakuo ahodoø bi a y[tumi fr[w]n Akanfo] bi ne; Akuapemfo], Asantefo], Fantefo], Wasafo], Bonofo], Kwawufo], Akwamufo], Asenefo], Twifofo], Dankyirafo], Agonafo], Br[manfo], Adansefo] ne w]n a w]aka ahodoø pii (Schachter & Fromkin, 1968). }kasa mu no, Akanfo] a w]w]]man Ghana mu yi gu kuo ahodoø mmieno. Yeinom ne Mfantefo] ne Twifo] (Ward, 1967).

Bosiwah ne nkae[(2015) ma y[te ase[s[, Akan kasa ka New Kwa (Greenberg 1963's Western Kwa) kasakuo a [w] Niger-Congo a [ka 'Central Volta-comoe' kasa abusua no ho. GSS (2012) di adanse[s[, Akan y[abusuakuo k[se[w]]man yi mu a ekuta nnipa b[y[24,658,825. S[y[ky[]man Ghana kasakuo ahodoɔ mu]ha a, Akanfo] nko ara nya]ha mu nkyeky[mu 47.3 (GSS, 2012).

Akanman mu no,]kasa p]tee a y[de di dwuma k[se[ne Akuapem, Akwamu, Akyem, Asen, Twifo, Asante, Denkyira, Kwahu ne Bono. Y[taa te Mfante nso firi Takoradi k]si Nkran Mp]tam (Boadi, 1997). Asante Twi, Akuapem Twi ne Mfante ne Akan kasa nkorabata mmi[nsa a y[tumi sua w] y[n sukuu ahodoɔ mu na y[fa w]n mu biara s[[y[kasa a etumi gyina ne ho so (Akponglo-Nartey & Akponglo-Nartey, 2012:143). Akanfo] w] nney[[ahodoɔ pii a [boa ma w]da nso firi nnipakuo a w]aka no ho. W]n kasa, w]n amammerɛ ne amanneɛ, w]n aduane ne w]n som nyinaa ka ho bi na [ma w]da nso firi afofor] ho.

Akan y[kasa a Akanfo] ka na w]sua firi Mfitiase[sukuu de k]pem Suap]n sukuu mu. S[y[yi Asante, Akuapem ne Fante kasa a w]sua na w]twetw[w] sukuu ahodoɔ mu a, kasa ahodoɔ a Akanfo] ka no w] mmeammea a w]tete no binom ne, Akyem, Nzema, Aowin, Wassa, Twifo, Ahanta, Sefwi, Bono, Efutu ne Baule. Mp[n pii no, w]te w]n ho w]n ho ase w] kasa a w]ka no ho. Boahen toa so s[, Akanfo] nyinaa amammerɛ ne w]n amanneɛ ses[na [ma w]da nso firi nnipakuo nkae a w]w]]man yi mu ho. Amanneɛ sononko a [ma w]da nso firi afofor] ho no binom ne, abadinto], awaregye[, adedie, ahensie, owuo, funsie ne ayiy].

2.1.2 Amammerε ne Amanneε

White (1965) kyer[s[amammerε pue firi mmer[a y[n nananom nyaa nimde[anaa tumi de ns[nkyer[nne[dii dwuma ahodoɔ bi, s[w]b[hy[da de din atoto nne[ma bi so na y[b[kuta edin no mu yie na y[agye n'asekyer[nso atom pr[ko p[. Geertz (1973) kyer[amammerε mu s[[y[mmara a y[ahyehy[na y[aka abom, na [b] suban ne nney[[ahodoɔ no ho ban. Adasa nya saa nhye[h[e[yi w] ber[a w]resua amammerε titire bi.

Nnipakuo biara w] w]n ankasa amammerε a [ma w]da nso firi afofor] ho. Nnoɔma a [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerε no bi ne nnipakuo bi kasa, suban ne nney[], gyedie, adedie, anyamesom, nnwom, atenka, sèdee w]si hunu wiase ne de[[keka ho. Ns[mfua mmienu na [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerε. Yeinom ne "]man" ne "mmara". Nti ne tiawa mu no, amammerε y[mmara ahodoɔ a [bra]man bi anaas[mmara ahodoɔ a y[de bu]man bi.

Animdefo] bebree na akyer[w]n adwene afa ade[p]tee a amammerε y[ho. Taylor (1871) kyer[s[, amammerε y[nipa bi nimde[, gyedie, suahunu, amanneε, nney[[ne suban ahodoɔ a wanya, a [ma y[hunu s[]ka nnipakuo bi ho. Saa ara nso na Hofstede (2001) kyer[amammerε mu s[, [y[suahunu ahodoɔ a [ma nnipakuo bi da nso firi afofor] ho.

Asubonteng ne Hope (2019) nso ma y[hunu s[amammerε y[akwan ahodoɔ bi a y[n nananom faa so] de w]n bra ne w]n suahunu ahodoɔ a w]nyae[y[[susudua de too h] gyaa nkyirimma. S[w]ka yei a, de[[kyer[ne s[, esiane s[nnipa ny[sup] w] wiase yi mu nti, na mmom nnipa ne ab]de[ahodoɔ na [w] wiase yi mu no, w]n suahunu a [w] ab]de[a atwa w]n ho ahyia ne gyedie a w]nyaa w] ab]de[ahodoɔ no mu, de[w]de ab]de[a

atwa w]n ho ahyia no y[e], nnoɔma a w]hunu ne de[w]nhunu a w]de w]n atenka nya, ne w]n ho w]n ho nkitahodie nyinaa mu na [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerɛ (Nukunya, 2004).

Y[ntumi nya amammerɛ ho nkyer[ase[a wiase nyinaa agye atom efiri s[obiara ne sèdee osi kyer[kyer[emu fa. Saa nnoɔma a y[abob] so] yi boa ma y[hunu amammerɛ no w] nnipa asetena ahodoo nyinaa mu. }kwan a nnipa fa so y[adwuma, nnipa adidie mu, gyedie a w]w] w] anyame mu ne]kwan a w]fa so som saa anyame yi, nkitahodie ahodoo a efiri nnipa awo] so de k]si ber[a]b[wuo; abadinto], bragor], ne ayiy[.

2.1.2.1 Amammerɛ Su

Y[ma wo akwaaba ba saa]fa a [di kan yi mu. Saa]fawa yi mu y[b[hw[ade[p]tee a Akanfo] fr[no amammerɛ, na bio nso y[b[hw[amammerɛ su. Amammerɛ w] su ahodoo a [ma no da nso firi kasadwini ne]kasa nhyehy[[so.. To wo bo ase kenkan de[y[de ama wo yi na wo nso hwehw[esu yi bi ka ho. Nnoɔma pii na [ma y[hunu sèdee amammerɛ te[. Saa nnoɔma yi bi na edidi so] yi:

Obiara nni h] a onim biribi fa n'amammerɛ ber[a y[b[wo no. S[y[wo obi to nnipakuo bi mu a, [w] s[osua w]n amammerɛ. Ny[amammerɛ nyinaa na y[sua na mmom amammerɛ no fa bi w] h] a y[nsua. {t] da a y[sua amammerɛ ber[a y[n ani da h] s[y[resua y[n amammerɛ. Saa ara nso na etumi ba s[y[sua amammerɛ ber[a y[n adwene nk] so koraa s[y[resua y[n amammerɛ. Y[sua y[n amammerɛ firi y[n abusuaf] ne w]n a w]atwa y[n ho ahyia h]; y[sua y[n kasa, y[n gyedie w] anyame mu ne sèdee y[si som saa anyame yi, ntadehy[m, ne de[[keka ho nyinaa firi afofor] h].

Y[ntumi mfa y[n ani nhunu amammerε na mmom y[hunu nnipakuo bi amammerε w] w]n suban ne w]n nney[e[mu. Sedeε nnipa dwene mpo tumi kyer[w]n amammerε. Nney[e[ahodoɔ yi y[nnoɔma a w]y[no ber[ano ber[ano a [da adi w] y[n amammerε mu. Nnipa dodo] no ara na w]dwene s[de[w]nim na w]gye tom s[[y[nokware, w]n ntetee[ne w]n nimde[no y[w]n ankasa nsusui[.

Onipa w] n'ankasa nimde[ne ne su. S[w]ne nnipa dodo] no ara na [da saa nimde[ne su yi adi a y[ntaa nhunu. Na s[[k] ba s[nsonsonoe[bi w] mu de[a, w]hunu no nt[m pa ara. {y[amammerε na [de saa nsonsonoe[yi ba. Ntetee[a y[de ma ab]fra a]y[}kanni fa anidie ne sedeε y[kasa mpanimfo] ho ne Buroni de[reny[p[firi s[saa nnipakuo yi nyinaa amammerε ny[p[.

Y[w] nnoɔma ahodoɔ a [w] amammerε mu a y[tumi hunu na y[san nso s] mu a [y[onipa na]y[e[. Yeinom bi ne adwinnie ahodoɔ, adan, twene, nkonnwa ne de[[keka ho. Saa nnoɔma ahodoɔ yi da amammerε adi. Onipa de n'adwene ne ne nyansa na asaasae Onyankop]n ab]de[mu ma y[nyaa saa ahodoɔ yi. Spencer ne nkae[(2012) kyer[s[esiane s[amammerε bra nnipakuo bi nti, y[bu y[n bra sedeε [s[na [fata na [boa ma y[hunu sedeε [w] s[obiara si fa so b] ne bra. {w] mu s[amammerε bra nnipakuo nanso amammerε nyinaa ny[p[anaas[[ny[baako efiri s[y[w] nnipakuo ahodoɔ bebree na w]w] wiase yi mu. Na mmom [b[tumi aba s[nnipakuo ahodoɔ bi amammerε no fa bi di ns[.

Yei y[as[m turodoo a [w] amammerε ho. Ber[biara no, nnipa sesa; saa ara nso na amammerε nso sesa ber[ano ber[ano. S[eduru mmer[bi na s[amammerε bi mmoa nnipa [nam nsesae[ahodoɔ a aba wiase a, w]y[nsesae[w] amammerε no mu. {nam nsesae[ahodoɔ a [ba wiase mu nti, [w] s[nnipakuo ahodoɔ nso y[nsesae[w] w]n

amammerε mu sεdee [b[y[a w]b[tumi as]]haw ne amanneε ahodoɔ a [ba w] w]n abrab] mu na ama w]n asom adwo w]n. S[ebia, na Akanfo] de nnipa ahodoɔ na esie w]n ahemfo [nam w]n amammerε nti na mmom eduru mmer[bi no, w]yii saa amammerε yi firii h].

Nnipa nam kasa so na w]de w]n suahunu, nimde[, gyedie ne mmara nya nkyirimma; saa nnoɔma a mabob] so] yi nyinaa na [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerε no. Spencer ne nkae[(2012) kyer[s[, y[hunu kasa w] akwan ahodoɔ mmi[nsa so: ano kasa, atwer[kasa ne kasa a w]nam ns[nkyer[nne so y[. De[w]nam ns[nkyer[nne so y[no, y[b[hunu no w] akwan mmi[nsa so.

S[y[hw[w]n a w]ntumi nkasa no a, w]de w]n nsa ne w]n nnipadua na [y[ns[nkyer[nne ma y[te w]n ase[, anaa y[de hunu de[w]p[s[w]kyer[. S[[no da nky[n a, nipa nney[e[ne ne su ahodoɔ a]da no adie no tumi kasa mpo ky[n s[]b[bue n'ano akasa. Afei de[t] so mmi[nsa no, nnoɔma ahodoɔ bi a nnipa de w]n nsa ay[ne ab]de[no mu nnoɔma bi nso tumi kyer[nnipa nnoɔma bi a [rek] so w] n'asetena mu. Nnipakuo biara w] w]n ankasa amammerε. Yei ma y[hunu s[amammerε ny[p[. Amammerε no fa bi te s[gyedie, suahunu, amanneε ne mmara ny[p[w] baabibiara.

Tylor (1871) kyer[[amammerε mu s[[y[ade[bi a [y[hanyann nanso [kyer[nimde[, gyedie, adwinii[, mmara,]bra-pa, amanneε ne suban biara a nnipa sua anaa nya efiri s[[ka nnipakuo biara ho. Nokor[s[yei mfa mmarima ho nkoa ara na mmom mmaa nso ka ho a w]y[bi.

Efiri Tylor (1871) mmer[so, as[m “amammerε” ab[y[nhunumu ne fapem p]tee a w]n a w]y[amammerε ho nhwehw[mu no de di dwuma w] w]n nwuma mu. Tylor (1871)

de too dwa s[,nnipa nney[[ne w]n adwene ny[ade[bi a enni botae[anaa tirimp] biara, na mmom w]di mmara kann so, [no nti w]b[tumi anam nimde[sononko kwan so ay[nhwehw[mu afa ho.

De[y[aka yi kyer[s[amammerε y[nney[[(amanneeε) ne suban ahoro] bi a w]de abom asua na [da adi w] nnipakuo bi mu (Asubonteng ne Hope, 2019). Nney[[yi bi ne kasa a y[ka, y[n adan a y[si,]kwan a y[fa so gye aware[, y[n abadinto], y[n ayiy], y[n ahensie ne y[n afahy]. Nokor[ne s[, ade[biara a y[y[ma nnipakuo bi da nso nyinaa ka y[n amammerε ho. Sedeε nnipa ahodoø no de amammerε no b[di dwuma na aboa ama Ghana atetes[m no aka h] ber[biara no y[n nananom nam akwan ahodoø bebree so na ahyehy[[saa amammerε yi binom de agya nkyirimma s[w]nhw[so yie na afei w]mm] ho ban na nkyirimma a [b[ba no nso, atumi ab[toa so de ab] w]n bra na ama w]n din]kanni no afata w]n.

Nnipa ahodoø nyinaa w] amammerε, yei nti amammerε ak]y[agyapade[bi a onipa biara w] bi na]de di dwuma w] n'asetena mu (Kottak, 1990). Ne traa mu no, amammerε y[ade[bi a onipa tumi de ma afofor] nso. Bio, w]n a w]sua amammerε ne [ho ns[m no taa de as[mfua ‘amammerε’ no kyer[kyer[nnipakuo bi tete amammerε titire bi mu. Kottak (1990) toa so s[, adasa ky[amammerε no mu fa k[se[no ara. Adasa nyinaa nyini w] beaee a amammerε titire ho mmara w] a [firi awo] ntoatoaso] so kosi awo] ntoatoaso] so.

Boahene (2001) kyer[kyer[amammerε mu se, [y[kwan bi a nipakuo bi fa so tena b] w]n bra de gya nkyirimma ma w]n so de k]b] w]n bra w] w]n asetena mu. Amanneeε tumi kyer[agyapade[a y[n nananom de tenaa ase na w]de gyaa y[n s[y[mfa so mm]

y[n bra bi te s[,]som, gyedie, amammuo, kasa, adidie, nkyia, agodie, asa, aware[, bragor], kunay[na de[[keka ho.

Asiamah & Lugogye (2008) ne Prempeh (2011) kyerε sε, amanneε yε kwan a nnipakuo bi nam so ahyehyε w]n asetena ne w]n abrabø mu nne[ma ahodoo no nyinaa ato høfiri awo] ntoatoaso] so k]si awo] ntoatoaso] so a, wønam saa nhyehyeeε no so de bø w]n bra wø w]n daa daa asetena mu. Yei kyer[s[, s[obi tu kwan a, enni s[]ma ne wer[firi ne kurom amammerε.

S[[ba ne s[no wer[firi na]san ba n'akyi a, n'abusuafo] anaa ne kuromfo] susu sε]y[atetekwaa anaa obi a wasua atra. Saa nti s[w]rey[amanneε bi a, [b[y[den s[w]de no b[fra mu, mpo s[mpaninnie bi to no a, w]mmfa mma no. Yei da adi pefee s[, Kwasi Buroni bae[no,]b[kaa y[n amammerε na y[n amanneε hy[e[. S[y[ma saa as[m yi didi y[n tirim a, [b[ma y[n amammerε sononko no ayera koraa.

Agyeman (2012) toa so kyer[s[amammerε y[]kwan a nnipakuo binom nam so ahyehy[w]n asetena ne w]n abrab] mu nnoøma ahodoo no nyinaa ato h] firi awo] ntoatoaso] so k]si awo] ntoatoaso] so. }toa so s[amammerε kyer[sεdeε nnipakuo bi te[, Sεdeε w]te nn[yi ne sεdeε w]b[y[daakye bi. Saa ammamer[a w]ahyehy[ato h] no ma saa nnipakuo no da nso firi afofor] ho (Hw[Sarpong, 1974; Kottak, 1990; Boahene, 2001; Asiamah & Lugogye, 2008; Prempeh, 2011 nso) .

De[ak]hia s[y[hw[amammerε ne amanneε w] me dwumadie yi mu ne s[, kunay[y[amammerε w] Akanman mu. Saa ara nso na amanneε mpa kunay[mu. {wom s[[s[s[y[b] y[n amammerε ne amanneε ho ban de[nanso, [s[s[amanneε a etiatia nnipa faahodie so no y[gyegye n'ani anaa?

2.1.2.2 Amammerε Su Ahodoɔ

Amammerε w] su ahodoɔ a [ma no da nso firi kasadwini ne]kasa nhyehy[[ho. To wo bo ase kenkan de[y[de ama wo yi na wo nso hwehw[esu yi bi ka ho. Nnoɔma pii na [ma y[hunu sèdee amammerε te. Obiara nni h] a]nim biribi fa n'amammerε ber[a y[b[wo no. S[y[wo obi to nnipakuo bi mu a, [w] s[osua w]n amammerε. Ny[amammerε nyinaa na y[sua na mmom amammerε no fa bi w] h] a y[nsua. {t} da a y[sua amammerε ber[a y[n ani da h] s[y[resua y[n amammerε. Saa ara nso na etumi ba s[y[sua amammerε ber[a y[n adwene nk] so koraa s[y[resua y[n amammerε. Y[sua y[n amammerε firi y[n abusuaf] ne w]n a w]atwa y[n ho ahyia h]; y[sua y[n kasa, y[n gyedie w] anyame mu ne sèdee y[si som saa anyame yi, ntadehy[m, ne de[[keka ho nyinaa firi afor] h].

Hofstede (1994) ka s[, y[ntumi mfa y[n ani nhunu amammerε na mmom y[hunu nnipakuo bi amammerε w] w]n suban ne w]n nney[e[mu. Sèdee nnipa dwene mpo tumi kyer[w]n amammerε. }toa so s[nney[e[ahodoɔ yi y[nnoɔma a w]y[no ber[ano ber[ano a [da adi w] y[n amammerε mu. Nnipa dodo] no ara na w]dwene s[de[w]nim na w]gye tom s[[y[nokware, w]n ntetee[ne w]n nimde[no y[w]n ankasa nsusui[. Onipa w] n'ankasa nimde[ne ne su. S[]ne nnipa dodo] no ara na [da saa nimde[ne su yi adi a y[ntaa nhunu. Na s[[k] ba s[nsonsonoe[bi w] mu de[a, w]hunu no nt[m pa ara. {y[amammerε na [de saa nsonsonoe[yi ba. Ntetee[a y[de ma ab]fra a]y[}kanni a [fa anidie ne sèdee y[kasa mpanimfo] ho ne Buroni de[[reny[p[[firi s[saa nnipakuo yi nyinaa amammerε ny[p[.

Y[w] nnoɔma ahodoɔ a [w] amammerɛ mu a y[tumi hunu na y[san nso s] mu s[[y[onipa na]y[e]. Yeinom bi ne adwinni[ahodoɔ, adan, twene, nkonnwa ne de[[keka ho. Saa nnoɔma ahodoɔ yi da amammerɛ adi. Onipa de n'adwene ne ne nyansa na asaasae Onyankop]n ab]de[mu ma y[nyaa saa ahodoɔ yi.

{siane s[amammerɛ bra nnipakuo bi nti, y[b] y[n bra sedeɛ [s[na [fata na [boa ma y[hunu sedeɛ [w] s[obiara si fa b] ne bra. {w] mu s[amammerɛ bra nnipakuo nanso amammerɛ nyinaa ny[p[anaas[[ny[baako [firi s[y[w] nnipakuo ahodoɔ bebree na w]w] wiase yi mu. Na mmom [b[tumi aba s[nnipakuo ahodoɔ bi amammerɛ no fa bi di ns[.

Yei y[as[m turodoo a [w] amammerɛ ho. Ber[biara no, nnipa sesa; saa ara nso na amammerɛ nso sesa ber[ano ber[ano. S[[duru mmer[bi na s[amammerɛ bi mmoa nnipa [nam nsesae[ahodoɔ a aba wiase a, w]y[nsesae[w] amammerɛ no mu. {nam nsesae[ahodoɔ a [ba wiase mu nti, [w] s[nnipakuo ahodoɔ a nso y[nsesae[w] w]n amammerɛ mu sedeɛ [b[y[a w]b[tumi as]]haw ne amanneɛ ahodoɔ [ba w] w]n abrab] mu na ama w]n asom adwo w]n. S[ebia, na Akanfo] de nnipa ahodoɔ na [sie w]n ahemfo [nam w]n amammerɛ nti na mmom [duru mmer[bi no, w]yii saa amammerɛ yi firii h]. Nnipa nam kasa so na w]de w]n suahunu, nimde[, gyedie ne mmara agya nkyirimma; saa nnoɔma a mabob] so] yi nyinaa na [ka b] mu ma y[nya amammerɛ no.

Hofstede (2001) kyer[s[, y[hunu kasa w] akwan ahodoɔ mmi[nsa so: ano kasa, atwer[kasa ne kasa a w]nam ns[nkyer[nne so y[. De[w]nam ns[nkyer[nne so y[no, y[b[hunu no w] akwan mmi[nsa so. S[y[hw[w]n a w]ntumi nkasa no a, w]de w]n nsa ne w]n nnipadua na [y[ns[nkyer[nne ma y[te w]n ase[, anaa y[de hunu de[w]p[s[w]kyer[. S[[no da nky[n a, nipa nney[e[ne ne su ahodoɔ a]da no adie no tumi kasa mpo ky[n s[

]b[gue n'ano akasa. Afei de[[t] so mmi[nsa no, nnoɔma ahodoɔ bi a nnipa de w]n nsa ay[ne ab]de[no mu nnoɔma bi nso tumi kyer[nnipa nnoɔma bi a [rek] so w] n'asetena mu. Nnipakuo biara w] w]n ankasa amammerɛ. Yei ma y[hunu s[amammerɛ ny[p[. Amammerɛ no fa bi te s[gyedie, suahunu, amanneɛ ne mmara ny[p[w] baabi biara.

2.1.3. Amanneɛ w] Akanfo] }bra Kanko mu

Akanfo gye di se abrabɔ yε hankra a enni awie[. Wɔwo onnipa a, [yε ber[a abrabɔ no hyε ase. Sε ɔyε ɔbaa na oduru ne mpanin mfe[so a, wɔgoro no bra yi no firi mm]fra gyinabere mu kɔ mpanin mu. ɔto abrabɔ no so ware, wo, yε adwumaden biara a obetumi de boa n'abusua kosi s[ɔdomankoma wuo bεba abεfa no.

Y[taa hunu Akanfo] amammerɛ ne w]n amanneɛ pa ara w] Akanfo] gyedie a w]w] w] abrab] kanko mu (Bonsu, 1993; Boahene, 2001; Matsumoto, 2007; Kobi, 2010; Asante ne nkae[, 2013).

Akanfo] gyedie ne s[, abrab] w] kanko num. Saa kanko no ne abusua awo] ne dinto], bragor], aware[, owuo ne owuo akyiri asetena (Wiredu, 1992; Baloyi, n.d; Asuguo, 2011).

2.1.3.1Abusua Ketewa

Nnipa a w]w] saa abusua yi mu ne agya, [na ne mma. Agya na]y[saa abusua yi ti [nam s[sewaa, w]fa, nana ne anuanom a w]ny[[na anaa agya mma nka ho. {siane saa nti agya na]hw[toto biribiara w] fie h]. }hw[hunu s[mm]fra ne obi biara a]w] abusua no mu no ho y[. Y[taa hunu saa abusua yi w] Amerika ne Yerop. De[[y[w] saa abusua yi ho na edidi so] yi.

- i. {boa ma motumi de mo ho. Abusua ketewa yi boa ma emu nnipa nya faahodie.
S[y[de toto abusua tenten no ho a, y[hunu s[kookaa kookaa nni mu te s[
abusua tenten no.
- ii. Nkabom w] mu. Y[n nyinaa b[di ho adanse[s[, s[y[hw[abusua ketewa no a,
nkabom anaas[w]dod] w]n ho sene abusua tenten no. {nam s[w]hunu w]n ho
s[]yere,]kunu ne mma.
- iii. {ma abusua no hw[y[mmr[. {ne s[abusua ketewa no mu nnipa nn]]so. {nam
saa nti no [boa ma mm]fra hw[, s[w]n sukuuk] mu, w]n ntaadehy[mu, w]n
adidie mu ne w]n nna mu y[mmr[ma abusua no.
- iv. Manso mma adedie ho. S[y[hw[abusua ketewa no a, [y[agya, [na ne mma;
[nam saa nti w]tumi toto w]n nnoɔma yie ma w]hunu de[[s[s[odi agya anaa
[na ade[. {nam saa nti no manso ntaa mma abusua ketewa yi adedie mu te s[
abusua tenten no.
- v. Nkitaho mapa w] mu. Ade[baako a [ma abusua ketewa no da nso ne
nkitahodie ne]d] a [w] mu. {ne s[, s[ab]fra hia biribi a [ny[afei na]rek]p[obi
de ato n'anim. Yei de[]ne ne na anaa n'agya na [w] h] [no nti de[[hia no biara
no]tumi de to w]n anim.

Akanfo] w] kasa bi s[br[bo] biara b]nnwuma bata ho. Enti saa abusua yi mu no de[
[didi so] yi ko tia no.

- i. Mp[n pii no, [y[a na biribiara ab[da agya no so. Mm]fra adidie, ntaadehy[ne
w]n nna mu nyinaa y[agya no asεdeε nti [ma ne ho kyere no.
- ii. {ma abusua ketewa no dwene w]n ankasa yiedie nko ara ho a w]nnwene
afofor] ho.

- iii. Mp[n pii no, [de ntetemu ba. {ne s[obi nk]sra obi [nna obi nso mma obi nky[n.
- iv. {mma kwan mma mma nhunu w]n nananom ne abusuafo] nkae[no.

2.1.3.2 Abusua tenten

Abusua tenten yi y[abusua a nnipa ahodoo a w]w] mu no hunu w]n ho s[w]w] ay]nkofa w] aware[anaa mogya mu no tena b] mu. Saa abusua yi y[abusua nketewa yi mu nnipa na [b[ka b]m y[saa abusua yi. Abusua yi mu nnipa no bi ne w]fa, nananom, sewaa, w]faase, nkumaanom, nsenom, anuanom ne w]n a w]keka ho. Saa abusua yi mu na y[hunu kunay[ho amammerε ne amanneε no nyinaa. Abusua tenten ho mfaso]

- i). {boa ma w]hunu w]n ho. Abusua tenten yi boa ma emu nnipa hunu w]n ho a, Abusua yi boa kyer[kyer[nkyirimma abusua no mmara, asεdeeε ne w]n nkyi.
- ii). {ma abusuafo] hunu s[w]w] bamm] bi ase. {nam s[abusua no mu nnipa d]]so nti no, ber[biara no emu nnipa no w] gyedie s[w]w] adom ne bamm] bi ase [firi s[biribi to obi a, abusua no b[ko ama no.
- iii). Abusua mu no nyinaa tumi ka w]n sika b] mu de y[biribi ma abusua no. {nam s[abusua no mu nnipa d]]so no nti, s[[ba s[w]p[s[w]y[biribi de ma abusua no a, w]mmr[ho. De[w]y[ara ne s[yei de kakra ba, na yei nso de kakra aba.
- iv). {te akasakasa ne nt]kwa so. Abusua tenten no w] n'ankasa kwan a w]fa so siesie ns[m ahodoo a esi w] abusua no mu. S[eduru afahy[ber[anaa biribi si na abusua no nyinaa hyia a, w]hw[siesie ntawantawa biara a [da abusua no bi ntam.

v). Abusua tenten no w] daakye. S[y[ka s[abusua tenten no w] daakye a, de[[kyer] ne s[emu nnipa no nsa da. Ber[a ebi rewu no na w]rewo afofor] nso. {nte s[abusua ketewa no a w]n ase tumi t]re no. }haw a [w] abusua Tenten ho.

i). Ber[biara no, na abusuafo] no bi retwentwan afofor] akwan mu. {ne s[, s[obi p[s[]y[biribi na [y[]fotofor] ya a, na]retwentwan n'akwan mu.

ii). {ma emu tena y[den. {ne s[, s[obi w] abusua no mu a, na]y[]defo] anaa osikani a, abusuafo] nkae[no nyinaa de w]n adesoa ne w]n ahiade[to ne so.

iii). {ma abusuafo] no bi y[akwadwofo]. {ne s[, s[obi any[a,]nim s[]fotofor] b[y[.

iv). Adedie tumi de nt]kwa b[da abusua no nyinaa ntam [siane s[obi biara p[s[odi osikani a]w] abusua no mu ade[.

2.1.3.3. Awo]/Dinto]

Ade[baako a edi akotene pa ara w] Akanfo]]bra kanko mu ne awo] ne dinto]. Mintah (1996) kyere sε, sε awarefo] wo ba a, w]to ab]fra no din. Mp[n bebree no agya no na ɔto ab]fra no din. S[awofo] no wo na ab]fra no nya nnaawɔtwe a, agya no soso n'anomu na ɔto ne din. Prempeh (2011) kyer[mu pefee s[, abadinto] yε amammerε a Akanfo] yε de kyere sε w]awo ab]fra bi ato abusua bi mu sε ɔkra teasefo] a ɔka w]n ho. Akanfo] to din sε [bεyε na nnipa bεda nso afiri afofor] ho, [firi s[nsεmmɔne nti na Nyankop]n kyekyεε din.

Prempeh (2011) kyer[mu s[Abibifo] sunsums[m nkyer[kyer[mu no, s[obi de edin to ab]fra bi so a, [ny[s[oniiko no reto ab]fra no nipadua din k[k[, na mmom ab]fra no kra na]reto no din. Saa gyedie a [w] edinto] mu yi kyer[sεdeε Abibifo] ma mmoa, beaεε,

ne nnoɔma din saa ara na Abibifo] gyedie ne s[ade[biara kura sunsum, ne saa nti na, w]ma ne din.

Ns[m ahodoo a esisie ansa na w]b[wo ab]fra bi no di akotene w] ab]fra bi dinto] mu.

Ogie, (n.d.) kyer[mu s[Edofo] de mfasode[k[se[bata edin asekyer[ho / bu edin asekyer[adehia k[se[pa ara, w]n gyedie ne s[, edin a y[de ma abotafowa no tumi kyer[ne nkrabea. Yei da adi w] w]n [b[mu; “eke ne a he enighe a ere eni la ghe” asekyer[ne s[onipa din ne ne honam s[. Me ne onimde[fo] yi y[adwene [firi s[edin tumi nya tumi w] nnipa suban so, enti na mpanin se, ‘Saman pa na y[to no badin’.

{no nti obi kura suban pa na w]to no badin a, w]gye di s[ab]fra no nso b[fa saa onipa no suban ne ne tebea pa no nso bi. Akinnaso (1950) kyer[s[edin a y[de ma onipa y[din pa no bi. Kwan a w]fa so to obi din no w] s[nti bi a, [y[ahy[nsole[a [da saa onipa no adi. Me ne Akinnaso y[adwene w] de[]de ato dwa no ho [firi s[biribi anaa s[nti bi nti na [t] da bi a obi to din. Nhw[so] a [fa din bi ho ne D]mte[a [y[obi din. S[obi te saa edin yi a ebia]nnnte ase[nanso edin no nnyinaso] nyinaa fa biribi anaa as[m bi a [sii[so na [bae[.

Abadinto] amanneɛ a w]y[no nte ab]fra no mfiri sunsum wiase mu nko ara ho na [gye no to ateasefɔɔ wiase mu nso. Yei nnyinaso] ne s[, abadinto] y[nkabom tumi bi a [ka ankor[ankor[bi ne wiase ne fekuo nyinaa bom. Abadinto] w] Edofo] amamner[mu, y[kwan k[se[a w]fa so da w]n gyedie, abusua ne w]n kurom abak]s[m, abrab] pa ne asetenam nney[[pa kyer[nkyirimma. Yassin (1978) kyer[mu s[, Kuwait man mu no, edin b[tumi akyer[abak]s[m bi, s[ebia, [po mu nne[ma, nnuaba, ne agude[. Arabofo] amammerɛ mu no, awofo] anaa obusuani na [p[din ma w]n mma, na saa edin no tumi kyer[atoyer[nky[m anaa asiane a [tae saa din no akyi (Yassin, 1978). Pappas (2013)

rekyer[de[[k] so w] Am[rikaman mu no,]kyer[s[, awofo] bi diber[w] amany]s[m mu no, tumi kyer[edin a w]de ma w]n mma. Yei nti nsonsonoe[da liberiafo] ne kons[vatifo] nnyegyee[a w]p[ntam ber[a w]rey[amanneε ato ab]fra bi din no. De[Jayaraman (2003) de firi India bae[ne s[, Indiafo] dinto] mu ma y[hunu s[obi y[Kristoni, Kramoni anaa Hindu somni. Bio nso, Indiafo] din tumi kyer[baabi a obi firi s[y[Atifi anaa Anafo] fam.

Akanman mu no, Akanfo] tumi de edin a [y[ahyaikwaa, siade[ne ade[bi a [too awofo] bi anaa abusua bi a [ne ab]fra bi awo] b[hyia no tumi to no din s[ebia: Bediako, Manso, B[koe, Adiyea, K]ayie, Amane, Ab[br[s[ne ade. Bio, baabi a w]woo obi, abusua a obi firi mu, baabi a obi firi,]som anaa gyedie a obi w] mu nso di akotene w] Akanfo] dinto] mu. Edin binom te s[, Dakwammu, Kwantwoma, Y[boa, Gyedu, Ama B[kwae (Agyekum, 2006; Boahene, 2001).

2.1.3.4. Bragor]

Mintah (1996) ka sε, ade[a Akanfo] de hunu s[]baa aso sε]b[tumi aye ɔbaatan ne brayε anaa bra. Mensah (2019) kyer[s[bragor] yε amanneε a wɔyε ma mmaayewa de kyerε sε wɔn aso maame yε. {ne s[, waduru mmer[bi a ababaawa no b[tumi awo. Bragor] yε amanneε a Akanfo] yε de pagya w]n mma a waduru w]n mpanin mfe[so kɔ w]n mpanin mu. Wɔnam bragor] yi so siesie w]n ma aware[, awo] ne mma ntete[(Prempeh, 2011). Yei kyerε sε, sε ababaawa bi duru ne mpanin mfe[so a, wɔgoro no bra ama barima biara a ɔpε no aware[no atumi ako n'awofo] h] ak]bisa n'ase.

Wiase abrab] ak]y[s[kyinhyia. S[y[wo obi a y[to ne din na s[]y[]baa na oduru ber[bi a y[goro no bra. Bragor] yi akyi onipa tumi ware na]nyini b] ne bra na akyire yi na

wawu. Saa]bra kyinhyia yi na Akanfo] ntoto no ase koraa. Na emu biara duru so a w]hw[y[ma [ho te. Bragor] ka]bra kyinhyia yi ho na [boa ma mmaa di w]n ho nni hy[w]n ho so firi]bra fi ho. {nn[mmer[yi nyinaa nnipa bi susu s[anka Akanfo] nsan nk]fa saa amammerε yi mmra sεdee [b[y[a mmabaawa b[b]]bra pa aky[n de[w]rey[no nnansa yi.

Bragor] y[Akanfo] amammerε bi a w]y[de pagya w]n mma mmaa k] mpanin mu. W]y[de kyer[s[abaayewa no anyini na waso aware. S[abaayewa bi tumi hw[ne ho so yie ma w]gor] no bra a, [y[animuonyam k[se[ma awofo] na ebi ka abusua ne kuro a ofiri mu nso. {nn[yi de[, Akristofo] hyira w]n mma mmaa w] as]redan mu de si bragor] anan mu. Mmarima de[w]nni amammerε titire biara a w]y[de p[gya w]n k] mpanin mu.

Kor]b]fo nso y[w]n mma mmaa Dipo. Ber[a w]goro obi bra ne s[abaayewa bi abu ne nsa, anaa]kum sono anaa]kyima na ne maame hunu anaa]te a,]k]yi]hemmaa anaa]baapanin a]w] kurom h] asotire. }hemmaa fr[abaayewa yi hwehw[ne ho s[nyins[n biara nni h] a, ansa na wama kwan ama w]agor] no bra. }gye sika kakra ne nkosua de di adanse[. S[]hemmaa hunu s[nyins[n w] h] a, na abaayewa no ab] mmusuo. {no na y[fr[no kyiribra no – y[angor] no bra na wayins[n.]sakyima no maame hy[da a]de b[gor] ne ba no na s[da no duru so a,]k]sr[sr[abusuaf] ne ad]fo] na w]b[boa no. Maame no ne ne kunu y[ahoboaboa tot] nnoɔma a w]b[hia. Nnoɔma no bi ne adaka, ntoma, k[t[, mpaboa, nku, samina, sap], nky[nsee, nkok], nkosua ne ade.

]kwān a w]fa so goro bra da no ahemadakye, de[w]reb[gor] no bra no maame fa as] b] mu de b] amanneε s[]regor] ne ba asomasi. Mmaa mpanimfo] a w]hw[amanneε no so no yi]sakyima yi ho nwi de no k] nsuom k]dware no. W]siesie ne ho kama. W]de ntoma fitaa si ne mfimfini yi ne nufo gu so; b] no nkuto de no tena akonnwa so w]

ab]nten. W]de nnoɔma a awofo] tot]e[no b[sisi n'anim na w]to nnwom b] donno ne as] mu na mmaa mpanimfo] ne mmaayewa a w]reb[som no no sa w] dwa mu. S[Akanfo] goro ababaawa bi bra, y[amanneɛ ma no wie a, afei, w]hw[anim kwan s[]b[ware. {no nso, Akanfo] gyina w]n amammerɛ ne amanneɛ ahodoɔ so gye abaayewa a waduru ne mpanimfe[so tom pr[ko p[y[ho amanneɛ ma no (Oppong, 1974; Sarpong, 1974)

Nkor]fo] ky[no ade[(aky[de[a]b[nya no gyina ne bra pa ne]som a]somm nkɔr]fo] w] kurom h]). Bradwom no bi w] h] a, w]to da Nyame ase, w]de bi kyer[anigye na w]de bi nso tu fo. Anoka Amanneɛ titire baako a [w] bragor] mu ne anoka. W]de [t] a nkosua gu so b[si]sakyima no anim. }baapanin a ne ba nwuu da de nkyene, mako ne sonowede[ka n'ano mpr[nsa ma no poro gu.

Kosua no de[[nni s[]ka mu. {s[s[]mmoko. S[]de ne se ka mu a, [kyer[s[was[e n'awode[. Nkyene ne mako no kyer[s[asetena mu no]b[te de[[y[d[ne de[[y[nwono nyinaa bi. Sonowede[no nso kyer[s[[duru n'awo] so a,]sono mm[boa no. Afei]sakyima s]]baa ne]barima nsa si [t] no mu kane na akyiri yi mm]fra a w]w] h] no nyinaa tu gu so fom. }baa ne]barima nsa a]so no nso kyer[s[[duru n'awo] so a,]nwuo ntoto mu. S[awia pue a w]de brani yi hy[akyire k] ne fie.

W]kum nkɔk] de noa nnuane ahodoɔ ma awofo] ne mpanimfo] a w]w] fie h] no bi di. W]de nnaw]twe na [goro bra no. Da a [di kan no pa ho a, de[aka no nyinaa k] so w]]baa no fie. Asomfo] a [y[n'atip[nfo] no som no akwannuasa so. W]kogya ne maame afuom, w]noa nnuane, w]k] nsuo na w]ne no da. Nnaw]twe no so a, awofo] sr[sr[ma w]wurawura afie mu deda ase. S[obi asi]baa no asiwa a bragor] no mu no,]no nso de

n'aky[de[ba na w]wie a,]k]y[ne ho ade[. S[brani no rededa ase na s[tweapea dua tua n'ano a, na [kyer[s[obi asi no asiwa. Bragor] so mfaso] ahodoɔ bi na edidiso]

- i). {boa ma mmaayewa no nya dwetire ne ahode[ansa na w]ak]hy[aware[mu.
- ii). Ntetee[pa – bragor] no mu, mmaa mpanimfo] no tu brani no fo, kyer[kyer[no]kwan pa a y[fa so gye okunu ani ne no tena asomdwoe[mu.
- iii). {ma mmaayewa som w]n awofo] ne mpanimfo] a w]w] kurom h] nyinaa. S[w]any[saa a w]nnya aky[de[ber[a w]regor] w]n bra no.
- iv). {de ay]nkofa ne]d] ba mmaayewa a w]hyia som no ntam.
- v). Aho]f[dura de[w]goro no no. }mfiri bragor] no mu no na ne ho ay[f[yie.
- vi). {de animuonyam br[abusua ne awofo].

Ansu-Kyeremeh (2002) kyereɛ mu a bragor[ye amanneɛ bi a wɔyɛ ma ababaawa bi a wabu ne nsa de te ne ho na wɔde pagya no ma [firi mm[fra mu kɔ mpanin mu. Akanfo[gorø bra de kyereɛ se ababaawa no aduru ne mpanin mfe] so, afei de] [nn]y ab[fra biom. Mmom, wanyini a [b]tumi aware. Mpanimfo[y] amanne] biara a]ho b]hia ma no ma no nya kwan ware ne ne kunu k[tena s[awarefo[b[w[n bra.

2.1.3.5. Aware[

Opoku (1978) kyer[aware[mu s[[y[Akanfo] amammerɛ a [y[ade k[se], [firi s[[de agyapad[ne mma ba fie. Afei nso,]kanni baa rek] aware[a ne botae[ne s[]b[wo mma ahy[n'abusua ma, nti saa de[a na [w] s[abusuaf] no de w]n ano to aware[no mu. De[]kyer[ne s[, s[barima bi hw[na waso aware[na ohunu abaayewa bi na]p[no a,

]ne no kasa s] n'adwene hw[w] aware[ho, na s[]hunu s[]baa no nso w] anigye[w] aware[no ho a, na [kyer[s[wanya ne hokafo] ne]yere pa. Opoku (1973) san kyer[mu s[]baa no nkur]fo aso te biribi saa a, w]n nso w]y[w]n nhwehw[mu fa barima no ho hunu fidua a w]n dehye[rek] mu no. Mensah (2019) de foa so s[, s[aware[no mu nwenehoo no tot] yie a, na]baa no abusua ama nkra ato barima no abusuafo] s[]kwan ada h] s[w]b[y[amanneε biara a [fata w] awaregye[no ho. W]y[yei nyinaa de kyer[s[, ‘Aware[no kwan ware’ nti enni s[w]tu mmirika k]hy[n mu.

Sarpong (1974) de n’ano to mu s[ny[aware[ne s[nnipa baanu ahya mu na w]d] w]n ho ara kwa, mmom aware[ne s[mpanimfo] nam amanneε kwan so aka nnipa baanu no ab] mu w] abusuakuo no nyinaa anim.

Dobo (1975) nso hunu aware[s[y[ade titire bi w] Ghanafo] amammerε ne w]n asetena mu a [ka barima ne]baa bi bom na w]boa ma abusua d]re. }kyer[mu s[aware[y[nhyeε[e[a mpanimfo] agye ato mu na w]gyina so de ma nnipa b[ka abusua ho. Mm]fra ne ade[a [di kan a obiara ani di akyire s[b[pue aware mu. Dobo (1975) nsusui[ne s[, onipa abrab] nh[y[ma anaa [nwie p[y[w] ber[a]nware[.

Y[rek] y[n anim no, Quansah (1981) kyer[mu s[aware[firi tete. Na s[y[reka aware[a na [y[bera barima ne]baa de]p[na]d] ay[baako reb] bra ma ak] so yie ama w]n baanu no a tumi ahw[agyapade[([y[mma) a w]b[pue mu. Yei kyer[s[, s[barima ne]baa no nni d] ma w]n ho w]n ho na w]hy[w]n ma w]ware a, [b[tumi de]haw k[se[abr[awarefo] no ne abusuakuo no nyinaa.

Rice (1990) nso kyer[s[, aware[su bi ne s[, emu ay]nkofa no di adaneadane, [t] da bi a etu mp]n na enyini. {duru mmer[bi nso a [y[ateetee ne]haw, [nna [duru baabi nso

a [y[anigye]. Rice (1990) n'as[m yi ma y[hunu s[, aware[mu asetena nk] t]]tee, nti s[w]ammfa kasa pa a edi mu anni dwuma w] mu a, aware[no ntumi ntim.

Korang (1993) nso rekyer[n'adwene w] aware[ho no,]se, [y[apam a [da barima ne]baa a w]mmfi abusua baako ntam, na mmom [ny[apam a [da nkur]fo] a wofiri mogya baako mu, [firi s[[y[akyiwade[k[se[w] Akanman mu s[abusua baako mu mma b[ware. Yei na w]fr[no mogyafra no. }k] so kyer[mu s[, aware[ba w] Akanfo] mu w] ber[a barima bi ne]baa bi nam amammerε kwan so aka w]n ho ab] mu s[okunu ne]yere.

Nukunya (2004:4) nso de to Korang de[no so s[, aware[y[amanneε kwan a w]fa so ka barima ne]baa b] mu ama watumi atoa abusuasantene so w] wiase yi mu.

Awade[y[amammerε bi a efiri tete nteredee [w] h]. {firi adeb] mfitiase[na]b]ade[b]]]baa ne]barima s[w]ntena na w]nwo nhyl[asase so ma. [rekame ay[s[wiase yi mu amammerε pii no ara na [w] aware[mu. Aware[y[amammerε a Akanfo] bu no k[se[. Mpanimfo] ne anyansafo] aka awade[ho ns[m pii abubu ho mm[pii, s[ebia: "Awade[ny[nsafufuo na w]aka ahw[; Wok] awade[a bisa; Awade[te s[tawa wisie, [ny[d[nanso y[nom no hia. De[[ma w]bu awade[titire bio nso ne mma ne agyapade[a [firi mu ba no. }kanni ba biara k] awade[a,]rek]wo mma ab[gu n'abusua mu, enti [s[s[abusuaf] no nso nya ano w] ne kunu a]rek]fa no aba w]n abusua mu no ho.

S[]barima bi hunu]baa na w]n adwene y[kor] s[w]retena ase s[okunu ne]yere ab] bra a, y[fr[saa astena no aware. Akanfo] ka s[aware kwan ware nti s[obi p[s[owura mu a, [s[s[osiesie ne ho s[, "Papa mu o! B]ne mu o!"]ne ne hokafo] b[tena ak]si awiee[. {ny[Akanfo] p[s[obi beware agyae[. Ade[a Akanfo] kyiri w] aware ho ne s[,

]barima bi b[ware ne nuabaa, ne maame, ne busuani a]ne no b] abusua baako. {ba saa a na]barima no adi mogyafra. {y[mmusuo k[se[.

Agyepong (1992) hunu aware[s[[y[nkabom a [da nnipa baanu ntam, [y[barima ne]baa. }toa so kyer[s[, aware[y[dodo] as[m na mmom [ny[ankor[ankor[as[m, [firi s[abusuaf] anigye[a [w] aware[mu no som bo sene ankor[ankor[de[. Yei kyer[s[mmara w] ho ber[a barima ne]baa bi agye ato mu s[w]b[tena no. Saa nti na nnipa bebree ani nnye kokowam aware[ho. Akanfo] aware[ka mmusuaban ahodoɔ nan no nyinaa bom. Yeinom ne barima no papa ne]maame abusuaf] ne]baa no papa ne ne maame abusuaf]. Aware[boa yi obi firi asetena mu ahokyer[mu, s[ebia,]baako yare a, de[]w] aho]den no boa no w] n'ayaresa mu. {hy[]baa no ne]barima no nyinaa animuonyam. Akanman mu no, obi a waware no w] animuonyam w] n'abusua ne kuro a]firi mu sene s[be, obi a odi sugya. Aware[boa ma abusua tr[, efiri s[abusua no ngu da [nam awo] ntoatoaso] no nti. Y[nya agyapade[bebree firi aware[mu, ebi a asaase, adan ne de[[keka ho.

2.1.3.5.1 Aware[Ahodoɔ

S[y[hw[Ghana man mu a, y[w] aware[ahodoɔ anan. Yeinom ne Akristofo] aware, Nkramofo] aware[, Efie aware[ne k]]to aware[. Na mmom y[b[hw[Akanfo] aware[ahodoɔ a w]w]. Asiwa ware[: {y[aware[a]barima bi de n'ano to abaayewa a]nnyini[so s[]nyini a]b[ware no. {ba saa a, otumi ky[no nnoɔma ne sika na]b] no ak]nhoma mpo. Otumi k]gya ne nsenom afuom. Awofo] no bi nso tumi de ababaa a]nnyini[ma]barima bi aware[. S[abaayewa no nyini na]ka s[]renware]barima no a,]barima no ntumi nnye biribiara a]de ama no.

Mpanimfo] ka s[, “Wob[nya sika de asi asiwa no fa t] ap]nkye y[ne no.” Mpena Aware[: {y[aware[a]barima ne]baa tena ase s[awarefo] nanso barima no ntuu]baa no tiri nsa. {b[tumi aba s[]ne]baa no tenae[aky[, w]w] mma,]de nsa ak]hunu abusuafo] nanso]nwiee ne ho ade y[nyinaa a, aware[no da so y[mpenaware[. Saa aware[yi d]]so w]]man yi mu. S[barima no wu a, [ny[]hy[s[]baa no y[no kuna.

Ayet[: {y[aware a s[]hene bi ware na s[]baa no wu anaa s[]baa no aho]den asa w] mpa mu a, abusuafo] yi]baa fofor] hy[n’anan mu. {tumi y[de[wawu no nua mpo.

Mfena-aware[: S[]hene bi,]dehye[bi anaa sikani bi ware afenaa a,]w] ne fie a w]fr[saa aware[yi afenaa-ware[. Tete no, na Ahemfo anaa asikafo] bi k]t] mfenaa ba w]n fie b[som w]n. S[w]nyini na w]n ho y[f[a, w]tumi ware bi anaa obusuani bi tumi ware bi. Awowa ware: S[obi ware]baa a y[de no ab[si awowa a, aware[no y[awowa ware[.

Tete no, s[obi k]b] besea na onni sika anaa ahode[anaa agyapade[a]de b[si ka no ano a,]de ne babaa k]si ano na s[osikani no anaa busuanii bi p[no a]ware no. Kunaware[: S[]baa bi kunu wu na de[odii owufos] no ade[ware]baa yi a, [no ne kunaware no. Aware pa: {no ne aware a w]gye tom w] Akanman mu pa ara. {y[aware[a]barima no ak]hunu]baa no abusuafo] na watua ka biara a amammerε ma ho kwan ma otua ma abusuafo]. De[]de wie ne nyinaa ne tiri ade[ne tiri nsa.

2.1.3.5.2 Aware[mu Amanneε Ahodo]

S[abaayewa bi duru ne mpanimfe[so a, [s[s[]tw[n ma barima b[se no p[sr[no firi n’awofo] nsam y[ne ho ade[nyinaa. Akanfo] amammerε ne s[Agya na]ware ma ne ba. {s[s[abusua mmieni yi nyinaa y[nhwehw[mu ansa na w]apene w]n mma aware[so. Nnoɔma a w]hw[no bi y[: abusua a w]b], yare b]ne ne suban. S[nhwehw[mu di

mu na awofo] no mmieno pene so a,]barima no papa soma ma w]k]gye aware[no. Amannee no nnidiso] ni; Defrain & Olson (2002) so ne Quansah (1981) y[adwene s[aware[y[kuo bi a Nyame nam ne nyansa so ahyehy[ato h].

Nhuanim: }barima no papa soma ma w]de nsa ne sika k]hunu]baa no nkor]fo]. }k] anim de buroni nsa pantu ne sika p]n mmieno ne sede[mmieno. Nnooma no bi w] h] a w]gye no mmieno mmieno. Baako k] agya a]woo]baa no h] na baako nso ak]]baa no abusuaf] h]. }pono akyi b] (k]k])k]): Akanman mu baabi no s[w]gye ahunuanim nsa a na [no ara ne k]k])k] no. Baabi nso w] h] a w]gye ne mmieno. Sika no te s[de[w]gye no nhunuanim no p[p[[p[. Danta ne bommo: Danta y[tete h] mmarima amuase[bi [nna bommo nso y[nnaso]. {y[sika a w]de ma]baa no papa ne ne maame. {y[p]nko ne sr[ko. W]de sika kor] no saa ara bi ma]baa no maame. W]kyer[s[]mfa nt] k[t[ne ntoma a was[e no w] ne babaa ho bi. Tiri ade[: {y[sika a [so a w]gye de t] asase to]baa no abusua mu anaa w]de tua ka bi a [da abusua no mu. {t] da nso a, w]de y[agyapade[to abusua no mu. Saa sika yi de[s[]baa no k] aware[na]ka s[]renware bio a,]barima no tumi gye n'ade[firi abusua no h]. Akontagyesekan: {y[sika a w]de ma]baa no nuammarimanom. {y[sr[-nson. {nn[yi de[w]di ano k]si s[afanu no b[pene so.

Afotuo: W]gye aware no wie a, badwafo] no tu awarefo] baanu no fo. {ns[s[]barima no boro]baa no. {s[s[]baa no nso bu ne kunu. W]yi w]n a w]taa aware[no akyi na w]n asedee ne s[w]b[siesie ntawantawa biara a [b[ba awarefo] no ntam. {nn[yi de[w]y[]baa ho ade[w] sika mu.

Aduane k[se[. {y[aduane a]baa no di kan noa k]ma ne kunu, [siane s[[y[aduane a [di kan nti [s[s[[d]]so a]barima no abusuaf] ne ad]fo] nyinaa b[nya bi adi. {nn[yi de[w]de nn]k]nn]k] na [to pono ma abusuaf] ne ad]fo]. Nkunukyiri nna: Awaregye[no

akyi, s[]baa no noa aduane k[se[wie a,]baapanin ne]baa no ay]nkofo] s]]wareni yi nsa de no k] okunu fie. W]duru a, w]gye]barima no h] sika gya]wareni no h] ma]k]da okunu akyi.

Ayefr[: S[]barima fofor] ne]baa a]w] kunu k]da anaa]sos] no ho baabi a [ny[na [da adi a, w]di as[m b] no ka. Saa [kab] yi na y[fr[no ayefr[anaa ayefade[no.

Mintah (1996) kyer[s[nnoɔma atitire a [w] Akanfo abrab] mu no baako ne aware[, nti s[awofo] bi, [nkanka mmaa no s[w]n babaa so aware[na]nwaree[a, na ato w]n adwendwen. }kyer[mu s[,]baa anaa barima biara aware[y[n'awofo] ahiade[k[se[saa adwene no nso k] so teetee abusua a]baa anaa barima no firi mu no. Afei,]kyer[de[nti a ehia s[]kanni biara so aware[a [w] s[]ware. }toa so s[w] y[n Akanman mu no s[obi so aware[na]nwaree[a, ne kurom, n'abusuafo] ne ne nnamfonom mpo mmu no bi. Yei kyer[s[aware[y[animuonyamhy].

W]kyer[s[awaregye[y[nhyehy[e[a w]nam amannee so ka nnipa baanu b] mu. W]kyer[s[awarefo] no b[nya adwene baako, nna mu nkutahodie na w]ky[adwuma ne agyapade[biara a [b[ba aware[no mu. W]ma y[te ase[s[wiase baabiara mu no aware[biara w] nnyinaso] a ebi ne nna mu ns[m, abawo] anaa ay]nkofa. As[m yi ne de[y[aka no soro no nyinaa s[. Saa ara nso na [foa Broderick (1984) ne Agyepong (1992) so.

2.1.3.6. Owuo

Goody (1962) y[[nhwehw[mu faa owuo, agyapade[ne nsamanfo] nney[e[ho w] Lodagaa m]kyere a [w] Abibiman At]e[mu. Korich (1996) nso y[[nhwehw[mu faa Igbofo] kunay[mu w] Nigeria apue[afa mu. Owuo mpa nnipa ho, {yε ade[a baabiara

cōodoo cōo cōo nyinaa mu. Beaeε a owuo wɔ no, ayiyε nso wɔ hɔ (Kearl, 1989).

Aiyiyε di dwuma ahodoɔ sɛde[nnipa biara hu no no. Aiyiyε boa ma pɛpɛ[p[yε da adi wɔ nkurow nkurow ne nnipa ntam. (Kastenbaum, 1977; kearl, 1989; Mandelbaum, 1959);]san boa si gyedie ahodoɔ a nkurɔfo wɔ wɔ owuo akyi abrabɔ ho so dua (Lageman, 1986); [boa ma nnipa tumi da ne yaw a [redi adi (Bosley & Cook, 1993; Howarth, 2007); na [boa nso de akwannya ba ma nkurɔfo tumi kyere wɔn atenka, ɔdɔ, obuo ne de[[ka ho kyere owufoɔ no (Lynch, 1997).

Rahner (2011) kyere sε saa nkyerεase yi ntumi nna nnipa su a]wɔ nnipa ne wuo mu no adi. Animdefo[binom nso kyere sε owuo ne sε onipa de ne dwumadie ahodoɔ nyinaa bεba awiee[. Schmidt (2006) de nnyinahɔma bi ma owuo sε, obi befiri ateasefо asaase yi so akɔ asamando. Owuo te sε obi retwa nsuo.

Abrab] y[kyinhyia anaa kanko. {nni awiee[. W]wo onipa biara a, w]to ne din [y[abrab] no mfitiase[. S[]y[]baa na oduru ne mpanimfe[so a, w]goro no bra firi mm]fra gyinaberε mu k] mpanin mu. }toa abrab] no so k]pem s[odomankomawuo b[ba ab[fa no. W]gye di s[, s[onipa wu a,]k]toa n'abrab] so w] asamando. W]gye di s[, owuo y[akwantuo a nipa biara b[tu. Owuo y[nkwanta a [da onipa a w]te ase[ntam ne ahonhom anaa nsamanfo] ntam. Nti w]gye di s[, s[obi wu a otumi ne ateasefо nya nkitahodie bi. Amanneε ahodoɔ a w]y[ma de[wawuo no kyere[s[ay]nkofa a [da ateasefо no ne owufoɔ no ntam no ns[e.

De[{de Owuo Ba; Owu pa, Yare[, Akwanhyia bi te s[kaa akwanhyia, gya hyehye[ne ade, Obi b[ku ne ho,]ko, Nyins[n nyiguo.

S[y[de Akanfo] y[mfatoho a, w]gye di s[owuo gu ahodoɔ mmienu. Yeinom ne **at]fowuo ne owupa**. {no ne owuo a [y[akwanhyia anaa asiane, anaa obi b[di ne ho d]m. S[obi wu akwanhyia wuo a, Akanfo] fr[no at]fowuo. Onipa no y[]t]fo]. At]fowuo no bi ne s[; L]re b[b] obi,]dan b[bu ab] obi, Asuo b[fa obi,]w] anaa aboa bi b[kyere obi awe, Obi b[k] awo] so at], S[obi b[b] ne ho tuo, Obi nom adub]ne wu a.

Amoah (2017) kyere se at]fowuo ne se onipa bi nam akwanhyia so awuo, anaas[deε ɔnoara ayi ne nkwa afiri hɔ.]kwan a obi fa so wu at]fowuo no bi ne se obi benya kaa akwanhyia, dua b[bu abɔ obi ma wawuo, obi a nsuo afa no, obi a ɔrewo na wawuo, obi a wabɔ no tuo anaase ɔnoara abɔ ne ho tuo, obi a wasen ne ho, obi a ogya ahye no ma wawuo, obi a wanom aduro ma wafa ho ahwere ne nkwa ne pii a [keka ho. Saa owuo ahodoɔ yi y[akwanhyiawuo. S[obi wu akwanhyiawuo a, y[fr[ne saman no s[**]t]fo**] anaa]samantw[ntw[n. {nam Akanfo] gyedie a w]w] w] owuo ne owuo akyi asetena ho nti,]kanni biara wu a, w]y[amammere ne amanneε de gya owufoɔ no kwan sedee [s[(Goody, 1962; Keal, 1989; Shino, 1997)

Owuo no bi nso w] h] a nnipa no ara na w]y[e[. Akanfo] bu at]fowuo s[[y[mmusuo, ne saa nti w]de ntoma fufuo na [y[at]foye. Obi tumi hy[ne k]n ahoma, b] ne ho tuo, obi ka n'ano aduro,]hy[da k]t] asuo mu ma asuo no fa no. Saa at]fowuo yi, Akanfo] ny[no ayie efiri s[w]mp[s[w]gyegye so]. {y[owuo a obi anyini na wato ne k]n awuo. Mp[n pii no, abusua pere no kakra ansa na wawu. Akanfo] gye di s[, obi nyini ansa na wawu a, [nky[na wasan aba asase yi so ama wawo no bio. {no nti na saa owuo yi, y[y[amanneε gya owufoɔ no kwan kamakama no.

Maboea (2002: 109) kaa de] Makhubu adi kan aka ato dwa se, Abibifo[de], owuo ne [ho nhyeheyεε no wɔyε ma mmoa ne nnua,]nyε onipa biara. Abibifo[hwε owuo se [yε

ade bɔne ber[a yede retoto nipa ho. Abibifo] pε se wɔde adwene bi te sε “ *u hi sweili, anga ha rikona anaa u lovile* (Toga kasa, asekyerε ne: woafi yεn mu kɔ anaa woagya yεn hɔ kɔ. Owuo ho nkyerεase[a agye din mapa ne sε owuo yε ade[[de mpaapaamu ba ɔkra ne honam no ntam. Opoku (1978) kyere sε owuo yε ade[a onipa biara nntumi nkwwati wɔ n'abrabo mu. {yε kwan bi a [wɔ sε onipa biara tu na [nam so aboa no ama wakɔtoa n'abrabo so wɔ asamando. Opoku (1978) kyere sε nnipa wu a, na]nyε n'awiee[ne no, y[nka amena a w]siee no wɔ mu no mu mmom, ɔbeyε honhom na ɔto a so kɔ beaeε bi a wɔfrε no ‘Asamando’. Hackett (1989) nso foa asem a Opoku de too dwa yi so kyere sε **Efikfo a wɔwɔ Calabar** nso wɔ gyedie a [te saa wɔ owuo mu. Akanfo nim sε asamando ne fie na [yε beaeε bi a wɔmfa anikan (onipa a ɔwɔ nkwa ne honam) nkɔ hɔ. Bio, [yε beaeε bi a wokɔ a, wontumi nsan w'akyi mma asaase yi so ha bio. Akanfo gye di sε [hɔ na yεn nananom nyinnaa wɔ na ansa na nnipa b[tumi akɔka wɔn ho no, gye sε wawu.

Mmiti (1975) nso kyere owuo ase sε [yε kwan a w]yi nnipa firi sasa mu kɔ **zamani mu**. ɔto a so kyere sε owuo gyina hɔ ma wɔn a yede yεn ani hu wɔn (ateasefo) ne wɔn a yεmfa yεn ani khu wɔn sε ahonhom. ɔto a so kyere sε obi wu a, [nyε prɛko pε na ɔyera firi asaase yi so, mmom ɔkɔ so ara tena asaase yi so mmer[kakra ma wɔn a wɔne no atena pεn, abusuafο[, adɔfo[ne any[nkofo[nkae] no wɔ akwan ahodo[pii so. Yei na wɔfrε no sε sasa ber[no. Wotumi kae edin a na wɔde frε no nanso [yε a, wɔmmmc so. Wɔkae no nipa su, ne suban binom a ɔdaa no adi ber[a na ɔte ase[, ne nsεm binom a ɔkae titire s[[yε afotu anaa s[aseresεm bi, beaeε ne nnoɔma bi a ɔtotoo no wɔ n'abrabo mu. Akanfo gye di sε obi nnipa wu a, tumi san ba asaase yi so ma wɔwo no bio.

Alatafo[mu no, edin Babatunde ase kyerε ne sε, “agya asan aba”. Sε wɔwo abɔfra na ɔyε ɔbarima na ne nana barima wu a, edin yi na wɔde to no. Sε ɔyε ɔbaa nso a na ne nana baa na awu a, wɔde edin Yetunde anaa Iyabo (Yurobafo) to no, a ase kyerε ne sε, “na asan aba”. (Mmiti, 1975; Opoku, 1978). Saa ara na [ba Akwamu a, wotumi to edin yi bi. W]tumi to edin Ababio ber[a wɔgye di sε obusuani bi a wawu dada na wasan aba ma w]awo no. {tɔ mmer[bi a, wɔmfa onipa a wawu no din nto abɔfra bi so nanso w]tumi (abusuafo no mu mpanimfo) hunu san kyerε onnii a wasan aba no.

Kwan a ateasefɔɔ fa so hunu yei bi ne ne nney[e[ne suban a abofra no bɛda no adi. Nnipadua akwaa binom te sε **anansɔba** ne ab[fra no anim tumi yε sε de] a ɔrewu no. Yei tumi toatoa so bεyε awo] ntoatoas[nan anaa num so k]pem sε obusuani (ɔpanin) a [nim owufo[no nso b]wuo ansa na de] wawu dada no b[firi sasa ber[mu anaa wɔ asaase yi so korakora. Yei na Mmiti frε no sε ‘zamani’.

Onewuchi (n.d) kyerε owuo ase sε, [yε ber[a ɔkra ne nnipadua no di nt]nt] mu. ɔkyerε sε [nyε ade] a onipa dasani biara de n'ani ahunu sε ɔkra a ɔte nnipadua mu no afiri nnipadua no mu da. Mmerε a Onyankopɔn de d]te[bɔɔ onipa huu nkwa honhom guu onipa mu ma ɔbεyεε ɔkra teasefo] no, sεde[[te[pεrεεpε na sε onipa wu a, ɔkra no firi nipadua no mu ma de[ɔyε d]te[no kɔ baabi a ofiri. Yei nti sε onipa wu a, ɔkra no ne nipadua no ntumi nkɔ baabi faako.

Idowuo (1962) ada no adi wɔ Asuquo (2011) mu kyerε owuo mu sε [yε ber[ne kwan a Onyankopɔn nam so to nsa frε onipa biara a ɔwɔ asaase yi so a ne ber[a ɔde ama no wɔ ne dwumadie mu nyinaa aba awiee]. So akwan a nnipa fa so wu nyinaa na efiri Onyankopɔn anaa?

Odoom (2011) kyerε sε owuo yε ber[a onipa dasani no nkwa a [wɔ ne mu no b]firi ne mu, anaa sε home a [wɔ onipa no mu no b]firi ne mu. Akanfo[gyedi sε akwan ahodoɔ mmieni bi wɔ hɔ a onipa fa so wuo. }no ne atɔfowuo ne owupa.

Kobi (2010) ne Prempeh (2009) kyerε atɔfowuo ase sε, [yε owuo a Akanfo[susu sε [yε putupuru na asiane bi bata ho anaa obi b[di ne ho d]m. Sε obi wu akwanhyia wuo a, Akanfo frε no atɔfowuo. Onipa a wawu no yε ɔtɔfo]. Atɔfowuo no bi ne sε lɔre b[bɔ obi, anyinam kanea mu ahoođen b[ku obi, dan b[bu abɔ obi, aboa kεse bi bεkyere obi awe anaa sε obi b[kɔ awo] so atɔ ne de[[keka ho. Saa owuo ahodoɔ yi nyinaa yε akwanhyia wuo. Akanman mu no, sε obi wu akwanhyia wuo a, wɔfrε ne saman no sε ɔtɔfo] anaa samantwεntwεn.

Atɔfowuo no bi nso wɔ hɔ a onipa no ara na ɔyεe]. Obi tumi de homa sεn ne ho, obi tumi bɔ ne ho tuo anaa ɔnom aduro. Obi nso tumi hyε da kɔtɔ nsuo mu ma [fa no. Mpεn pii no, Akanfoɔ gyedie ne sε, atɔfowuo firi abayifo[anaa duabɔ. Saa atɔfowuo yi, Akanfo nyε no ayie esiane sε wɔmmpe sε wɔgyegye so]. Wɔgye di sε kwan a obi faa so kumm ne ho no tumi bεtena abusua no mu.

Amoah (2017) kyerε sε, yare[kum obi na sε onipa no ayare ada hɔ ma [nam yare[no so na wawu a, Akanfo frε saa owuo yi owupa, esiane sε wɔgye di sε [yε mmusuo sε obi behyia akwanhyia afa so awu na sε]y] yare[mu de[a, na owuo kwan papa no ara na wafa so no.

Kobi (2010) ne Prempeh (2009) san kyerε owupa ase sε [yε owuo a obi nyini ansa na ɔreto ne kɔn awuo. Mpεn pii no, abusua no tumi pere onnii no kra sε ɔbesan aba nkwa mu bio. Sε wɔyε yei nyinaa na antumi antentam a, ofiri mu. S]de]]te] wɔ Akanfo[mu no, Juabenfo[dodo] no ara mfa sunsum mu nsem te sε de[efiri abayifo[, abosom ne

duabɔ, mmata owupa ho, mmom wɔde hyε onniiko no nyini. Akanfo[gye di sε, sε obi nyini ansa na wawu a, [nkyε na wasan aba asaase yi so ama wɔasan awo no bio. Sε obi wu owupa a, Akanfo[yε amanne] gya no kwan fεfεfε sεdeε [bεyε na ɔb[kɔ ak]pue asamando hɔ animuonyam mu. {no na wɔfrε no ayiyε no.

Rattray (1927) kyerε sε, ayiyε yε amanneε a wɔyε de ma obi a watwa mu wɔ ateasefɔ asaase so. Akanman mu no, [yε a abusua no na [yε wɔn asεde[sε wɔyε saa amanneε no ma de[wawu no. Mmaa mpanin a wɔwɔ abusua no mu no na wodi saa amanneε no mu akotene. Saa nhwehw[mu yi, yεde nimde] mapa a [fa kwan a wɔde funu fa so, anaa dwumadi biara a w]di wɔ ho nso, metoo me bo hwehwεε mu yie. Ha no, nnoɔma ne adeyε ahodoɔ a [da adi wɔ ayiyε biara ase no, y]b]tumi afrε no sε ayiyε ho dwumadie.

Nwoma atwer]fo[bi te sε Rattray (1927) ne Mmiti (1975) akyere sε, amanneε a wɔyε de gya owufoɔ bi kwan]boa no wɔ owuo akyi abrabɔ no, mpεn pii no nkurɔfo[susu sε wɔreyε de ayi owufoɔ no afiri hɔ a ɔnsan mma sε onipa anaa]saman bio. Abibifo] nkuro ahodoɔ nyinaa adwene wɔ dwuma a w]di ber[a obi awu so papaapa. Owuo yε ade[a [tete onipa firi nkurɔfokuo bi mu. Saa nsesa yi ne amanneε ahodoɔ a wɔyε no bɔ mmɔden sε [b[twe nkurɔfo[adwene asi kɔ a onipa no rekɔ a ɔnsan mma bio so. Wɔyε ahwεyie pa ara wɔ amanneε no ho, na wɔbɔ mmɔden sε wɔnk]yε biribi ntia owufoɔ no. Ne saa nti wɔde funu no fa akwan ahodoɔ ne nhyeheyεε] ahodoɔ pii so.

Amanne] nkumaa ahodoɔ bi na [ka bɔ mu yε ayiyε amanneε no, saa amanneε ahodoɔ no bi ne funsie ho nnoɔma ne amanneε, adidie, ogyam, akyiwade[ne de[[keka ho. Ayiyε ho amanneε yε amammerε ne nhyeheyεε a [didi so pεpεεpε. Nkurɔfo[susu sε saa adwene no nnipa bi ka s], sε obi wu a, ɔbɔ bra wɔ owuo akyi sεde[wɔde nnɔma gu adaka ne amena no mu no ne owuo ho suro a nkurɔfo[wɔ ma saa onipa no nti wɔpε

akwan ahodoɔ bɔ ho ban no nni nnyinaso[biara. Yεwɔ amanneɛ ahodoɔ mmien a [ka bɔ mu a wɔyε no funsie ho amanneɛ a etwa to]:

i.) sε wɔbεrε gyinaberε anaa beaɛɛ papa ama owufoɔ no wɔ ne wuo akyi abrabɔ mu.

ii). sε wɔb[bɔ ateasefɔɔ ho ban afiri ɔhaw a owufoɔ no b[tumi de abrε w]n.

Aiyε ho amanneɛ no mp]mp]nso] nnyε owuo no ara na mmom amanneɛ a wɔyε de pamo owufoɔ no firi ateasefɔɔ mu de no kɔ beaɛɛ a [fata, na wɔde no k]ka awufo[ho (mfatoho yε nsamanfo[a w[ye papa ma nti w]bu no bi na wɔbɔ ne din ka asɛm) na]k]gyina gyinaberε bi a]tumi nya nsunsuansɔ wɔ ateasefɔɔ abrabɔ so w] kwan bi so (Gennep 1990; Honko & pentikainen 1997; Sarv 2000).

Onipa asetena mu no, sε εba sε onipa ntumi nkeka ne ho, afei nso ɔntumi nhome anaa ne home twa bεyε sima kakra bi ntam a yεse onipa no awu. Owuo yε adeɛ a εka ɔdasani abrabɔ ho a ɔntumi nnwane mfiri ho. Saa tebea a nnipa kɔ mu yi yε asetenamu-amammerε ahyɛnsodeɛ a εnka onipa no nko ara abrabɔ na mmom ɛde ɔhaw ne yawdie ba nnipakuo bi so nso. ɔbra kanko no mu nneɛma a onipa fa mu no mu baako ne owuo. Eyε adeɛ a εkyerε sε ɔdasani afiri tebea baako mu kɔ foforɔ mu a ɔnni ateasefɔɔ mu bio. Saa amanneɛ yi yε sunsum mu nneɛma a yεtaa fa mu na εka yεn amammerε ho (Fernandez, 2006). ɔtoaa so sε owuo mu nseɛm bebree no yε adeɛ a yεnka no pen na mmom yεka bra ani sεdeɛ εbεyε a awerɛhɔɔ ne yaw a εde ba no so bεt].

Opoku (1978) ka sε, owuo yε adeɛ a onipa biara ntumi nkwwati wɔ n'abrabɔ mu. Eyε kwan bi a εsε sε onipa biara tu na εnam so aboa no ama wakɔtoa n"abrabɔ so wɔ asamando. Akanfɔɔ ne titire no Asante amammerε mu no, sε onipa wu a, na εnyε n'awieɛɛ ara ne no. ɔkɔtoa abrabɔ foforɔ so wɔ asamando a εyε honhom wiase a yεmfa

y[n ani nhunu. Hackett (1989) de foa Opoku so sε Efikfoc a wɔwɔ Kalaba Nigeria nso wɔ gyedie a εte saa ara. Akanfoc nim sε nseεdo anaa asamando nyε fie na εyε beaεε bi a wɔmfa anikan nhunu (obi a ɔwɔ nkwa anaa honam mu) nkɔ hɔ. Bio, εyε beaεε bi a, sε wokɔ hɔ a wontumi nsane wakyi mma ateasefoc mu bio. Akanfoc gye di sε εhɔ na yεn nananom nyinaa wɔ na ansa na onipa bi bεtumi akɔka wɔn ho no, gye sε wawu.

Mbiti (1975) nso da no adi sε, εyε nsakraεε a εde onipa bi firi sasa mu kɔ saman mu. Ctoa so ka sε owuo gyina hɔ ma wɔn a yεde ani hunu wɔn (atieseefoc) ne wɔn a yεmfia ani nhunu wɔn te sε ahonhom. Yei kyεrε sε obi wu a εnyε prεko pε sε na wayera afiri asase so mmom ɔkɔ so tena asase yi so mmere kakra ma wɔn a wɔne no atena pεn, abusuafoc, adɔfo] ne nnamfoc kae no wɔ akwannuasa ahodoo pii so. Sei na wɔfrε no sasa berε no.

Asuquo (2011) kyεrε owuo ase sε, εyε kwan a Nyankopɔn fa so to nsa frε onipa a ɔwɔ atieseefoc asaase so na ne berε a ɔde ama no wɔ ne wiase dwumadie mu nyinaa aba awεiεε. Ckyεrε sε sεdeε Onyankopɔn de fam dɔtεε bɔɔ onipa no ɔhomedee nkwa honhom guu onipa mu ma ɔbεyεε ɔkra teasefoc no, saa pεpεεpε na onipa wu a, ɔkra no firi nnipadua no mu ma dee εyε dɔtεε no kɔ baabi a εfiri. Yei nti sε onipa wu a, ɔkra no ne nnipadua no ntumi nkɔ baabi faako.

Abibifoc gyedie ne sε owuo biara nni hɔ a εba kwa. Eno nti berε biara no yεwɔ obi a yεde sobo no bɔ no. Abakɔsεm kyεrε sε owuo yε adeεε a εka onipa ho firi adebɔ mfitiaseεε na berε biara onipa wu a, na εyε biribi na εsiiεε anaaseε obi na ayε (Sossou, 2002). Enam saa gyedie ahodoo yi so na Abibifoc yε amanneε de hyε owufoc no animuonyam na wɔde da wɔn amammer] ahodoo no adi. Amanneε a yεde hwehwε kwan korɔ a onipa bi nam so kɔ ne kra akyi na εnam so ma abusuafoc no te wɔn ho ase ɔwɔ

wɔn dehyee no wuo no ho. Saa suahunu yi boa ma aman bi da wɔn ho so wɔ amannee a wɔye de si ɔhaw bi a anka εbεtumi ato nkuro anaa aman bi ano.

Abibiman aman ahodoɔ no bi mu no, gyedie a εfa owuo ho no gu ahodoɔ mmienu. Saa nsɛm yi yε deε εfa nnipadua ho ne deε εmfa nnipadua ho (Opoku, 1989). ɔtoa so kyerε mu sε, deε εfa nnipadua ho no yε deε εnam onyini, yareε, akwanhyia ne pira ahodoɔ so de owuo ba onipa so.

Gyedie a εtaa akyire ne sε deε εfa nnipadua ho no nko ara ma owuo no nwie pεyε. Deε εmfa nipadua ho no yε ahonhom mu nsɛm a εbi ne duabɔ, bayie ne anwanwasɛm anaase ahuntasɛm bi a εma nsamanfoɔ tumi sāman onipa bi ma ɔbεyi ne ho ano wɔ asamando. Abibifoɔ gyedie ne sε, sε obi yare wu a εyε nneɛma bi nti na ama aba saa ara (Mbiti, 1975). Saa gyedie yi na εkyerε sε yεwɔ honhom wiase a ahonhom no tumi to nsa frε onipa bi ma ɔba asamando.

Gyedie a Akanfoɔ wɔ no owuo mu ne sε, beaeε a owufoɔ kɔ no wɔ akyirikyiri nanso wɔtumi nya atenka bi sε ne saman bεn wɔn. Ateasefɔɔ tumi fa apaeε ne amammerε ahodoɔ so de wɔn adesrεdeε ne ahiasɛm biara to wɔn nsamanfoɔ anim. Yei nti, εyε ateasefɔɔ asεdeε sε obi wu wɔ abusua mu a, wɔye amammerε a εfata de gya no kwan fεfεεfε san yε amannee berε ano berε ano de kae no. Afei nso wɔma nananom nsamanfoɔ aduane san gu wɔn nsa. Amannee a wɔye de ma owufoɔ no tumi ma biribiara a ateasefɔɔ de bεtɔ awufoɔ anim no wɔhwε yε ma wɔn pεpεεpε.

Odoom (2011) kyerε sε owuo yε ber[a onipa dasani no nkwa a ɔwɔ no b[firi ne mu, anaa sε home a [wɔ onipa ne mu no b[firi ne mu.

Akanfo gyedi sε owuo gu mu ahodoɔ mmienu. Nti sε onipa biara b[wu a, na [nam saa akwan mmienu yi so. {no ne sε]b[tumi afa yare[so awu. Yei ne sε onipa no ayare ada hɔ ma [nam so de awu. Akanfo] frε saa owuo yi owupa, esiane s[wɔgye di sε [yε mmusuo sε obi b[fa akwanhyia so awu na sε onnii no wu ne yare[mu de[a na kwan papa na ɔfaa so no. Bio, onipa b[tumi afa akwanhyia so awu. Yei ne de[Akanfo] frε no atɔfowuo no. {no ne sε onipa bi nam akwanhyia so awu, obi aku no anaa sε ɔno ara ayi ne nkwa afiri hɔ.

2.1.3.6.1 Owuo Akyi Akwantuo

Mugammi (1989:102) kyerε sε Abibifo] nkyekyεmu kuo bebree ahunu na w]si so dua sε owuo nyε onipa awiee[: de[wafiri mu no b[kɔ ak]ka nananom nsamanfo] ho ma wad]]so de anya nsunsuanso wɔ ateasefɔɔ abrabɔ so. W]w] gyedie sε owuo yε ahy[de[ma asɔre ne som bi mu mma.

Tjibeba (1997:19) adwene a ɔwɔ fa Abibifo] ne owuo ho ne sε;]y] ahuntasem ma obiara: ɔkɔ so ka sε]som mu at[muade] no boa ma y[tumi kyerε akwantuo a [da de[wawu no ne abrabɔ fofor] a ɔrek]wura mu no. {wɔ sε yεhyε no nso sε [yε dwumadie sononko bi a w]di. Abibifo] gye owuo akyi abrabɔ di. Yei nti na Abibifo] bɔ y[n ho mmɔden sε wɔne y[n nananom nsamanfo] b[nya nkitalodie papa.

Akanfo] nim pefee sε, sε onipa wu a na]nwuii[, mmom ɔsan kɔ asamando k]hyε n'abrabɔ fofor] ase. Yei nti sε ɔdehye[bi tɔ ase a, abusuafɔ] yε amanneε de gya no kwan sεde[[fata. Saa amanneε yi na Akanfo] frε no ayiyε no (Amoah, 2017).

2.1.3.7 Ayie Asekyere

Adeyemo (1979:63) se owuo gyina onipa ne sunsum wiase ntam ne saa nti se obi firi ateaſeſoſo asaase yi so a, ohia ſe wɔyε n'ayie na ne ho **atɔmuade]** a [ka ho nyinaa de da nkabɔmu a [da saa wiase mmieni yi mu no adi.

Ayiyo ye amammerɛ kwan a abusua, ne adɔfɔc anaa ateaſeſoſo fa so gya owufɔc bi kwan kɔ asamando. Akanfɔc ye ayie de hyε owufɔc no animuonyam. Nnipa kɔ ayie kɔyi owufɔc no ayε nti mpanin taa ka ſe; "yεrekɔ ayie akɔyi deeſ wawu no ayε". ſe ɔdasani firi mu anaa ne nkwa nna to twa a, na wɔyε no ayie. Yεtumi ye onipa bi a wayera mmere tenten bi a yεnku no na yεſusu ſe wawu no ayie wɔ berɛ a abusua no nhunu amu no (Adinkrah, 2015). ɔtoaa ſo ſe, εnam aε Akanfɔc di adeε kɔ εna fam no nti, wɔn a ayie no si wɔn nan ſo] ne owufɔc no maame abusua. Ayiyo gu ahodoɔ mmieni a εyε dɔteyie ne sikasanom.

Adinkra (2015) kyerɛ mu ſe Akanfɔc ayie mu dwumadie no gu ahodoɔ na egina onipa a wawu no diberɛ ne kwan korɔ a ɔfaa ſo wuiε no ſo. Esono ſedee ſesi yε adehyeeɛ, aberempɔn ne ahemfo ayie. Saa nſo na εwɔ kwan a yεfa ſo yε temanmufoɔ nſo ayie. Ayie biara gyina ahoboa sononko a owufɔc no abusua ayε ne diberɛ a na owufɔc no kuta ansa na ɔrekɔ ne kra akyi. Aberempɔn, adehyeeɛ ne ahemfo ayie tumi kɔ ſo boro da baako. Mpo]kwan wɔfa ſo bɔ ayie a εte ſei ho nkaeɛ no yε sononko. Kuffour (2009) Ayiy[y[amanneɛ a Akanfo] y[de gya owufɔc kwan anaas[[y[akwank]gya bi a w]y[de gya owufɔc bi kwan. Akanfo] gyedie no bi ne ſ[, ſ[obi wu a na]retu kwan ak] asamando ak]toa ne Nananom a w]adi kan no. Na animuonyam a w]de b[hy[no w] ber[a w]rey[n'ayie no saa animuonyam no ara na]de b[pue asamando. Akanfo] ayiy[gu ahodoɔ

i.) **D]teyie**

ii.) **Ayipa anaa Sikasa**

iii.) **Sodo]**

Akanman mu no, s_edeeε w]si y[d]teyie ne s[, s[owuo si obi so w] abusua mu a,]baapanin a]w] h] no tena ne ho na s[]hunu s[]rewu a,]gu n'anom nsuo. W]fa no s[y[br[suo a owufoɔ no de rek]firi n'asamando akwantuo no ase[. {nn[yi de[nnipa bebree taa wu w] ayaresabea nti w]nngu w]n anom nsuo. W]butu no ma mogya s]ne [firi ne mu. Ber[a abusuafo] rey[ahosiesie no, w]mm] so. S[obi wu a, n'agya fie na w]deda no y[ayie no. S[abusua atitire no ano boa a, w]soma ,ma w]k]t] adaka. Afei nso w]soma ma w]de nsa k]b]]hene a]w] kurom h] amanneε. Saa ber[yi na wanoa nsuohye[de redware no w] ber[a w]abubu ne mm]wer[ayi ne ho nwii kama. W]di kan yi apae[na w]redware no no nyinaa na w]de nkra rema owufoɔ no. Agya fam nnipa ne abusuafo] na w]dware owufoɔ no. Nnoɔma a w]de sie owufoɔ (adesiede[) no bi ne k[t[, sumii[, ntoma fitaa/kente, p[tea, duku a sika b] ano, sap], ne de[[keka ho.

Kuffour (2009) kyer[s[], Akanfo] susu s[[y[akwantuo nti ohia nne[ma a]de b[tu kwan no. Tete no s[obi wu a, na w]tumi de no to h] kakra ansa na w]asie no. De[na w]y[ne s[, w]bam efunu no s_edeeε w]b[tumi de ato h] ama no adi nna kakra. W]tumi de no si kuruwaba so twe ne mu nsuo. Baabi nso w] h] a, w]tumi de nsahye[gu ne menem ma [k]noa ne nsono s_edeeε [b[y[a amu no mpor] nt[m. Akanfo] de nnuhuam, hwenteara, wisaa ne ankaatwade[ne nnuro a [b[ma amu no ada h] aky[re kakra siesie no. S[owia k] fam kakra na abusuafo] agye adesiede[no awie no, w]de amu no to adaka mu. Afei

mmarima a w]w] efie h] anaa mma pagya amu no na abusuaf], okunafo] ne ad]fonom nyinaa to santen nyaa de amu no k] nsamanp]m k]p[baabi de no to.

S[w]de owufo o no reto adaka mu a, abusuapanin yi apae[. {ha, s[w]susu s[obi na]nam kwan b]ne so ayi owufo o no afiri h] a, w]fr[saman no s[]mm[fa onipa kor] no nk] bi. W]n a w]k]] asie[h] no duru fie a, w]hohoro w]n nan ase ne w]n nsa ho ansa na w]ak] fie. W]n a w]di w]n ho d[m de[w]sie w]n kwanky[n. Abusuaf] tu nsa a w]mm] nsaa da no. {firi ber[a obi b[wu k]pem ber[a w]b[sie no no, amanneε biara a [k] so nyinaa na w]fr[no s[“D]teyie” no.

Odoom (2011) kyerε sε owuo yε ber[a onipa dasani no nkwa a [wɔ ne mu no b[firi ne mu, anaa sε home a [wɔ onipa no mu no b[firi ne mu. Akanfo gyedi sε akwan ahodo o mmienu bi wɔ hɔ a nnipa fa so wuo. {no ne atɔfowuo ne owupa anaa yarewuo. Saa owuo mmienu yi ayiy] mu no Akanfo[akyeky[mu mmeinu d]teyie ne sikasa

S] y]ka s] sikasa anaa s[ayipa a tete h] no, na Akanfo] taa de ayie no hy[adaduanan anaa adadu]w]twe. Akanfo] taa y[ayie Memeneda anaa Yawoada. S[ayida no duru so a, abusuapanin ne abusuaf] no de]pono si baabi a w]ab] apata a w]rey[ayie w] h] no na w]atena ase[agye nsawa no. W]firi ayie no ase b[y[s[awia d]nkoro k]si anwummer[b[y[s[nn]nsia. S[[da no duru so a, abusuaf] no bob] apata ma agyamfo] no b[tena ase[. Abusuaf] no fura k]bene, twitwa asafe[, wor] w]n nan mu mpaboa.

Mmaa no bi mpo b] tikwa, san to abesano. W]han agor] bi te s[adowa, kete, nnwonkor] ma w]b[gor] w] ayie no ase. Sεdeε [b[y[a agyamfo] no b[tumi ahunu abusuaf] ne okunafo] no akyea w]n nsam ama w]n daakena anaas[hy[den nti, w]tena faako. Owufo o no mma no de[, w]taa boa w]n ho. S[ade[resa a, ayie no tu ma akwantufo] k] baabi a w]firi bae[. Abusuaf] no nso tu apon. Ade[kye a w]bu akonta

s[[ka bae[a, Abusuapanin kyer[]kwan a w]b[fa so atua. Mp[n pii no w]ky[ka no ma obi a]fr[ne ho busuani biara tua bi. Tjibeba (1997:19) adwen a ɔwɔ fa Abibifo] ne owuo ho ne sε; [y[ahuntasɛm ma obiara: ɔkɔ so ka sε som mu atɔmuade[no boa ma y[tumi kyerɛ akwantu a [da de[wawuo no ne abrabɔ fofor] a ɔrek] mu no. {wɔ sε yεhyε ne nso sε [yε dwumadie sononko bi a y[de da ase[. Abibifo] gye owuo akyi abrabɔ di. Yei nti na Abibifo bɔ wɔn ho mmɔden sε wɔne wɔn nananom nsamanfo] b[nya nkitalodie papa.

Tete h] no, s[wok] ayie na wone de[wawu no b] abusua baako a, w]mm] nsaa na mmom w]tua ayie ase ka. Afei abusuapanin yi odiadefo], s[owufoɔ no hy[[nsamanse[a [s[s[w]di so p[p[[p[. S[w]bu ka no wie a, abusua no mu mmaa kyinkyin deda kurom h] nnipa ase. S[atitire baa ayie no a, w]han l]re k]deda ase w] nkuro a w]firi so bae[no.

2.1.3.8 Adedie

Adedie ne s[obi awu na obi refa n'akyiri nne[ma anaas[]res] n'as] mu anaas[obi refa ne tuo. {y[akwannya a onipa bi nya [nam abusuab] a [da onipa kor] no ne]wufo] no ntam. {w] s[de[]reb[di owufoɔ no ade[no y[ne busuani, ne yere anaa ne mma. Adedie ahodoɔ a [w] Ghanaman mu ha na edidi so] yi.

i.) {na fa mu adedie

ii.) Agya/papa fa mu adedie.

{na fa mu adedie: Yei y[adedie a y[di no w] [na fam. Obi b[tumi adi ne w]fa ade[anaas[]baa bi b[tumi adi ne maame ade[. Yei kyer[s[, s[barima bi wu a, ne nuabaa babarima na]di ne w]fa no ade[. De[nti a w]y[no sei ne s[w]b] abusua k] [na fam; nti w]fa no

ne ne w]faase no nyinaa b] abusua baako nti na w]faase no tumi di ne w]fa ade[. Akanfo] titire na w]di ade[k] [na fam. Nnoɔma pii na [w] saa adedie yi ho [no bi na [didi so] yi. {hy[abusuab] mu kena, {boa ma abusua agyapade[tena abusua no ara mu. Yeinom nso ne de[[ny[w] ho: {boa ma nnipa y[akwadwor], saa adedie yi kwati anaa eyi owufoo no yere ne ne mma totwene, s[owufoo no any[nsamanse[a, [ma ne yere ne ne mma k] ahokyer[mu, esiane s[agyapade[no k]di obusuani h] s[owufoo no any[nsamanse[a, [ho ahokyer[no tumi ma ne mma no b] asesa.

Agya fam adedie: Yei y[adedie a yedi k] agya fam. Agyapade[biara a owufoo no b[gya no, y[ky[ma owufoo mma mmarima. Nkranfo], Ewefo] ne Dagombafo] na w]di ade[k] agya fam w] Ghana man mu.

Agya fam adedie ho mfaso] na edidi so] yi; Agya no y[adwumaden de y[agyapade[gya ne mma, [boa ma awofo] hunu s[w]n mma daakye hy[w]n nsam, [boa ma]baa a]ne ne mma boaa agya no y[[agyapade[no nya w]n ky[fa w]]wufo] no agyapade[mu. De[[ny[w] agya fam adedie ho bi nie: etumi de ntawantawa b[to]wufo] no abusuaf] ne owufoo ne yere ne ne mma ntam, S[owufoo no any[agyapade[biara a, [ma ne yere ne ne mma ho kyere w]n.

{nam s[nhwehw[mu yi fa Akanfo] ho nti y[refa Akanfo] de[s[mfatoho na y[ahw[Akanfo] adedie. S[obi wu w] abusua bi mu a, de[w]taa y[ne s[, Abusuapanin ne abusuaf] no hyia mu na way[nhwehw[mu w] ne nuanom a aka no mu anaas[ne w]faasenom mu p[de[w]b[dane owufoo no tuo anaa n'as] ahy[ne nsa. Mmom Akanfo] hw[s[, de[wawu no nuanom bi b[di ade[no, na s[[k]ba s[w]n asa a ansa na w]faase[aba mu. {no nti na Akanfo] bu b[bi s[, "Niwaan mma nsae[a, w]faase[nni ade[".

Saa ara nso na w]di ade[no nnidiso] nnidiso]. {ne s[,]ba panin a]w] anuanom mu mma na w]di ansa na kumaa no fam nso ab[toa so nanso nn[yi de[nsesae[aba saa Akanfo] adedie no mu. {w] mu s[w]di ade[nnidiso] nnidiso] nanso s[eduru obi so na w]hw[s[]nni suban pa bi de[a, [nne[w]tumi pa ne ho na w]de ama obi a odi akyire koraa a]w] suban pa na]b[tumi ahyapade[a owufoɔ no agya h] no so na afei nso]b[tumi asan ap[bi aka ho.

W]hw[obi a n'ani da fam na]mm[s[e agyapade[no. Akanfo] amammerɛ mu no, s[de[owuui[no y[]baa na s[ne nua maa no bi te ase a, baako na]fa n'agyapade[no na]hw[ne mma no so]. Mmom ne nnoɔma a wawu agya h] no taa k] ne mma no h], gye s[,]y[bonini a s[be wanwo. Baabi nso w] h] a, s[]baa bi wu na s[ne nua bi di n'ade[a,]dane adedie no de ma owufoɔ no babaa na]tena akyire hw[s[biribiara b[k] so fr]mfr]m w] mma a aka akyire no abrab] mu. Akanman mu no s[w]yi odiadefo] a, mma no soa no b] no hyire ne titire no s[[y[w]n abodwo w] de[]reb[fa w]n papa tuo no anaa de[]reb[s] w]n maame as] mu no.

Akanman mu no s[obi b[di ade[a, nnoɔma a w]de hy[ne nsa no bi ne nsaase, mfuo, adan, sika, akonnwa ne agude[,]yere ne ne mma. Ayie no akyi adaduanan no, [s[s[odiadefo] no ne abusuafo] no hyia na w]buehue owufoɔ no nnaka ne ne nnoɔma nkae[so na w]hwehw[mu. Nnoɔma bi te s[ntoma no de[, w]taa kyeky[bi ma mma ne abusuafo] no. Afei nso s[]w] [dan a, odiadefo] no kyeky[bi ma w]n. S[agyapade[papa bi w] h] a,[w] s[afe biara ohyia abusua no na obu akonta kyer[w]n sika dodo] a wanya efiri ber[a]hw[[so] no.

W]de saa sika no bi hw[mm]fra a w]w] abusua no mu a w]hia mmoa w] sikas[m mu no. De[[hia k[se w] Akanfo] adedie mu ne s[, [s[s[]hw[okunafo] no ne ne mma. Tete

ber[no mpo de[, na odiadefo] no tumi ware]baa kunafo] no. S[owufoɔ no y[[nsamanse[nso a, [nne[abusuafo], mma ne ne yere no nyinaa k] aban as[nnibeaa na w]k]tie sεdeε osi kyeKy[[n'agyapade[no mu nyinaa si fae[.

{no akyi no, w]hw[ky[de obiara a ne din w] nsamanse[no mu ky[fa ma no. {nam]haw ahodoɔ a [w] saa adedie ahodoɔ mmienu yi mu nti, **Provisional National Defence Council (PNDC) de mmara fofor]** bae[a w]fr[no “**Intestate Succession Law**” anaa **“PNDC Law 111” w]** 1985 s[[b[siesie saa]haw ahodoɔ yi. S[obi wu na s[wany[nsamanse[a, saa mmara yi so na y[hw[de ky[n'agyapade[ma ne yere ne mma ne n'abusuafo]. Nsamanse[ne krataa a [kyer[sεdeε [w] s[y[ky[obi agyapade[s[ofiri mu a. Mmara yi mu no, s[owufoɔ no agyapade[a ogyaε[y[fie baako a, saa fie no k] okunafo] ne ne mma h]. Na s[efie no boro baako a, w]ky[ma kunafo] no ne ne mma; na s[w]nhunu sεdeε w]b[ky[agyapade[no a, w]b[tumi ak] as[nnibeaa ama waky[agyapade[no ama w]n. Efie nnoɔma bi te s[T[l[bihin, k]mpiwta, nkonnwa, kaa, mmoa ne de[[keka ho a, ne nyinaa k] kunafo] no ne ne mma h].

S[y[yi efie ne emu nnoɔma firi h] na s[owufoɔ no w] agyapade[fofor] bi te s[asaase, mfuom, sika ne ade a, y[w] sεdeε w]si ky[saa nnoɔma yi w] mmara yi ase. S[owufoɔ no gyaa kunafo] ne mma a, sei na w]ky[agyapade[no. W]ky[agyapade[no nyinaa mu ahodoɔ dunsia. {mu mmi[nsa k] kunafo] no h]; [mu nsia k] ne mma h]; w]de nkae[no ma owufoɔ awofo] ne abusua no h]. S[owufoɔ no gyaa ne hokani nko ara na s[mma nka ho a, saa agyapade[yi mu fa k] kunafo] no h] na nkae[no ak] owufoɔ no awofo] ne abusuafo] h]. Na s[owufoɔ no gyaa mma nko ara a, w]ky[agyapade[no mu nan na emu mmi[nsa ak] ne mma no h], na nkae[no ak] awofo] ne abusua no h].

S[owufoɔ nni yere ne mma a, w]ky[agyapade[no mu nan na emu mmi[nsa k] n'awofo] h] [nna baako no nso ak] abusua no h]. S[owufoɔ no nni]hokani, mma ne awofo] a, n'agyapade[no nyinaa k] abusua no h]. Na s[[k]ba s[owufoɔ no nni]hokani, mma, awofo] ne abusua a, n'agyapade[nyinaa k]di]man no nsam. Saa mmara yi ho w] mfaso] pii. De[[didi so] yi y[Intestate Succession Law/PNDC Law 111 no ho mfaso]: {boa ma y[ky[agyapade[ma asomdwoe[ba, obiara nya ne ky[fa p[p[[p[, Aboa ayi]haw a okunafo] ne ne mma k] mu w] ber[a agyapade[no nyinaa tumi k]di abusua no h] a, Saa mmara yi de nkabom aba abusua mu.

2.1.4 Kuna ne kunay[nkyer[kyer[mu

Mintah (1996) kyere s[,]barima yere anaa]baa kunu wu a,]y[kuna nti w]fr[no okunafo]. Kuna, s^{edee} edin no te[no, [kyer[s[, “obi a]redi kun na” anaas[kun ho ay[den ama no”. Boahene (1999, 2001) kyer[mu s[, mp[n pii no, mmaa na w]taa de w]n hy[kunayε mu. Yei asekyer[tiawa ne s[, Akanfo] amammerε mu no,]barima de[,]w] ho kwan s[]b[ware mmaa baanu anaa de[[boro saa w] abrabɔ mu. Saa nti s[ne hokafo] bi patu wu a, [y[a odi awer[ho] nanso [nky[re na wanya obi a]b[kyekyere ne wer[. Yei nso nti,]barima ny[kuna nky[re, b[y[nnaw]twe ara.

Yei kyer[se, owuo y[onipa awiee[w] asaase yi so. Saa nti s[awarefo] bi wu a, ogya kunu anaa yere w] akyire. Saa onipa no na y[fr[no okunafo]. Amanneeε a, barima anaa]baa bi yere anaa ne kunu wu a,]fa mu no na w]fr[no kunay[. Cavallo ne Warner (2002) daa no adi [nna Olapeaba ne Chovwen (2006) kyer[mu s[, obi b[y[kuna a, gye

s[ne hokafo] awu. Nn[mmer[yi mu nso nkur]fo] hunu okunafo] s[, obi a ne hokafo] awu a]nwaree bio.

Kunay[y[amammerε no mu baako a w]y[no w] Abibiman mu. Saa amanneε yi w] sunsum mu som ne asetena mu mfaso]. Mmom sunsum mu nnoɔma a [hia no y[nnim esiane s[da y[n gye di ne s[, de[[b[tum ato okunafo] no ne de[ehia [nam s[, s[kunafo] fa saa amanneε yi nyinaa mu a, onya ahote[bi w] n'adwene mu s[sunsum mu nkitalodie a]ne owufoɔ no w] no nyinaa aba awiee[nti]w] ho kwan s[]tumi ware bio a sunsum biara ntumi nhaw no. Saa nti s[obi y[kuna a, dwuma a wodi ma no no mfa]no nkoara ho na mmom [fa kuro anaa]man a]te mu no nso ho. Saa dwuma yi gyina gyedie ne amammerε a [w] kuro no mu no so. Sackey (2001:60), Goody (1962), Konnor (1993) pae mu ka s[, kunay[y[amanneε mu nhyehy[e[baako a [ho hia w] y[n amammerε mu. W]kyer[mu s[, [yε at]muade[bi a wɔyε ma owufoɔ no hokafo].

Kunay[y[]haw ma mmarima ne mmaa nyinaa w] wiase nyinaa mu. Brayer (1986) gye yei to mu s[, kunay[y[as[nk[se[w] abrab] mu a [da onipa abrab] mu nhyehy[e[[de yaw ne **abamubuo** br[onipa. Nnipa a w]de w]n fa saa yaw ne ateetee yi mu no, [w] s[nkur]fo] a w]w] kurom h] no boa w]n w] w]n tebea no mu. Brayer (1986) kyer[mu bio s[, mmarima ne mmaa akunafo] nyinaa hia mmoa firi w]n manfo] h]. Olapegba ne Chovwer (2006) kyer[mu s[, mmoa a amamfo] b[tumi de aboa okunafo] gu mu ahodoo nan. Mmoa a egina w]n atenka so, s[w]b[boa w]n w] nnoɔma afa mu, [nna bio nso ne s[, w]de w]n b[fa ay]nko fa mu ama w]n wer[anho. Nkuro bi mu no, akunafo] binom tiri ny[yie ma w]y[w]n ayakayakade[a [de yaw ne]haw br[w]n.

Boahene (2001:256) kyer[mu s[, kunay[y[amanneε bi a ne y[nna fam koraa. S[,]baa bi kunu wu a, n'abusuafo] de k]to]barima no abusuafo] anim. S[[ba no saa a, w]y[no kuna. W]de no hy[]baa panin bi a watwa awo] nsa ma]y[no kuna. Saa ber[yi,]de nsa yi apae[sr[owufoc no s[mma]mm[yi w]n hu nkanka okunafo] no. Afei w]sr[de[wawuo no saman s[]mmoa okunafo] no ma]ny[kuna no asomdwoe[mu.

2.1.5 De[enti a kunay[ho hia wɔ Akan Amammerε mu

Goody (1962) hunu akwan ahodoo nan a nkur]fo] a w]wɔ Dagaa w] Atifi Anee Mantam mu w] Ghana y[ber[a w]rey[obi kuna. Yei mu na w]de y[kunay[mu amanneε no. Yeinom ne;

- i. funu no ho nsiesie ne ne koraber[.]
- ii. Awer[ho] a owufoc abusuafo] ne nkur]fo] a w]w] kuro mu h] no di
- iii. ntetemu a [da atEasefoc ne owufoc ntam
- iv. w]kyeky[owufoc no dwumadie bi a]b[dii mu te s[adan, afuo ne de[[keka ho.

Sackey (2001:61) nso akyer[mu s[, kunay[ho nhyehy[e[w] Asanteman a [y[Akan abusuakuo mu baako w] akwan hodo] mmi[nsa so. W]di; ntetemu anaa mpaapaamu, nsakyer[a [da adie, [nna sε abusuakuo mmieno no nyinaa b[di **nsaw]so**], nnoɔma a w]y[no w] saa akwan mmi[nsa yi mu no ne s[, w]b[y[**at]muade**[a [b[kyer[ns[nkyer[nne[bi w] ne hokafo] no abrab] fofor] mu na aboa owufoc no w] n'akwantuo a]de rek] owuo mu no.

Goody (1962) kyer[mu s[, s[]barima wu a, ne yere anaa ne yerenom a wagya w]n akyire no, w]de nsuo hohoro w]n ho na w]de nkaho fufuo akeka w]n ho. Yei kyer[s[,

at]muade[a w]y[de hohoro kunafo] biara ho no, te no ho firi efi biara a [w] ne kunu no ho no (krataafa 40, 221), na nkaho fufuo no nso kyer[s[]y[kunafo], saa nti barima biara ntumi ne no nna anaa s[ntwe mpena (krataafa 186,241).

Ohia s[y[hy[no nso s[, **at]muade[** a w]y[de te okunafo] ho no y[kunay[mu amanneε a [w] Abibiman mu. Saa ara nso na afade[a [yε nkaho fufuo a]de ka ne ho no y[ns[nkyer[nne[a [ma nkur]fo] hunu tebea a]w] mu no na w]hunu no mm]b] na aboa no w] n'asetena mu (Amoako-Atta Fosu 2000:10; Sackey 2001: 66; Olapegba na Chovwen 2006:10). Bio, saa **at]muade[** yi boa ma [yi sunsum mu nkitahodie a [da owufoɔ no ne ne hokafo] no ntam no firi hɔ. Saa nti mpa mu nkitahodie biara nni w]n ntam na [boa nso ma owufoɔ no akwantuo k] ne nsamankyre no di mu (Goody 1962: 196; Sackey 2001: 67, 78).

2. 1.6 }haw a Akunafo] Mmaa k] mu

{w] mu s[,]barima kunafo] ne]baa kunafo] nyinaa tumi hwere hokafo] a [w] s[anka w]n baanu nyinaa tumi fa kunay[nhyehey[e[biara mu p[nanso w] nkuro bi mu no, mmaa akunafo] nkutoo na w]de w]n fa kunay[mu haw ne ayakayakade[mu.

Olapegba ne Chovwen (2006) pae mu ka s[,]barima ne]baa nyinaa tumi y[kuna na mmom [nam nyiyimu a [da] barima ne]baa ntam nti, mmaa na w]hyia saa]haw a [w] kunay[mu. Goody (1962) hunu s[,]barima kunafo] nhye[da mfa kunay[mu amanneε mu pii sεdee]baa kunafo] y[no esiane s[]baa owufoɔ n'ayiey[y[tia sene]barima owufoɔ de[. }kyer[mu s[, [nam s[]barima w] ho kwan s[]ware dodo] a]p[w] Abibiman mu ha no nti enhia s[]barima a]w] yerenom bebree tena kuna mu ky[re.

Mmarima y[danodifo] na w]w] tumi a [ma w]hw[biribiara so w] Abibiman mu. Abibiman mu ha de[y[hu mmarima s[, w]n ho y[den, wɔy[akoko]durufo] na w]di tumi w] biribiara so na mmom mmaa nte saa. Y[gye to mu s[, mmarima na w]b] akonhomma w] fie, w]y[adwumaden na w]b] w]n abusua ne]man no nyinaa ho ban. Adwuma a sika anaa mfaso] papa bi w] mu no, mmarima na w]y[w] ber[a mmaa y[adwuma a [y[mmr[ne efie adwuma nso.

Yei nti s[] barima wu a, [ma]baa no abrab] sesa esiane s[wahwere biribiara. Enti na wob[hunu okunafo] ()baa) w] Akanman mu a, daa otwa adwo w] ne kunu no wuo no ho. Mfatoho; “{de[n na wo mma yi b[die”? M’anidaso] asa oo, Mewie oo”. Yei da adi pefee s[, s[[ba no saa a,]baa kunafo] no hyia]haw ne amanehunu w] n’abrabɔ mu ne ne mma no w]n hw[mu.

Olaopegbna Chovwen (2006) da no adi pefee s[amanneɛ a nkur]fo] a w]y[Igbofo] a w]w] Amammara “State” w] Nigeria Boka y[w] kunay[mu. {no ne s[, w]de okunafo] no to dan mu na yei mu no w]mma okunafo] no kwan mma]nkasa, nsu, nny[aduane, nnk] badwa mu anaa nhiamu biara ase. }y[saa ara afe. Yei ma okunafo] no dan nnipa binom w] n’asetena ne n’abrab] mu.

Bio nso ne s[, w]twitwa okunafo] no tiri nwi ma no ho y[nk]ntan na owufoɔ no nkur]fo] no gye agyapade[a ogyaa no akyire no na mpo w]tu no firi fie a]te mu no mu s[okunu no na]sii[a. W]hy[akunafo] no ma]fa afade[tuntum na w]hy[no nso ma osu. W]de no k] nsuo mu k]hohoro ne ho ama]ne owufoɔ no atwa nkitahodie biara a]ne no w] mu no. W]ma okunafo] no tena dade[anaa mpa so de kyer[awer[ho] tebea a]w] mu. Wohunu kunafo] no s[wagu ne ho fi na]b[tumi de saa mmusuo yi asane afofor], saa

nti s[obi p[s[]kyea no a, w]kyekyere ne nsa ho. De[[di akyire ne s[, w]ma]ka ntam. Adwenkyer[ne s[, onim ne kunu ne wuo no ho bi, saa nti w]ma]ka ntam de san ne ho (krataafa 837).

Dwuma a w]di no w] kunay[mu ma akunafo] no y[ade[a Olapegba na Chowwen (2006) de too dwa s[, de[w]y[no w] Abibiman mu no y[p[. {no ne s[, de[w]y[no kunay[mu no y[**at]muade[** a [da w]n som mu gyedi ne w]n abrab] mu ns[m adi.

Bio so, dwuma a wodi no w] kunay[mu no y[abofo] w] aniso] na mmom s[w]b[hwehw[mu yie na w]ahunu ns[nkyer[nne[a [w] mu no y[ade[a ehia. Mfatoho ne s[, w] Akanman mu no, s[w]b[gye agyapade[bi afiri okunafo] bi nsam no ny[Akanfo] kunay[mu amanneε a w]y[(Mensah, 2019).

De[[te[ne s[, s[y[p[s[y[yi saa nne[ma yeinom akwa a, [w] s[y[ma mmaa a w]w] Abibiman mu ha sua nwoma na ama ahy[w]n nkuran. S[y[tumi tete mmaa no yie w] nwomasua mu na w]nya w]n ankasa w]n adwuma a w]nnan obi na mmom w]b[tumi ahw[w]n ho ne w]n mma w] ber[a okunu no nni h] bio.

Abibiman bi mu no, akunafo] fa yaw na ateetee[mu ber[a w]rey[kuna no na nkur]fo] hunu saa amanneε yi s[, [y[ayakayakade[a [br[onipa ase[na etiatia w]n fawohodie so. }baa kunafo] no tumi hwere agyapade[a]ne no kunu ay[no mpo. S[w]b[gye agyapade[afiri]baa kunafo] no nsam ny[Akanfo] w]n kunay] mu amanneε no bi. Na yei mu no, nkur]fo] binom kyer[s[, mmaa nni aho]den a w]b[tumi ay[agyapade[ak[se[.

Sedeε Akanfo] de ay[[b[s[, ”]baa t]n nnyaadowa na]nt]n atuduro”, [nna baako nso ne s[; ”]baa t] etuo a, [twere]barima dan mu”. W]kyer[mu s[,]baa y[]barima ne yere k[k[a]boa no ma]y[agyapade[ma]barima ne n’abusua. Na mmom]baa no agyapade[ne ne mma a]wo w]n w] aware[no mu a]de w]n k]b] n’abusua no. W]kyer[s[, okunu no wuo akyiri no, de[odi owufoɔ no ade[no hw[yere ne mma no k]pem ber[ayere no b[ware bio. S[okunafo] no gye to mu s[]b[ware owufoɔ no a, w]ma no tena fie h] ara, mpo s[[y[abusua fie a. Yei y[kuna aware.

{ba no saa a, okunafo] no ne ne mma no tena okunu no a wawu no fie h], mpo s[efie no y[abusua de[a. Saa nhyehy[e[yi y[ade[a w]fa so b]]yere ne ne mma a wagya w]n akyire no ho ban w] w]fa anaa [na adedie mu ber[a okunu no afiri mu.

Sedeε wiase resesa [nam nwomasua, ananasom, atuk]tena, nkuro mmue[], abusuakuo ahodoɔ mu aware[ne nkuro a w]kasa fa nnipa su ho s[]barima anaa]baa w]n **b]bea** ny[p[no, ama de[w]y[no w] Abibiman mu no ho nni mfaso] anaa atwa mu. Sedeε yeinom de nsesa aba Abibiman mu, y[ntumi nka s[saa ade[no nna so ara nk] so, s[w]ny[mmaa w]n tenabea bio, s[w]y[yeronom a w]tena fie nkotoo. {nn[mmer[yi s[de[wiase rebue yi, mmaa w] ho kwan s[w]sua nwoma k] nkan na watumi aye adwuma ak[se agye akatua ak[se[de y[agyapade[. Yei kyer[s[, ber[a na odiadefo] no tumi pam kunafo] ne ne mma firi w]n fie no atwa mu.

Afe 1985 mu w] Ghanaman mu no, aban de adedie ho nhyehy[e[bi a w]fr[no Provisional National Defence council (PNDC) Law 111 bae[. Saa mmara yi ab[yi]haw akunafo] ne w]n mma k] mu w] ber[a w]n kunu ne agya anya ne baabi k] no. Mmara no kyer[mu s[, s[okunu no wuui[wo ber[a wany[nsamanse[a, [no [w] se okunafo]

ne ne mma no nya owufoo no n'agyapade[no mu nky[mu nan no mu mmi[nsa (3/4).

Mmara no ti mu s[, s[owufoo no w] dan baako a, [no okunafo] ne ne mma a wagya w]n akyire no fa dan no ne mu nkukunkaka nyinaa. S[mpo ber[a yere no nni ky[fa biara w] nsamanse[no mu no, Ghana amammuo mmara ma ho kwan.

S[akunafo] (mmaa) no kyer[kyer[de[w]hyia w] w]n kunay[mu a, adwene pii na nkur]fo] kyer[[w] ho, Korich (1996). Y[[mfatoho s[, okunafo] bi de n'as[nyaw b[too n'anim s[, w]siee ne kunu wie[no, an]pa tutuutu biara n'ase de no k] fie no akyire ma]k]dware nsuonwunu. }y[saa an]pa tutuutu ber[a ewiem da so y[nwunu na aw] w] mu. Kyer[s[, [w] s[osu de b] ne kunu no din ber[a]te ase[no na ɔde fr[no no. }se,]tenaa fie h] dii saa dwuma yi ara mfe[nan a na]nk] baabiara.

Okunafo] fofor] nso de n'awer[hos[m too dwa s[, ansa na w]b[sie ne kunu no, w]y[ε no ayakayakade[pii. W]maa]ne funu no daa [dan baako mu na w]too mu safoa d]nnhwere mmi[nsa. Gyedie no ne s[,”me na mekumm no nti me nso menwu bi. W]siee no wiee[no, w]hy[[me maa medaa nna no so nnanu ansa na w]regye adi s[[ny[me na mekumm no.” {w] mu s[amanneε a w]y[ma okunafo] no bi w] h] a [y[, na mmom ebi so ny[koraa a [ma akunafo] no te yea na w]y[no ayakayakade[dodo. S[okunafo] b[da owufoo ne nna so nnanu no, [y[ade[a [ny[koraa na etiatia okunafo] no fawohodie so]. Nnoɔma a [tete saa a w]y[w] kunay[mu no [w] s[wɔbra ne y[koraa esiane s[[de suro ne ehu br[okunafo] a ne ho akyere no [nam okunu no wuo no nti.

Nana Oye Lithur daa nwoma bi adi w] dawub] krataa “Daily Graphic” mu w] **K]t]nimaa** 6, 2008 a]too ne din s[, “{de[n mmara na w]ahyehy[w] amanneε a w]y[no w] kunay[mu w] Ghana?” Nana Oye Lithur kasaa pii faa amanneε ahodoo sononko a w]y[no

kunay[mu w] Atifi Boka w] Ghana no ho. }kyer[mu s[, “W]ma okunafo] no yi ne ho nyinaa na w]de nhaban akata n’adagya so nkotoo k]pem ber[a w]b[sie okunu no. Sedeε [b[kyer[s[]baa no di nokware ma ne kunu no, w]ma]baa no tena k[t[so nnafua no nyinaa w] ber[a **nkakap[** atwa ne ho ahyia. S[nkakap[no bi ka no a, na [kyer[s[]ny[nokwafo].”

Saa amanneε yi y[ade[a [ha mmaa a etiatia w]n fawohodie so]. S[w]de akunafo] fa saa amanneε yi mu ne amanneε a [tete saa a, [b[y[d[n na aboa no w] n’awer[ho] mu? Sedeε mmaa ankasa na w]y[saa nnooma yi de tia w]n ay]nkofo] mmaa no, [de[n nti na mmarima b[tena h] a [mfa w]n ho? Social Watch Report (2004) kyer[s[, ayakayakade[a w]de y[mmaa, s[esi w] fie, kuro a w]te mu anaa s[]man no na wahy[a, [de suro ne ehu ba mmaa ne w]n abrab] mu a [y[akwanside[ma mmaa no s[w]n ne mmarima b[y[pε. Saa ayakayakade[a w]de y[mmaa yi na daa [ma mmaa hy[mmarima ase no. As[mmisa ne s[, [de[n nti na]baa kunafo] b[fa yaw mu, na mmom barima kunafo] de[w]nn[y[no saa? Yei ye nyiyimu a]tia mmaa.

Akyinnye[biara nni h] s[, ayakayakade[a w]y[de tia]baa kunafo] y[ade[a esi w] nkuro bi mu w] Ghana. Nukunya (2003) ahy[s[, nkur]fo] akasa atia saa amanneε yi s[wontwa mu nanso w]k] so ara y[. CHRAJ Report (2005) da no adi s[, adwumakuo ne nkur]fo] a w]fata mmoa mma w]nko ntia amammerε ne amanneε biara a [te saa yi. CHRAJ ay[no s[, obiara a w]de saa ayakayakade[yi ay[no no mma aso[e[yi aso nte. Aso[e[yi tot] sr[“National commission of culture”, ne“National House of chiefs” s[, w]nhy[**bamm**] mu den na w]mmoa mma w]ntu saa amammerε a etiatia akunafo] fawohodie so no ase (Krataafa 84-85). {de[n nti na mmara w] h] na akunafo] a w]y[w]n ayakayakade[

no nka w]n as[m? Ebia na akunafo] no nni atenka biara s[w]b[ka w]n as[m, ebetumi nso aba s[akunafo] no nnim s[mmara bi a [te saa w] h].

Sackey (2001;60) kyer[s[, kunay[w] Asanteman mu no y[ade[a w]nnhy[nnipa ketee w] mu, s[[so anaa esua. S[]hy[ketee nni kunay[mu w] Asanteman mu a, na w] Akan nkuro nketenkete binom mu no, saa ara nso na [te??. Saa nsusui[yi ne de[[keka ho na [kanyann nhwehw[mufo] no ma]y[ε nhwehw[mu faa [nn[mmer[yi mu kunay[w] Akan amammerε mu w] New Juaben a [w] Apue[Mantam mu ma w]hunu de[akunafo] (mmaa) fa mu w] saa amammerε ne amanneε yi mu, na s[mmara w] h] na akunafo] ntumi nka ayakayakade[ne yaw a w]fa mu no nkyer[mpanin no nso yε asεm.

2.1.7 De[enti a akunafo] y[dinn w] de[w]fa mu ho

Ayakayakade[,]hy[,]haw ne ateetee[a akunafo] fa mu w] w]n kunay[mu no y[ade[a [k] so w] Abibiman binom mu. Yei ama amanneε a [te saa no ay[tan a [nam so ma botaε[a [w] mu s[[b[boa akunafo] w] w]n yaw mu no nni h] bio. Yei nti amanamanmufo] ahy[]man biara s[]b[y[mmara de asianka amammerε ne amanneε a [de]haw ne amannehu ab[to nkur]fo] so no.

Yei mu no, Ghana amammuo mmara kasa tia nnoɔma a [tete saa a [ha amamfo] ne ah]ho] a w]w]]man no mu no nkanka mmaa ne mm]fra. Yei nti Aso[e[a [hw[mmaa ne mm]fra ns[m so (Ministry of Women and children Affairs) a [no nso w]fr[no Ministry of children, Gender and Social Protection a w]tee no 2001 w] mmara kwan so no, s[[nhw[ns[m a [fa mmaa ne mm]fra ho (Tei–Ahotu 2008). Bio nso, y[w] adwumakuo sononko a w]w] Ghana Police adwuma no mu a w]fr[w]n Domestic

Violence and Victim Support Unit (DOVVSU) a w]n dwumadie ne s[, w]hw[basabasay[ne akakabens[m a [k] so w] afiafi mu. Sεdeeε y[hu saa adwumakuo yi nyinaa w] Ghanaman yi mu no, akunafo] ntumi nka ayakayakade[ne ateetee a w]fa mu no nkyer[w]n.

Tei-Ahontu (2008) kyer[mu s[, w]ne akunafo] binom twetwee nk]mm] maa w]daa no adi s[, “{ny[koraa s[y[b[hy[obi ma wanom nsuo a w]de adware funu. Abusua bi y[[saa ade[no efiri s[w]dwene s[,]baa no na okumm] barima no s[]b[fa n’agyapade[no. S[otumi nom nsuo no a, na [kyer[s[wadi bem. S[wone wo kunu no nkur]fo] w] nkitahodie papa a, [no de[w]mmfa ny[wo, mmom s[akasakasa w]]yere no ne okunu no abusuafo] ntam a, te s[]yere no mma okunu no abusuafo] kwan mma w]mmm[sra]barima no w] ber[a na]te ase a, [nne[wob[nom. Wontumi nka w’as[m nkyer[obi efiri s[, [y[amanneε a w]nntea obiara nso w] ho”.

De[w]kae [yi ma mehunu s[, w]n a w]y[w]n saa no mp[s[w]b[da w]n amanehunu adi ama nkur]fo] ate efiris[[y[amanneε saa nti [w] s[w]y[. Bio nso mehunu s[, akunafo] a wohunu saa]haw no nhunu s[etia w]n fawohodie so na w]nnim nso s[adwumakuo bi w] h] a w]b[tumi aka w]n as[m akyer[w]n. W]kyer[[mu s[, obiara ntumi ntea w]n a wɔyε saa no. Yei ny[nokware, s[obi to anaa bu mmara so a, [w] s[]nya asotwe efiri s[[y[mfomso].

De[nyianoni baako nso kae[w] ahy[ase[de[no b] abira. }se, “Abusuafo] binom y[atirimu]denfo] s[. Mfe[aduonu a atwa mu no, nkur]fo] binom petee mako guu okunafo] bi ani so ma akyire yi no]b[y[[onifurani, nkur]fo] a w]y[[saa no w]kyeree w]n. Fiti saa ber[no wagyaε amanneε a [te saa no y[“. S[y[de **nyianofo]** baanu yi ns[m

no toto ho a, metumi hunu s[, akunafo] binom nnim w]n asedee saa nti w]tena h] ma w]sis i w]n. Bio, akunafo] binom k] saa ateetee[yi mu [nam abufuo ne ayamhyehye[a w]de w]n afa mu no nti. {nam saa nti onhunu s[nti biara a [w] s[oyi obi asotire w] ho.

Nyianofo] no mu baako nso kaa s[, “{y[atirimu]dens[m na w]k] so ara de saa dwuma yi di akunafo]. {nam s[, s[mpo s[wob[nom nsuo no a, w]b[teetee wo ara ma w'aba mu abu anaa s[w]bεhy[wo ahomete[k]pem ber[a wob[nom de akyer[s[wodi bem w] as[m no ho. Monnnwen es[yei y[ade[a]y[efiri s[w]betumi ak]bisa]k]mfo] ma wahwehw[mu ahunu de[okumm onii no. Mpo [nn[ad]kotafo] tumi paapaa funu hwehw[de[ekumm no.

Metumi hunu s[, nyianoni yi n'as[m nyinaa ne s[, obu n'ani gu adwumakuo a w]hw[nnipa yiedi so no so, se]b[k] ak]ka n'as[m akyer[w]n, s[w]teetee no w] ber[a wapo s[]b[y[ama watumi akyere adeb]ny[fo] no. {w] s[adwumakuo bi te s[, commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice (CHRAJ), Domestic Violence and Victim Support Unit (DOVVSU), National Commission for civic Education (NCE), National House of chiefs ne de[[keka ho tumi yere w]n ho y[adwuma de bra saa ayakayakade[,]haw ne ateetee[a w]de y[akunafo] no.

Tei-Ahontu (2008) kyer[s[, “The Commission on Human Right and Administrative Justice y[adwumakuo a Ghana amammuo mmara (1992 constitution of Ghana) de aba s[[b[b] nnipa asedee ne ne fawohodie ho ban na wahy[mu nkuran w] mmara kwan so. {nam saa nti, [w] s[w]hy[adwumakuo yi nkuran na w]ma w]n akade[biara a [fata ama w]atumi ay[adwuma no sedee [fata.

Bio, [w] s[w]hy[National Commission on Civic Education (NCCE) nkuran na w]ma w]n akade[biara a [fata ama w]atum i ak] apor] ak]b] dawuro akyer[kyer[nkur]fo] ma wahunu w]n asedeeε, asodie ne fawohodie a w]w] w] Ghanaman yi mu.

Baako nso ne s[, 1992 constitution ma National House of Chiefs tumi s[w]nhw[amammerε ne amanneε a w]y[no w]]man yi mu no na w]ntwa so anaa w]nsiesie amammerε ne amanneε a ne ber[atwa mu na [de]haw ne ateetee[abr[amamfo] ama [de asomdwoe[ne nkab]mu aba]man yi mu.

2.2. ‘Feminist Ti]ri’ ho Adwenkyer[

S[y[ka 'Feminism' a na yerekyer[ade[a w]de kyer[s[, mmaa ne mmarima gynaberε b[y[p[w] amany]s[m mu, amammerε mu, adwumay[mu, ne]man mu sikas[m ne adwadie mu ne as]re mu mpaninnie mu (Azasu ne Geraldo 2005). {san nso kyer[kuo bi a [hw[s[saa dibr[a w]rep[ama mmaa no b[ba mu. Sεdeeε w]kyer[no, ‘feminism’ hy[[ase[w] Europe ne Amerika w] afe 1880 mu.

De[enti a w]de saa nsusui[yi bae[ne s[, na w]bu mmaa ab]mufeara w] akwan hodo] beebree so. {bi ne s[, na w]mma mmaa nto aba; mmaa nni akwanya biara s[w]b[k] sukuup]n biara bi. Adwene a na w]w] fa mmaa ho ne s[, dibr[a mmaa w] ara ne s[w]b[tena fie anoa aduane, ahw[mm]fra na w]asiesie w]n fie.

Harding (1986) kyer[kyer[mu s[, f[minisite ti]ri hy[[ase[w] ber[a na [s[s[w]p[nkyer[kyer[mu a [fata ma ti]ri ahodoo no, s[dea [b[y[a nnoɔma a mmaa nso tumi de w]n nimde[y[no nso b[da adi. De[na]rekyer[ne s[, “S[mmaa w] esu a [kyer[s[w]tumi

ne afofor] nya nkitahodie sèdee mmarima te[no de[a, [nne[na [s[s[ti]ri tikaa disik]so tumi boa na w]yi mmaa bi pue , s[dea w]yi mmarima nso pue no ara”.

{nam mmaa a na w]ka w]n hy[no nti, na]kwan a kasadwumfo] dodo] no fa so da mmaa adi w] w]n atwer[mu no mpo ns] ani. Mmaa dibr[a w]de ama w]n w] abrab] mu no ara na w]de ma w]n w] atwer[mu. Kasadwumfo] biara twer[nwoma]kwan a]fa so da mmaa adi ne s[, w]b[ma mmaa adi mmaawa; w]b[y[awarefo] a w]ny[adwuma biara, w]b[y[nnipa a w]n adwene y[hare, ne de[[keka ho.

Yeinom nti na [baa s[f[minisim s]re gyinae[s[w]b[ko atia mmaa ka a w]ka w]n hy[no, na w]aboa apagya w]n aba dibr[a mmarima w] no bi. F[minism gyina yei so de hy[kasadwumfo] nkuran s[, w]b[pagya mmaa a w]de w]n di dwuma w] atwer[mu s[agofomma no de akyer[s[mmaa nso b[tumi ay[nnooma bi a mmarima y[no bi. W]kyer[s[, [ny[ber[nyinaa na atwer[mu no, y[b[ma mmaa ay[awarefo] a ber[biara w]te fie, na w]rewo ahw[mm]fra; na w]renoanoa nnuane; na w]n kununom reteetee w]n anaas[w]b[di hia w] kunay[mu. Mmom, [s[s[kasadwumfo] ma mmaa di dwuma s[akununi, adwuma mu mpanimfo], asraafo] akannifo], ne nnwuma ak[se[ak[se[a mmarima y[no bi.

2.2.1 F[minisit ti]ri ho mfaso]

Sèdee Harding (1986) kyer[no, saa ti]ri yi hy[[ase[ber[a na]rep[nkyer[kyer[mu w] mmaa nimde[a w]b[tumi de ay[biribi no ho. Enti [y[ti]ri a [boa ma y[hunu nimde[a mmaa w] ne]kwan a w]b[tumi afa so de saa nimde[no ay[adwuma. Mp[n pii no de[Abibiman nim ne s[mmaa y[mmr[w] biribiara mu [no nti w]nni nimde[biara de y[mp]ntudwuma anaa nk]so dwuma biara. Yei y[ti]ri a [kyer[s[de[]barimaa tumi y[no]baa nso b[tumi ay[saa ara s[]w] nimde[koro no ara bi a.

{y[ti]ri a [hwehw[s[mmaa ne mmariamaa gyinaberε y[p[w] amany]s[mu, amammerε ne amanneε mu, adwumay[mu ne sikas[m mu. De[[kyer[ne s[[pere diber[pa ma mmaa sεdeε [b[y[a mmariamaa mmu w]n abomfiaa w] w]n asetena mu. {nam adeb] nti mp[n pii no mmariama kyer[s[mmaa nka w]n ano atom w] nnoɔma a mabob] so w] soro ha yi mu. Nanso f[minisim ti]ri kasa tia saa suban no. {y[ti]ri a [kanyan mmaa adwene ma w]s]re waka tu w]n nimde[ho ananmm]n.

F[minisim ti]ri mma kwan mma w]nka mmaa nhyl bio. Kane no, na mmaa diber[y[egypteade w] Akanman mu nanso [nn[mmaa awura]man no dwumadie biara mu a y[yi w]n firi mu a [ny[yie. Yei kyer[s[f[minisim ti]ri apagya mmaa afiri adwenkyeae[a na]manfo] w] w] mmaa ho no.

2.3 }fa yi t]fab]

Saa]fa yi ahw[de[animdefo] binom atwer[a [fa me dwumadie yi ho. Nnoɔma mmi[nsa a [kasa fa ho ne adwenesu ho nhyehey[e[, Ti]ri ho nhyehey[e[ne adwenemus[m nhyehey[e[. Adwenesu nhyehey[e[mu no, dwumadie yi kasa faa Akan nnipakuo ne w]n amammerε ne amanneε ho. Adwenkyer[ahodoɔ biara a [fa amammerε a atwa y[n ho ahyia ne Akanfo] amanneε ahodoɔ nyinaa daa no w]n adi.]fa yi mu no, dwumadie yi hw[[Akanfo] amammerε mu amanneε a w]fr[no kunay[ne [ho nsunsuansoo w] akunafo] mmaa ne w]n mma so. }fa a [di so] yi m[kyer[]kwan a mefaa so ne nhyehey[e[ahodoɔ a nhwehw[mu dwumadie faa so de too dwa. Nnipa sononko bi a me ne w]n dii dwuma no ne beaeε a nhwehw[mu no k]] so].



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3.0 Nnianimu

Saa ɔfa yi kyer[akwan ahoro] a mefaa so y[[nhwehw[mu no. {kyer[kyer[nhwehwemu no nhyehyee, beaee a nhwehw[mu no k]] so, nnipa dodo] a mede w]n dii dwuma no,

]kwan a mefaa so yiyii nnipa no mu, nhwehwemu kwan ahodoɔ a mefaa so, nhwehwemu nneɛma a mede dii dwuma ne ɔkwan a mefaa so de nhwehwemu no too dwa.

3.1 Nhwehwemu no Nhyehy]e]

Nhwehw[mu yi y] beaɛɛ p]tee (case study) bi mu nhwehw[mu a menam kwalitatifo akwankyer] a]y] nkyer]kyer]mu so na edii dwuma no. Saa nhwehwemu yi yɛ dee wɔde ahwɛɛɛ, atosem ne nkyerɛkyerɛmu na εy]ɛ mpɛnsempɛnsemu yi. Nhwehwemu a ɛfa onipa asetena mu nsɛm ho taa de ahwɛɛ ne nkyerɛkyerɛmu di dwuma sene dee wɔde mma ne akontaabudeɛ susu nsɛm no (De Vaus, 2001; Martin, 2007; Creswell, 2009; Boateng, 2016). Mede nkyerɛkyerɛmu a [y[kwalitatifo na εyɛɛ nsɛm a menya firii nhwehwemu yi mu mpɛnsempɛnsemu. Nsɛm nkyerɛkyerɛmu no tumi ma wohunu nnipa no nneyɛɛ] ne wɔn suban, wɔn adwene ne wɔn asetena mu nsɛm. Kwan ahodoɔ a yɛnya nsɛm kyerɛkyerɛ mu yi bi ne nsɛmmisa a wɔyi ano wɔ krataa so, sɛ woregye nnipa bi adwenkyerɛ afɛ asɛm bi ho, nkɔmmɔtwetwe [ne ahwɛɛ.

3.2 Beaɛɛ a Nhwehw[mu no k]] so

Beaɛɛ p]tee a nhwehw[mu no k]] so no ho hia pa ara. Leedy & Ormood, (2005) kyer[s[ber[biara [w] s[nhwehw[mufo] no tumi da baabi p]tee w] wiase yi mu a nhwehw[mu no k]] so. W]toaa so s[, s[nhwehw[mufo] no da beaɛɛ no adi a [ma n'akenkanfo] no adwene ne w]n ani tumi di nhwehw[mu no akyi. Saa nhwehw[mu yi k]] so w] New Juaben Mp]tamu a [w] Apue[Mantam mu. Nkuro nan (Koforidua, Effiduase, Asokore ne Oyoko) mu na nhwehw[mu no k]] so].

Saa nkuro yi na nhwehw[mufo] no hunuu no s[]b[nya ns[mmoano ama no atumi aduru ne botae[no ho. Bio, [nn[y[ntaa nhunu kunay[ne [mu amanne[ahodo] no w] nkuro ak[se[mu na mma nhwehw[mufo] no nnya amanne[no nyinaa. Ebia na [bi aka mu. Wei ka ho bi nti na nhwehw[mufo] no paa New Juaben a amammer[ne amanne[a [w] kunay[mu no k] so k[se[no. Nnipa a mene w]n dii dwuma yi atena mmeae[ahor] a [w] New Juaben Mp]tamu yie de firi w]n mm]fraase de b[si nn[na w]te Twi kasa nso yie, na daa ne daa nyinaa no w]de Twi kasa na edi dwuma.

3.3 Nkuro ne Nnipakuo a mede w]n dii dwuma no

Me dwumadie no, [k]hiaa s[m[hwehw[nnipa bi akyiri akwan ne w]n adi me dwuma no. S[m[tumi aduru me botae[no ho a, na ehia pa ara s[mehw[kwan a m[tumi apaw w]n ne w]n adi me dwuma no. Boateng (2016) kyer[mu a, y[w] akwan ahor] pii a nhwehw[mufo] b[tumi afa so apaw nnipakuo bi mu fa bi de w]n ay[nhwehw[mu de agyina h] ama nnipakuo no nyinaa. Ankor[ankor[a w]w] su baako anaa mmienu a nhwehw[mufo] no ani di akyire a w]w] beaee a nhwehw[mu no k]] so no na w]ka b]m y[h] nnipa dodo] (Owu-Ewie, 2017).

Nnipakuo bi mu no yei mu baako ne sampelene. Tuckman (1999), s^edee [da adi w] Owu-Ewie (2017) mu no ne Boateng (2016) y[adwene s[sampelene y[kwan a nhwehw[mufo] bi fa so yi nnipakuo bi mu fa bi a [fata ma ne nhwehw[mu no botae[no na]de w]n y[nhwehw[mu de gyina h] ma saa nnipakuo no nyinaa. Mehunu sampelene s[[y[kwan a obi fa so paw nnipakuo bi mu fa bi a w]w] beaee a]rey[nhwehw[mu de w]n gyina h] ma nnipakuo no nyinaa y[ne nhwehw[mu no fa nnipakuo no ho.

Me nhwehw[mu no, mefaa New Juaben ne ne mp]tamu a [w] Apue[Mantam mu. Nkuro a mefae[w] New Juaben Mp]tamu no ne Koforidua, Effiduase, Asokore ne Oyoko. Saa nkuro yi na mede b[y[abosome mmieni sii m'ani so] y[[me nhwehw[mu no. Mene nnipa aduanan mmi[nsa (43) a w]n mfe[firi aduonu mmi[nsa (23) k]si aduow]twe nkron (89) na edii me dwuma no. Nnipa aduanan mmi[nsa (43) no, emu du (10) firi Koforidua, dubaako (11) firi Asokore, du (10) firi Effiduase, du (10) firi Oyoko na nnipa mmieni (2) nso y[CHIRAJ adwumay[fo] a w]w] Koforidua.

Koforidua no menyaa mmaa akunafo] nkron (9) ne barima okunafo] baako (1) a w]n mfe[no firi aduasa baako (31) k]si aduow]twe nson (87). Asokore, menyaa mmaa akunafo] nson (7), mmarima akunafo] mmieni (2) ne w]n a w]y[amanneε ma akunafo] no nso mmieni (2) a w]n nso mfe[no firi aduanan num (45) k]si aduow]twe mmi[nsa (83). Effiduase, menyaa mmaa akunafo] nsia (6), mmarima akunafo] mmieni (2), ne akunafo] mma mmieni (2) a w]n mfe[firi aduasa nw]twe (38) k]si mfe[aduow]twe (80). Afei, Oyoko nso menyaa mmaa akunafo] mmi[nsa (3), barima okunafo] baako (1), akunafo] mma num (5) ne owufoɔ busuani baako (1) a w]n mfe[firi aduonu mmi[nsa (23) k]si adu]son nkron (79).

S[y[ka ne nyinaa b] mu a nnipa aduanan mmi[nsa (43) a mene w]n dii dwuma w] nkuronan (Koforidua, Asokore, Effiduase ne Oyoko) New Juaben Mp]tamu a [w] Apue[Mantam a [w] Ghana no, [mu aduonu num (25) y[mmaa akunafo] a w]n mfe[firi aduanan (40) k]si aduow]twe nkron (89); nsia (6) y[mmarima akunafo] a w]n mfe[firi aduasa baako (31) k]si aduosia num (65); mmieni (2) y[mmaa a w]y[amanneε ma akunafo] no a w]n mfe[firi aduoson nw]twe (78) k]si aduow]twe mmi[nsa (83); nson (7) y[akunafo] mma a w]n mfe[firi aduonu mmi[nsa (23) k]si aduonum (50); baako (1)

y[owufoɔ̄ busuani a na]w] mfe[aduosia nan (64) [nna mmien (2) nso y[CHIRAJ adwumay[fo]. Saa fo] yi na mepaw w]n [siane s[me nhwehw[mu no boate[nti. Enti na [ho ab[hia s[meiyi nkuro ne nnipa a menya me ns[moano no w] w]n nky[n. Nnipa a aka no nyinna nso ye wən a megyinna wən nimdeε a wəwə fa me nhwehwemu no ho no so paa wən. Se mekɔ̄ kuro no mu a, mebisa kuro no mu mpanimfoɔ̄ na mede me botaeε no ato wən anim. Enam se na εbi wə nimdeε pii no nti no, εbinom boa maa me nsɛmmisa no bi ho mmuaεε. Deε wənnim no, wəkyere me kwan ma mekɔ̄ afoforɔ̄ nso nkyen. Yei na εboaa me maa m'akwantuo no wiee mudie mu. Etɔ̄ mmere bi a, na mepε se mehunu abasɛm bi mu nokware a, na metaa kɔ̄ nnipa a εboro baako nkyen wə kuro no mu, na afei nso wən a mekɔ̄ na wənnim no, wədi m'anim de mekɔ̄ wən a wəsusu se wəbetumi aboa me nkyen.

3.4 Nyiyimu

Esiane s[nhwehw[mu no fa akunafo] ho nti, na w]n na m'ani tim w]n so]. Yei nti mehwehw[[kwan a m[fa so anya saa nkur]fo] yi, [kwan a mefaa so nyaa nnipa de wən yεε nhwehwemu yi ne se, mehwεε botaeε a esi m'ani so[]nna mehwehwεε nnipa a wɔwɔ nimdeε ne osuahunu wɔ nhwehwemu no ho na mepaw wən de wən dii dwuma yi. Saa nnipa yi boaa me ma menyaa adwenkyere ahodoɔ a emu dɔ wɔ w]n nky[n fa kunay[ho.

3.5 Nhwehwemu kwan ahodoɔ a mefaa so

Nhwehwemu kwan a mefaa so nyaa nsɛm de nhwehwemu yi guu akwan hodoɔ a ne nyinna boaa me papaapa maa menyaa mmuaεε a εfata de yεε mpɛnsɛmpɛnsɛnmu no. Nhwehwemu kwan ahodoɔ a mede dii dwuma yi ne nsrahw[, ahwεεε, nkɔmmɔtwetwe, ne atwer[twer[.

3.5.1. Nsrahw[

Nsrahw[y[ade[a [hia pa ara. {boa maa nhwehw[mufo] no hunuu nnipa a]ne w]n redi dwuma no anim ne anim. }san nso tumi ne w]n twetwee nk]mm] faa ne dwumadie no ho. {nam s[, s[wote faako a na wote w'ade[so nti metiatiaa m'anam]n mu k]] nkuro ahodoø nan a [w] New Juaben Mp]tamu mu ne akunafo] mmaa, akunafo] mmarima, mmaa a w]y[amanneε ma akunafo], akunafo] mma, owufoø abusuafo] ne CHIRAJfo] nyinaa k]twetwee nk]mm] faa me dwumadie no ho.

3.5.2 Ahwεεε

}kwan baako a mefaa so nyaa nimde[firii afofor] nky[n de y[[me nhwehw[mu dwumadie no ne ahw[e]. Mpanin se, "W'ani sa mu a, y[nni nnya wo." Yei nti na mep[[s[mede m'ani to fam na mehw[sεdee nnipa binom y[kuna, hunu amanneε ahodoø a w]y[ma saa akunafo] yi. Ahw[e[mu no, etumi ba s[de[]rey[nhwehw[mu no gyina nky[n baabi a]mfa ne ho nhy[dwumadie a [rek] so] no mu na mmom, ogyina baabi hw[de[[rek] so] no sua biribi firi mu de boa ne nhwehw[mu no.

}kwan fofor] a [w] ahw[e[dwumadie mu nso ne s[, s[[b[y[na nhwehw[mufo] no benya de[]rehwehw[no p]tee no, gye s[]de ne ho hy[dwumadie a [rek] so] no mu bi ansa.

Esiane s[me nhwehw[mu dwumadie no fa Akanfo] akunafo] ho nti, ber[ne beaεε biara a m[hunu s[obi awu na akunafo] no rey[kuna no, metwe pinii h] de m'ani kosua k]hw[bi. Yei boa maa mehunuu de[akunafo] no k] mu ne amanneε ahodoø a w]taa y[ma saa akunafo] yi. Mede m'ani k]hunuu okunafo] baa bi a ne kunu abusuafo] apam no

ne ne mma afiri fie a na okunafo] yi ne ne mma ne okunu no te mu. Me nhwehw[mu no kyer[[s[na okunu abusafo] no gye di s[]baa no na okumm ne kunu no. Na [y[ahometes[m [firi s[na okunafo] yi nni obi a]de ne mma no rek] ne h]. }baa kunafo] yi suui[ma me nso na mes] mu a, [ns] enti mesuu bi boaa no.

3.5.3 Nkɔmmɔtwetwe]

{kwan baako nso a mefaa so de pεε nkyerεkyerεmu wɔ nsεm bi a na εkyere m'adwene mu na afei εboa maa mehunuu adwene ne nsusuiε a nnipa bi wɔ fa Akanfoɔ kunay[, amanneε a w]y[ne nsunsuansoɔ a [de br[amamfo] mu baako ne nk]mm]twetwe[.

Mene nnipa aduanan mmi[nsa (43) a mepaw w]n firi nkuro nan a [w] New Juaben Mp]tamu nyinaa twetwee nkɔmmɔ faa Akanfoɔ kunay[ns[ms[m ho de gyee wɔn adwenkyerε.

Na nk]mm]twetwe[no b[boa me ama mahunu amanneε a w]y[ma akunafo],]haw ne ateetee[a akunafo] yi ne w]n mma ne w]n abusafo] k] mu ne kwan a Ghana aban b[tumi nam mmara kwan so aboa ma akunafo] ho at] w]n. Mene nnipa ahodoɔ yi twetwee nkɔmmɔ sεdeε εbεyε a dwumadie no ntaban mu bεtre.

Afei, mesrεε kwan firii me nk]mm]twetwefo] no h] ama matumi atwe nk]mm]twetwe[no agu afidie so. Mekyeree nkɔmmɔbɔ biara a εkɔɔ so wɔ me ne akasafɔɔ no ntam no guu afidie so. Nkɔmmɔtwetwe ne nsεmmisa no mu no, metwerεε anoyie anaa mmuaεε no bi guu nwoma mu sεde[εbεboa dwumadie no. Yei akyiri no, metwee nsεm no mu fa kεsεε no ara guu afidie so sεde[metumi abɔ atie wɔ bere a mereyε mpεnsempεnseñmu na afei nso ayε dwumadie yi ho adansedie.

Yei maa nhwehwemu ne akwantuo no mu nnwuma ahodoɔ no yee mmre na εboaa m'adwumayε no mu, esiane sε na metumi toa adwuma no so bere biara. Eduru bere bi a, na metumi bɔ wɔn nsɛm a matwe agu afidie so kyerε wɔn na sε cwaɔ nsiesie bi anaa nkyerεkyerεmu bi a wɔayε. Na esiane sε mede afidie a yede kye nsɛm no adi dwuma mfeɛ pii nti, manhyia ɔhaw kɛsεε biara wɔ sɛdeε wɔde di dwuma no mu. Bio nso, na mesiesie afidie no ansa mapue akɔ nkurcfo a me ne wɔn twetwee nkɔmmɔ no nkyεn. Yei boa maa nkɔmmɔ no kɔɔ so yie pa ara. Mede nsɛm a menya firii nkɔmmɔbɔ no mu foaa nsɛm a menya firii nsɛmmisa nyiano a εwɔ krataa sos no so.

Ɛwom sε nkɔmmɔtwetwe yi a mede dii dwuma no boaa me wɔ akwan ahodoɔ pii so deε, nanso mehyiaa ɔhaw wɔ me dwumadie no mu. Deε edi kan a εhaa me ne sε, εgye berε, na afei nso akasafoɔ no tumi keka nsɛm bi a εmfa nsɛmmisa a merebisa no no ho. Sε εkɔba no saa a, mentumi ntwa n'ano na mmom deε meye ne sε mefa nyanskwan bi so twe no si kwan mu anaa sε metwentwɛn m'afidie a mede retwe nsɛm no so kɔsi sε ɔbefiri aseε akasa afa deε ehia me no ho, na matoa so akyere nsɛm no agu afidie no so.

3.5.4. Atwer[twer]

Atwer[twer] y[ade[bi a [boaa me yie pa ara w] dwumadie yi mu. Ber[a nsrahw[ne ano ns[mmisa gu so] no na mekura nwoma ketewa bi ne p[n a mede retwer[twer] ns[ntitire bi a [ho b[hia w] dwumadie no mu. Mede p[n no twer[twer][ns[m a [pue[no mu pii guu me nwoma mu. Ns[mfua ahorø] a metwer[twer][e[no boaa me yie w] ber[a na meretie ns[m a metwe guu foon so no w] ano ns[mmisa nkitahodie mmer[no mu no. Nhwehw[mufo] yi de ns[mfua a]twertwer[e[no totoo de[]twe guu foon so no ho. Emu de[n'adwene y[no ntanta no]sane k]] beaεε h] ne ns[mmuafo] no k]dii

ho anobaebae[nyaa emu de[[y] nokware no ankasa. Saa kwan yi boaa me ma metumi y[[mp[ns[ns[ns[mu no yie.

3.6. Nhwehwemu Nneεma

Nhwehwemu biara bedi mu a na egyina kwan a nipa anaa nhwehwemufoɔ no faa so nyaa nsɛm de dii ne dwuma no. Saa akwan yi boaa nhwehwemufoɔ no ma ɔtumi de ne nsɛm too dwa a mfomsoɔ biara amma ho. Ɛsan boaa no maa ɔnyaa nsɛm (deta) a εmu da hɔ a ɔde dii nhwehwemu dwumadie no. Kwan a mereka ho asɛm yi ne kεseε a egyina nneεma a nhwehwemufoɔ no de yεε nhwehwemu no ma onyaa ne deta de yεε nhwehwemu no. Nhwehwemu nneεma a mede dii dwuma no ne mfoninitwa afidie, afidie a yεde kyere nsɛm gu afidie so, ahomatorofoɔ ne kɔmpiwta.

Nhwehwemu a mɛdi kan aka ho asɛm ne mfoninitwa afidie. Saa afidie yi yε afidie a yεde twa biribi mfonini sɛde] ɛbεyε a wobεtumi acae ade kor[no ntɛm sε εba sε worepε adeε no de adi dwuma dabi dabi a.

}tɔ dabi na sε mekɔ wɔn a mene wɔn twetwee nkɔmmɔ no hɔ na sε mehu sε εho bεhia sε metwa de[εrekɔ so no ho mfonini a mede me mfoninitwadeε no twa saa adeε no mfonini sɛde[ɛbεyε a mɛtumi acae no ntɛm. Na Akanfo] kunay[amanneε no bi wɔ hɔ a mek]too so enti na [s[s[metwa no mfonini.

Nhwehwemu nneεma a εtɔ so mmieni a mede dii dwuma wɔ me dwumadie yi mu ne afidie a yεde kyere nsɛm. Saa afidie yi boa ma nhwehwemufoɔ tumi kyere nsɛm a nhwehwemufo[no nyaeε no nyinaa gu afidie yi so. Ɛba saa a metumi bɔ no [berε biara a mepε na matintim saa nsɛm no agu nwoma mu. Yei ne nhwehwemudeε a mede dii

dwuma kεseε wɔ me nhwehwεmu yi mu. Mekyeree me nhwehwεmu yi ho nsεm no mu bεyε ɔha mu nkyεmu aduoson guu afidie yi so na akyire yi no metwerε guu nwoma mu.

Mesan de ahomatorofo] yεε nhwehwεmu yi ho dwumadie no bi. Dwuma titire a mede ahomatorofɔ yi diiε ne sε mede kyeree nsεm εnna mesan de frεfrεε wɔn a mene wɔn dii dwuma yi. Esiane sε na wɔn a mene wɔn dii dwuma yi no nni faako nti, na εyε ahiadeε sε berε biara mefrε wɔn ansa na mεtu anamɔn akɔ wɔn nkyεn a mayε no saa. Ahomatorofɔ yi boaa me yie esiane sε na berε bi wɔ hɔ a wɔ a mene wɔ dii dwuma no binom de maa me a mεfrε wɔn sε mereba na εnyε ade[a, wɔbεnya kwan ama me. Yei maa mansεe sika a anka mesεe no de atua hyεn akɔ hɔ a menya wɔn.

Nhwehwεmudeε a mede dii dwuma wɔ saa nhwehwεmu no mu de[etwa toɔ ne kompiwta. Enam sε onipa biara ntumi nyε nhwehwεmu a ɔrentintim dwumadie no ngu afidie so nti, εyεε adehiadeε sε menyα kompiwta de adi saa dwuma yi. Mede kompiwta yi yεε dwumadie yi mu ntintimε ne εmu nsiesie nyinaa a ɔhaw kumaa bi na mehyiaeε wɔ ho. Yei boaa me paa ara wɔ nhwehwεmu yi mu.

3.7 }kwan a mefaa so de nhwehwεmu no too dwa

Nsεm ne nneεma a menyaa no wɔ m'akwantuo no mu no, metenaa ase twerεε no mmaako mmaako guu nwoma bi mu. Akyire yi no meboaboaano akuoakuo, sεde[wɔn su ne wɔn dwumadie no teε na ama adwuma no yε no akɔ ntεm so. Yei akyiri no, mehyεε aseε twerεε no sεde[maboaboaano ne sεde[εbεsisi anim firi de[εho hia kεse] so de bεsi de[εho nhia kεse so. Saa ɔkwān yi boaa me maa metumi kecaa nkɔmmɔtwetwe, nsεmmisa, atwerε ne kasa a egu apaawa so no bɔɔ mu maa adwuma no wiee pεyε sεde[Chenail (1995) kyer[no.

3.8 }fa no T]fab]

}fa yi akasa afa akwan ahoro] a mefaa so y[[dwumadie no. Nhwehw[mufo] no faa
beaeε ne kwalitatifo akwankyer[a [y[nkyer[kyer[mu so na [y[[nhwehw[mu no. Mede
botae[sampaline na eyii nnipa aduanan mmi[nsa (43) a w]w] New Juaben mp]tamu
na edii dwuma no. makyer[nnipa ahodoɔ a mene w]n dii dwuma ne w]n mfe[nyinaa.
Makyer[nne[ma a mede k]hwehw[[mmuae[ama maduru me botae[no ho,]kwan a
mefaa so gyegyee me ns[mmoano no nyinaa nso mada no adi.



}FA NNAN

NHWEHWEMU NO MPENSEMPENSEMU

4.0 Nnanimu

ɔfa yi ye mpensempensem fa nhwehwemu a meyεε wɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu a εfa
akunafɔɔ a wɔcɔ hɔ no ho. ɔfa yi wɔ nkyekyεmu mmienu a egyina nhwehwemu

nsɛmmisa no so. Yei mu no: amanneɛ a wɔcɔ ma akunafo cɔcw a New Juaben
mpɔtamu ne nsunsuansɔn a kunayɛ amnneɛ no de ba akunafo no ne wɔcɔ mma so.

4.1 Amanneeɛ a wɔyɛ ma akunafo a cɔwɔ a New Juaben Mpɔtamu

Nipakuo ahodoɔ a ɛwɔ Ghana nyinaa yε kuna amanneɛ ma wɔn nkɔrɔfɔɔ wɔ berɛ a obi hokafoɔ afiri mu, mmom kwan a yɛfa so yε no na ɛsesa firi nipakuo baako mu k[afoforɔ so. Tonah (2009) kyerɛ sε kunayɛ ka ayie ho nhyehyɛɛ a wɔyɛ ma owufɔɔ no ho. Akanfoɔ wɔ gyedie bi sε sε obi wu a ne sunsum kɔ so tena ase wɔ asamando na ɔne wɔn a na wɔbɛn no no di nkitaho. Ɛnam saa nti sε ɔbaa bi kunu wu a, ɛwɔ sε ɔkɔ kunayɛ amanneɛ mu de tete nkitahodie a ɛda ɔno ne kunu no ntam. Amanneɛ no bi ne sε n'afadeɛ sesa, wɔde ɔhyɛ to ɔno ne afoforɔ nkitahodie ntam, n'adidie ho ɔhyɛ ɛne dee wɔyɛ de bɔ ne ho ban firi saman no ho.

4.1.1 Afadeε nsakraεε

Afadeε a obi bεfa tumi kyerε tebea a nipa korɔ no wɔ mu. Εnam sε owuo nyε anigyesεm
nti no se ɔbaa bi kunu wu a, εyε]hyε ma no se ɔsesa n'afadeε a ɔhyε no daadaa no.
Afadeε a obetumi afa ne ntoma tuntum anaa kɔben a εkyerε sε cwc yaw ne awerεhoo
mu. Afadeε a εwɔ sε okunafo fa ho na ɔbaa kunafɔ bi kaa sε:

“Nokoreni, owuo no siiε no, abusua no hyiaa me ne m’abusuafoɔ maa yedwendwenee ɔkwan a yεbεfa so adi nnawɔtwe no. Wɔmaa me sika a yεmfa nnidi. Afei wɔmaa me ntoma tuntum a mefura. De agyam me kunu no” (Oyoko ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeɛ 56).

Okyerεε mu sε abusua no ka kyerεε no sε ntoma tuntum no a wɔde ama no no]no na obefura kɔsi sε w]b[di ne kunu no afenhyia da. Afei nso ntoma tuntum no na εbεma ada adi sε cωc 3s ayie mu anaa awerehoo mu.

Okunafoɔ baa bi nso ka too so sε:

“Abusua hyiaeε dwendwenee nnawɔtwe no ho. Wɔmaa me ntoma tuntum ne duku a memfa nsu me kunu. Afei wɔmaa me sika kakra a mene mmɔfra no mfa nnidie” (Koforidua ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfee 61).

Mmaa mpanimfoɔ a wɔhwε yε amanneε no ma akunafoɔ no mu baako nso ka too akunafoɔ mmaa yi deeε so sε:

“Sε ɔbaa bi kunu wu a, εyε abusua no asedeeε sε wɔbεma ɔbaa no ntoma tuntum baako anaa mmienu bi a εno ara na obefura. Sε na ɔbaa no ne abusuafoɔ no ntam y[a, wɔma no ntoma no εne sika sε ɔmfa nnidi. Sε na ɔbaa no ne abusuafoɔ no ntam nyε a wɔmma no hwee. Ntoma tuntum no na εkyerε tebea a cωc mu na εno nso na εda adi sε ɔreyε kuna” (Asokore ɔbaapanin, mfee 76).

Yei kyerε sε, sε ɔbaa bi ne ne kunu abusuafoɔ ntam nyε a onnya saa ntoma yi bi ntí ɔno ara na ɔhwehwε ne ntoma tuntum de yε no ho. Sei na Okunafoɔ baa bi ka too so]:

“Da no ara n’abusuafoɔ no amma me kwan anwura εdan a na mene me kunu no da mu. Nnawɔtwe da no, abusuafoɔ no faa no kɔɔ Kumase kɔdii no wɔ hɔ. Mekɔɔ hɔ bi nanso wammua me, ayiyɔ no nso saa ara. Me ara

na mehwεε me ho, medidi oo, mεda oo, etwa gyee me ara. Kapre mpo obiara amma me bi. Me ara na mεpεε me ntoma ne εho nkekaho furaεε” (Effiduase ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeε 53).

Nhwehwεemu yi da no adi sε okunafoɔ biara ntumi nhye anaa mfura ntoma biara a ɔnoara pε nyε kuna amanneε no. Afadeε a obetumi afa ara ne ntoma tuntum no a abusuafοɔ no de bεma no anaa deε ɔno ara bεtɔ no. Esan da adi sε okunafoɔ baa biara a ɔne ne kunu abusuafοɔ ntam nyε papa no abusuafοɔ no nkasa ne ho. Yei kyεrε sε mmaa a wɔcw awareε ase no]s] s] wɔnε wɔnε nkunom abusuafο tena yie na wɔpene siesie ntawantawa biara a εda wɔnε ntam.

4.1.2 Adidie ho ɔhyε

Amanneeε baako so a ɛkɔ nso wɔ kunayε mu wɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu ne sε wɔde ɔhyε to ɔbaa no adidie soɔ. Wɔma no mmere a ɔde bedidi na afei nso wɔbra no wɔ nnuane bi nso ho. Sei na okunafoɔ baa bi ka faa n'adidie ho:

“Medidi an[pa ne awia pε. Anɔpa biara na madi nkosua mmienu ne mako na sε εbɔ cɔnɔnɔmmienu kɔsi cɔnɔnɔmmienε a na madidi. Aduane a εwɔ soro nko ara na medie. Manni εfam aduane bi te sε bayεrε, bankye, mankani ne deε εkeka ho da. Wɔkyεrε mu sε gye sε y[asie me kunu no ansa enti na medi borɔdeeε, εmo ne aburoo aduane nko ara” (Oyoko ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeε 65).

Okunafoɔ baa bi nso ka too so faa aduane amanneε ho sε:

“Wɔhyεε me sε mma menni fam aduane gye soro kɔsi sε yεbεsie no. Gyeene mpo na menni bi, anɔpa biara na menom koko, nkosua ne paanoo. Awia mu na wama me borɔde[tɔ anaa banku ne nkwan anaa borɔdeε ampesi ne nkwan” (Asokore ɔbaa kunafɔɔ, mfeε 58).

Yei da adi sε, sε obi wɔ kunayε mu a saa nipa no ntumi nni aduane a ɔno ara pε. Afei nso ontumi nnidi bere a ɔno ara pε. Eyε ɔhyε ma no sε odi soro aduane nko ara. Onni ho kwan sε odi aduane a εbɔ wɔ fam. ɔrekyerε deε wɔyε ma akunafoɔ no fa wɔn adidie ho no, mmaa a wɔyε amanneε no ma akunafoɔ no mu baako kaa sε:

“An[pa biara yεma no nsafufuo nom. Eyε a nsa no gu aketekyiwa bi mu. Yennhwie ngu koraa anaa bonsua mu na mmom yεde kukuo no tua w’ano na wanom. Afei metumi ma wɔn koko ne paanoo anɔpa anaa nsunsu aduane, awia ɔtɔ ne nkosua, ebi nso a borɔdeε ampesie ne abɔmu papa εnna anwummerε nso mema wɔn nkwan ne εmo anaa dɔkono. Wonni εsoro aduane, gyedie no ne sε, yεbεtutu fam de ne kunu no akɔhyε fam εno nti gye sε y[asie no ansa. Enneε sε yasie na, adeε kye a, otumi di fam aduane no” (Koforidua ɔbaapanin, mfeε 74).

Gyedie baako nso ne sε, εnam sε saman no taa ba fie nti no, εbεtumi aba sε okunafoɔ no redidi a saman no bεtumi de ne nsa abεto aduane no mu. εnam saa nti wɔhyε ɔbaa no ma ɔde bidie to n’aduane no mu ama saman no ammedi bi. Okunafoɔ baa bi kaa sei de foaa yei so:

“Amanneε baako nso ne sε wɔhyεε me sε emma mennidi wɔ berε a abɔ nnɔnsia apa ho na mpo sε εkɔba saa a, emma me were mfiri sε mede bidie bεto aduane no mu. Wɔse gyedie no ne sε, saa no emma me kunu saman kwan mma ɔne me mmedidi” (Effiduase ɔbaa kunafɔɔ, mfeε 67).

Saa adidie mmara ahodoɔ nyinaa mu no, εda adi wɔ nhwehwεmu yi mu sε akunafoɔ no bi wɔ hɔ a wotumi didi mpre mmiɛnsa na binom nso didi mmienu. Nkyerεmu a menyaε ne sε mpεn dodoɔ a okunafoɔ no b[didi no gyina onipa a ɔreyε amanneε ama okunafoɔ no so. Saa nipa yi nso yε no kunu a wawuo ne ho nipa nti berε a okunu no te aseε no sε na okunafoɔ baa no ne wɔn te yie a wɔn nso tumi hwε no yie wɔ kunayε berε no mu. Yei akɔhia sε mmaa a wɔte awareε wɔ sε wɔpere ne wɔn nsenom ne wɔn nkumafɔɔ tena yie ama dabi wɔn nso ahwε wɔn yie sε wɔn hokafo firi mu a.

4.1.3 Amanneε a wɔyε de pam okunu no saman firi okunafoɔ no ho

Akanfoɔ wɔ gyedie bi sε obi wu a ɔkɔ so ne ne yere nya twaka kɔpem berε a ɔbεyε kunayε amanneε no awie atete wɔn ntam (Sackey, 2001). Yei kyerε se kɔsi berε a wɔbεyε amanneε atete okunafoɔ no ne okunu no ntam no, okunu no saman tumi ba okunafoɔ no hɔ ne no bεyε dee ɔpε. Otumi nso yiyi ne ho kyerε okunafoɔ no wɔ daεε mu. Ne saa nti sε ɔbaa bi kunu wu a wɔyε amanneε a εbεtete ɔne ne kunu no ntam na apam saman no afiri ne ho efiris[seesei dee ɔne no nni nkitalodie biara bio. Efε amanneε a wɔyε de pam saman no okunafoɔ baa bi kaa sε:

“Nipa a ɔyεε me kuna no de krado a εs[n ahoma so too
m’asene, ɔhyεε me sε εnna m’asen mu kɔsi sε ahoma no ankasa

bɛte]. Nkyerɛmu a ɔde maa me ne sɛ wato me baa mu wɔ sunsum mu amma me kunu no ne me ammɛda wɔ sunsum mu. Afei so ɛmma ɔbarima foforɔ biara nso nnya akɔnnɔ mma me” (Effiduase ɔbaa kunafɔɔ, mfeɛ 66).

Mmaa a wɔyɛ amanneɛ no baako nso kaa sei too deɛ okunafoɔ baa yi kaeɛ no so de kyerɛkyer]ɛ mu:

“Amanneɛ baako nso ne sɛ nipa a ɔreyɛ amanneɛ no ama okunafoɔ no de ahweneɛ bi a wayɛ firi borɔdɛs hono mu ma okunafoɔ no de too n’asene. Yɛfa borɔdɛs hono mmiɛnsa nwene yɛ no baako de ma okunafoɔ no to n’asene. Gyedie no ne sɛ saa ahweneɛ no, saman no mpɛ enti sɛ ɔbaa no de to n’asene a saman no ntumi mmɛn no ɛnne no mmɛda. Yɛwɔ gyedie bi sɛ mmarima a na wɔcɔwɔcɔ yerenom paa no di wɔn yerenom akyi nti saa amanneɛ yi εboa tete wɔn ntam” (Jyoko ɔbaapanin, mfeɛ 68).

ɔbaapanin baako nso kaa sei sii deɛ wɔn a wadi kan aka no so sɛ:

“Mep]ɛ nwira bia yɛfrɛ no]mee, atuduro, asadua kakra, bofunu na mede abɔ birisi mu de no akɔ dan mu na mabɔ ɔbarima no din mprensa na mede amo no. Ɛyɛ a mema krado no da ne baa no so sɛ deɛ εbɛyɛ a ɔbarima no ntumi mma ne nkyɛn ne no mmɛda” (Effiduase ɔbaapanin, mfeɛ 78).

Saa ade] a wɔde to wɔn asene mu no ne deɛ Sackey (2001) kyerɛ sɛ ɛyɛ kuna suman anaa sensempu no di nse. Ne nsem mu no, Sackey kyerɛɛ sɛ: “Akunafoɔ no gye di sɛ

kuna suman anaa sensempu no wɔ tumi bi a etumi pam nsamanfoo ne esunsumfi. Yεgye di sε saman no bεtumi ne ɔbaa a ɔte aseε no abεda sε wammɔ ne ho ban a” (kr. 66).

Mmaa akunafoɔ a wanyε saa amanneε yi amma wɔn no, gyedie ne sε wɔn kunnom kɔ so yiyi wɔn ho kyere wɔn mmerε bebree. Okunafoɔ barima bi a ɔkɔɔ saa tebea yi mu kaa sei too so:

“Mmerε a wɔdedaa me yere no, mekɔɔ hɔ sε anka mene no rek[di nkra nanso abusufɔɔ no ampene piaa me maa me piraeε. Manya obiara amma no anyε me kuna. Na yεdodɔ yεn ho yie, dabiara meso daεε no, na obi da me nkyεn a ɔde ne nsa refefaa me tiri ho. Mεb] pitiri no na obiara nna hɔ na ehu akyekyere me. Eha na me nua baa bi kakyerεε me sε memfiri baabi a mewɔ no mmra anyε saa a ɔbεha me. Enti ɔk[pεε nwira bi maa mede dwareεε. Na ɔde bi nso too m'asene na efiri hɔ no, mante ne nka bio” (Koforidua ɔbarima kunafoɔ, mfee 65).

Okunafoɔ baa bi nso a na ɔtaa te ne kunu no nka εnam sε wanyε kuna amanneε no kaa sei too deε y[adi kan aka yi so mmerε a mebisaa no sε ne kunu no ammeyi ne ho ankyerε no:

“Me kunu no, na ɔnom bonto, adeε kyee da koro anɔpa bi yεhunuu bonto a yεaposa ne deε yεmposaeε ne aburoo ahaban sε egu egya no ho. Yei ma mehunuu sε me kunu no aba hɔ. Esuro kaa me enti ɛkɔbaa no saa no aberewa bi na ɔtenaa me ho hwεε me na ɔda m'anim na mada n'akyi. Anadwo sε mereda a na ɔde

mmarima mpaboa agu kwan no ano. Afei yede asedua kɔkɔ nso
bɔɔ cɔɔ dan no ano sɛdeɛɛ ɛbɛyɛ na se ɔba h] a, ɔbɛhunu se ɔbarima
foforɔ bi wɔ me nky]n na wakoro.

Dabi nso mekɔɔ afuom mewɔ hɔ no, obi frɛɛ me. Na mennim
onipa korɔ no enti mannye so, mebaa fie no mebisaa me mma no
se deɛɛ nti na na wɔrefrɛ me no?

Wɔse wammfrɛ me. Nso mehunuu se onipa no firi tiafi no so
nanso na efie no ne afuom hɔ bɛn a se wogyina hɔ a wohunu
akuraa hɔ. [hɔ na mehunuu se eyɛ me kunu no” (Asokore ɔbaa
kunafoɔ, mfee 72).

Yei da adi wɔ nhwehwɛmu yi mu sɛ, se ɔbaa bi kunu wu na wanyɛ kunayɛ amanneɛ no
amma no a, okunu saman no tumi ba ne nkyɛn mpeɛ dodo biara a ɔdɛ. ɔkɔba no saa
nso a, etumi de nsunsuansɔ a ɛnyɛ ba ɔbaa no so. Yei nti ɛwɔ se mmaa a wɔn kununom
befiri mu no pere se wɔbɛyɛ amanneɛ yi ama wɔn.

Amanneɛ baako nso a wɔyɛ wɔ ntam teteɛ mu ne sɛ, mmaa akunafoɔ no soa kuna kukuo
de di amu no anim kɔsi amusieɛ kurotia na wato kukuo no atwene a ɛkyerɛ se wagyaɛ
ne kunu no aduanenoa. Sei na okunafoɔ baa bi kaɛɛ de kyerɛkyerɛ nsɛm yi mu.

“Da a wɔde me kunu ɛrekɔ amusieɛ no wɔmaa me soaa kukuo bi
a abɔɔ mmiɛnsa wɔ mu. Yeduruu nkrontia no medanee m’akyi
hwɛɛ amu no na metoo kukuo no tweneɛɛ bɔɔ no. Afei mede
mmirika san m’akyi kɔɔ fie a manhwɛ m’akyi. Berɛ a metoo
kukuo no tweneɛɛ no mebɔɔ me kunu no din kaa sɛ, se wohu me

baabi a twam kɔ. Mfrɛ me bio efiri sɛ mene wo nni hwee yɛ bio”

(Koforidua ɔbaa kunafɔɔ, mfeɛ 64).

Aberɛ a merepɛ nkyerɛkyerɛmu afa s] nti a okunafoɔ no soa kukuo na ɔpae no cw amusieɛ kurontia no sei na mmaa a wɔyɛ kunayɛ amanneɛ no ma akunafoɔ no mu baako kaeɛ:

“Kukuo no a okunafoɔ no soa kɔpae no no kyerɛ sɛ ɔbaa no ne ne kunu no nni aduanenoa biara bio. Saa amanneɛ yi san boa okunu no saman ma no tumi kɔ asamando asomdwoe] mu efirise afei dee ɔne ne yere adi nkra apaapae mu. Sɛ kukuo no ampaee anaa sɛ ɔbaa no bɔ fam a, εyε asenkɛsɛɛ na εkyerɛ sɛ okunu no ne ɔbaa no mpae mu enti obedi n’akyi” (Koforidua ɔbaapanin, mfeɛ 79).

Amanneɛ ahoro] yi da no adi sɛ okunafoɔ no ne okunu no ntumi nyɛ hwee bio efirise seesei [baako εte asamando εnna baako nso te ateasefɔɔ asaase yi so[. Sɛ nkitalodie bi kɔ so wɔ wɔn mmieno no ntam a [betumi de nsunsuansɔɔ bɔne abrɛ ɔbaa no, ne saa nti na wɔyɛ kuna amanneɛ no tete wɔn ntam no.

4.1.4 Kunayɛ mu adwareɛ

Kunayɛ mu no, adwareɛ ahodoɔ mmieno na εkɔ so[. Dee edi kan yɛ daadaa adwareɛ a okunafoɔ no dware wɔ berɛ a wɔnsiee ne kunu no na dee εtɔ so mmieno no yɛ adwareɛ a etwa too wɔ berɛ a wasie ne kunu no awie na ɔde ne kunayɛ amanneɛ no reba awieɛɛ.

Efā daadaa adwaree ho no, wɔhye okunafoō no ma no dware mprensa da koro: anɔpa, awia ne anwummerε. Sei na okunafoō baa bi kaeε faa daadaa adwaree ho:

“...afei medware mpre mmiensa da koro, anɔpa, awia ne anwummerε. Wɔyii me kunu nuabaa baako sε ɔnye me kuna nti aberε biara na ɔwɔ me ho ɔno na ɔne me kɔdware” (Oyoko ɔbaa kunafoō, mfee 56).

Mmerε a mep]ε sε mete s] nti a wɔma ɔbaa no dware mpre mmiensa da koro aseε no sei na mmaa a wɔye kunayε amanneε no ma akunafoō no mu baako kaeε:

“...adwaree mmiensa no nso kyere sεebema ɔbaa no ho asisi ne ho so. Afei nso ne honam ani bεye nahanaha atɔ so de atwεn ayie da no ama nkurɔfɔ a wɔbεba ahu no sε okunu no hwεε ɔbaa no yie” (Effiduase ɔbaapanin, mfee 75).

Yei kyere s] nti titire a wɔma mmaa no dware mprensa no ne sε wɔn honam εbεtɔ so ama ayie da no wɔn a wɔbεba no ahu sε na okunu no hw]ε ɔbaa no yie de ate okunu no anim.

Adwaree a εtɔ so mmieno no yε deε εkɔ so wɔ berε a wasie okunu no awie na ɔrebεwie kunayε amanneε no. Saa adwaree yei nkɔso wɔ fie mmom εkɔ so wɔ asutene mu anaa sumina so anaa kurotia ahemakye. Sarpong (1974) na Asare opoku (1977) kyere sε, Akanfo] hu owuo sε εye nname εne adeε a εye efi saa nti sε obi hokafoō wu a saa nipa no ne ho nte. Enam saa nti na wɔhye okunafoō no ma odware no. Saa adwaree yi ho no okunafoō baa bi kaa sei:

“Yesiee me kunu wieee no, wɔmaa me kodwaree wɔ sumina so mprensa. Deε wɔkaεε ne sε okunu wuo yε efi ne mmusuo ne saa nti sumina so adwareε no bεte me ho afiri mmusuo ne efi biara a me kunu wuo no de aba me so]” .(Effiduase ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeε 67)..

Asenkɔrɔ yi ara so na okunafoɔ baa bi nso kaa sei:

“Da a wɔrebεyε me kunu ayie no, wɔde me too dan mu anwummerε nnɔnsia. Ahemakye no, ɔbaapanin a ɔyεε me kuna no ne mmaa binom de mekɔɔ suten a εwɔ kuro no mu kodwaree me. Adwareε no akyi no wɔmaa me gyaa samina, sapɔ, ntadeε ne biribiara a mede yεε me ho nyinara no guu nsuo no mu”
(Asokore ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeε 59).

Yei da no adi sε akwan ahodoo ne mmerε ahodoo ne beaεε ahodoo wɔ hɔ a adwareε no tumi kɔ so]. Mmaa a wɔyε kuna amanneε no ma akunafoɔ no mu baako kaa yei de too akunafoɔ no deε so kyereε mu:

“Kunayε amanneε no kɔ so nna mmiɛnsa akyi a wapε okunu no korabea. εwɔ da a amanneε no bεkɔ awieεε no, wɔto nsa frε ɔbaa no ma ne ba fie a wɔdedaa okunu no wɔ hɔ no. woyi ne ti ho de kyereε sε wɔrete ne ho afiri mmusuo ne afifideε biara a okunu wuo no de abre no ho. Sε ɔbaa no ampene so sε wobeyi ne ti ho a, wogyaε ma ne gu so. Afei ahemakye no wɔde no kɔ nsuo mu kodware no. Adwareε no tumi nso kɔ so wɔ efie no akyi wɔ bere

a ɔbaapanin bi a afiri okunu no abusua mu rehwε ne so. Adwareε no akyi no, ogyaa biribiara a ɔde yεε ne ho sε sapɔ, samina, ntoma ne ntadeε ahodoo a ɔhyεεε no guu hɔ. Ogya nneεma no de kyere sε mmusuo ne efi biara a okunu wuo de abre no no na wato agu no” (Asokore ɔbaapanin, mfeε 76).

Nhwehwεmu yi da no adi sε adwareε amanneε no a esuten nso, New Juaben mpɔtamu deε, asutene mu adwareε no na εtaa kɔ so. Deε ehia ne sε wɔbεte okunafoɔ no ho afiri mmusuo a okunu wuo no de abre no sε dee amammerε ne wɔn gyedie kyere wɔn no.

Yehu sε adwareε yε ade[bi a εkɔ so wɔn cɔsɔm ne gyedie ahodoɔ a εwɔ wiase yi mu. Ansaana Nkramofoɔ bεkɔ som no, wɔhohoro wɔn ho ansa. Romanfoɔ nso kɔ ascre a, wɔde nsuo pete wɔn so de te wɔn ho ansa na cɔsɔm no ahyε aseε. Mpo wɔ Hindu cɔsɔm mu no wodware wɔ asutene Ganges mu de pa wɔn bɔnε (Antwi, 2015). Yei kyere sε ahoteε adwareε yε adeε bi a εkɔ so wɔn cɔsɔm ahodoɔ nyinara mu enti sε New Juaben mpɔtamufoɔ ma okunafoɔ dware wɔ ne kunayε amanneε mu de pa ne ho mmusuo a na ne kwan so ara ne no.

4.2. Nsunsuansoɔ a kunayε de ba okunafoɔ no ne ne mma sɔɔ

Olapegba & Chrown, (2006) hw[[nsunsuansoɔ a kunay[mu amanneε no nya w] akunafo] a w]w] Nigeriaman mu no so ne mmoa a w]hia ho.

Boahene (1999, 2001) kyer[mu s[, mp[n pii no, mmaa na w]taa de w]n hy[kunayε mu. Yei asekyer[tiawa ne s[, Akanfo] amammerε mu no,]barima de[,]w] ho kwan s[]b[ware mmaa baanu anaa de[[boro saa w] abrabɔ mu. Saa nti s[ne hokafo] bi patu wu a, [y[a odi awer[ho] nanso [nky[na wanya obi a]b[kyekye ne wer[. Yei nso nti,

]barima ny[kuna nky[, b[y[nnaw]twe bi p]. Nhwehwemū yi bɔ mmɔden sε [bɛhwehwɛ nsunsuanso a kunayɛ amanneɛ no tumi de ba akunafoɔ no so wɔ New Juanben mpɔtamu hɔ. Berɛ a mebisaa akunafoɔ mmaa no adwene fa dee εnyɛ wɔ kunayɛ amanneɛ ahodoɔ a wɔyɛ ma wɔn ho no sei na okunafoɔ baa bi kaeɛ:

“Menntumi nka sε mempɛ amanneɛ yei anaa yei efirisɛ amanneɛ a mekɔɔ mu no mu biara nni hɔ a na εyɛ den boro me so anaa etiatia me fahodie soɔ enti menni biribi bɔne biara ka wɔ ho. Afei nso megye di sε εyɛ amanneɛ a εpam mmusuo biara a me kunu wuo no de abre me afei nso εsan ma me kwan ma metumi ware foforɔ sε mepɛ a. Enam saa gyedie yi nti biribiara nni mu a εha me” (Oyoko ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeɛ 65).

Okunafoɔ baa bi nso ka too so sε:

“Mmerɛ a me kunu wuuie no yammfa me ammfa amanneɛ denden biara mu nanso na mehunu sε εyɛ abosoms]m. Sε meyɛ Kristoni yi εne me gyedie bɔ abira. Meyɛɛɛ efirisɛ εyɛ amammerɛ nanso na menni anigye biara wɔ mu. Beaeɛ baako a na mempɛ ne s] wɔkaa sε wobeyi me ti ho no nanso mampene no wogyaɛɛ” (Oyoko ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeɛ 72).

Mmaa mpanimfoɔ a wɔyɛ amanneɛ ma mmaa akunafoɔ no mu baako nso kaa sε:

“Kunayε wɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu ha nyε biribi a εyε den na nneεma bɔne biara nso nni mu. εyε asomdwoεε nko ara”
(Asokore ɔbaapanin, mfeε 71).

Nyiano a nnipa a w]yiyii nsɛm no ano no de maeε yi kyεrε sε kunayε amanneε a εkɔ so wɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu no nyε biribi a εyε den a εbεtumi de nsunsuansɔcɔne aba akunafoɔ no so. Yei ne Antwi (2015) nhwehwεmu a ɔyε faa Akuapem kunayε ho ne Sarpong (2001) nhwehwεmu a ɔyε faa Asantefoɔ kunayε ho no di nsε sε kunayε amanneε no yε ade[a wɔyε ma obiara wɔ berε a ne hokafoɔ awuo na εnyε biribi denden biara a εde nsunsuansɔcɔne brε mmaa no.

Ɛwɔ mu sε kunayε amanneε a εkɔ so wɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu no nyε deε ateetee[cwaε mu nanso εbεdaa adi sε akunafoɔ no bi wɔ hɔ a wɔfaa ateetee[mu. Wɔn kunnom abusuafoɔ teetee wɔn nanso deε cwaε sε yεhyε no nso ne sε saa ateetee yi nka kunayε amanneε no ho mmom εyε berε a abusuafoɔ no de tua okunafoɔ baa no ka sε na ɔne wɔn nte yie. Sε berε a okunafoɔ kunu no te aseε no na ɔne okunu nuanom mmaa ne abusuafoɔ no nka a saa berε no na wɔn nso yi wɔn ani yε okunafoɔ no ayakayakadeε tua no ka.

Ɛfa ateetee a akunafoɔ binom tumi kɔ mu ho no, sei na mmaa mpanimfoɔ a wɔyε amanneε ma akunafoɔ no mu baako kaeε:

“Kunayε amanneε wɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu ha. Ha nyε adeε a ɔhaw ne ateetee wɔ mu. Sε abusuafoɔ bεteetee ɔbaa bi a na egyina kwan a na ɔne wɔn teε wɔ berε a okunu te aseε no. Sε saa mmereε no na ɔbaa no mmu abusuafoɔ no a, kunayε berε no na

wɔn nso tua ɔbaa no ka. Wotumi dane wɔn ani ma ɔbaa no cwa
nneɛma a obehia ho te sɛ ntoma, sika ne deɛ ekeka ho. Mmaa a
na wɔne abusua no te yie no nkɔ biribi a ete sei mu” (Koforidua
ɔbaapanin, mfee 76).

Yei si deɛ okunafoɔ baa bi kaeɛ so dua fa ateetee ne mmoa a wannya amfiri ne kunu
abusuafoɔ hɔ εnam wɔn ntam a na εnyɛ nti.

“Na yɛte Nkran na mebaa ayie wɔ Asɔkɔre ha. Adeɛ kyeeɛ mewɔ
ha na yɛfrɛɛ me sɛ me kunu awu. Anokwa εyɛɛ den maa me.
Metuu mmirika kɔɔ Nkran hɔ kɔhunuu n’amu wɔ Polisi
ayaresabea sɛ wawu ampa. Da no ara n’abusuafoɔ no amma me
kwan anwura ɛdan a na mene me kuna no da mu. Nnawɔtwe da
no, abusuafoɔ no faa no kɔɔ Kumase kɔdii no wɔ hɔ. Mekɔɔ bi
nanso wammua me, ayiyɛ no nso saa ara. Me ara na mehwɛɛ me
ho, mɛdidi oo mɛda oo εtwa gye me ara. Kaprɛ mpo obiara amma
me bi. Me ara na mɛpɛɛ ntoma ne εho nkekaho furaεɛ”
(Effiduase ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfee 69).

Yei da no adi sɛ, sɛ obi benya nsunsuansoo bɔne bi afiri kunayɛ amanneɛ no mu a, na
efiri tebea a ɔne ne kunu nkɔrɔfɔɔ te].

Nsunsuansoo baako nso a akunafoɔ a wɔne wɔn kunu abusuafoɔ nte yie no nya ne sɛ
wotumi tu wɔn firi ɛdan a na wɔtɛ mu no mu. Ayiyɛ no akyi no abusuafoɔ no tumi
kɔpam ɔyere no ne ne mma firi beaɛɛ a wɔtɛ no. Sɛ efie no yɛ abusuaifie na na wɔtɛ a

εno mpo dee asem no asee koraa. Σwɔ saa asem yi ho, sei na okunafoɔ baa bi ne me kyεεεε:

“Yasiee me kunu no wieεε no abusuafɔɔ bɛkakyereεε me se wɔma
me bosome, mempe baabi a me ne me mma no bɛkɔ efirise efie
no yε abusuafie enti abusua no regye wɔn adeε. Na mene wɔn
ntam nyε papa enti mmerε sooe[no mene me mma tu kɔɔ
m'abusuaifie a seesei hɔ na yεte” (Koforidua ɔbaa kunafɔɔ, mfeε
68).

Εnam se yεgye di se mmarima na esi dan nti no se mpo efie no yε barima no ne ɔbaa no
nyinnaa dee a abusua no tumi gye firi ɔbaa no nsam wɔ berε a na]ne wɔn nte yie.

Se y[yi tu a wotu okunafoɔ no ne ne mma no si nkyεn a, nsunsuansɔɔ baako nso ne se
abusua no tumi gye agyapadeε biara a okunu no gyaeε firi ɔbaa no ne mmɔfra no nsam.
Agyapadeε a ɔbarima bi bεgya wɔ ne wuo akyi, se εyε afuo, ahγεn ne dee εkeka ho ne
ɔbaa no anidasoɔ a ɔde bεhwε ne ho ne ne mma nanso εtɔ da bi a ɔbarima no abusuafɔɔ
tumi gye saa agyapadeε yi nyinnaa firi ɔbaa no nsam ma wɔn abrabɔ yε basaa.]k[ba saa
a, abusuafɔ] no yi wɔn ani ma mm]fra no kankɔ mu, se wob[didi, wobεnom ne nyinnaa
k]gu maame no so ma ne yεahaha. Se εkɔba se okunafoɔ baa no nni adwuma biara a
ɔyε a, ne ho kyere no. Mm]fra no nso tumi gyae sukuu εnam ahokyere nti. Sei na
okunafoɔ baa bi ka too yei soɔ:

“Me kunu wuuie no abusua no anyε me hwee, onua baako na
]de ntɔkwa baeε. Nanso nkwdadaa no nti mankasa. ɔbεgyee afuo
a mene papa no yεεε no na na ɔte die. Dabi megxaa me mma no

hɔ baa Asɔkɔre ha, εnna me mma no baako frɛɛ me sɛ papa no yare. ɔse mpɔmpɔ abɔ n'ayaase a ɔntumi nnwonsɔ, Adeɛ kyɛɛs ara na wɔ frɛɛ me sɛ papa no awu. Ne nuanom faa akyire no, wɔkɔtee sɛ me kunu no na wayɛ no nsamantoa. ɔse agyapadeɛ a ɔde gyaa ne yere ne ne mma no wamfa amma wɔn. Enti ɔmmra mmeyi n'ano wɔ asamando” (Effiduase ɔbaa kunafɔɔ, mfeɛ 79).

Nhwehwɛmu yi da no adi sɛ Akanfɔɔ mu no, awareɛ nyɛ nkitalodie a ɛda ɔbaa ne barima nkOA ara ntam mmom εyɛ nkitalodie a ɛda ɔbarima no ne ɔbaa no abusuafɔɔ no ntam. Yei si deɛ Gyekye (1996) ka faa awareɛ ho sɛ awareɛ mu no ani da kwan sɛ barima no bɛma ɔbaa no n'abusuafoɔ ahiasɛm ayɛ n'ahiasɛm. Saa ara na ɔbaa no nso εwɔ sɛ cɔma ɔbarima no abusuafɔɔ ho hia no. Sɛ ɛkɔba sɛ wɔn nko ara wɔn ho na wɔdwɛn a yehu wɔn sɛ wɔyɛ pɛsɛmenkomenya.

Yei da no adi sɛ εho hia sɛ awarefɔɔ ne wɔn hokafoɔ abusuafɔɔ benya nkitalodie pa ama watumi aboa wɔn wɔ mmere a εsɛ mu. Ɛrekame ayɛ sɛ mmaa a wɔte awareɛ binom mu na εnte wɔn anim nkyerɛ okunu no nuanom mmaa, awofɔɔ ne n'akyifɔɔ mmom na mmarima no taa gye ɔbaa no akyifɔɔ wɔ ɔfɛ kwan so. Mmaa a wɔte saa no nnya mmoa biara mfiri abusua no hɔ wɔ berɛ a okunu no afiri mu.

Sɛ yεrekasa atia amanneɛ a εnyɛ a etiatia akunafoɔ no ne w]n fahodie soɔ no, εho hia nso sɛ yεma mmaa a wɔte awareɛ ase hunu sɛ εwɔ sɛ wɔne wɔn nkunom nkɔɔrɔn nya nkitalodie pa ama ay]nkofa mapa atumi abɛda wɔn ntam na watena asomdwoeɛ mu, efirisɛ asetena mu ankitahodie pa yɛ adeɛ baako a Akanfɔɔ ntoto no ase koraa.

Nsunsuanso baako nso a εbεdaa adi wɔ nhwehwemu yi mu a kunayε tumi de ba akunafoɔ no so yε pira ne yareε. Nhwehwemu no mu no, okunafoɔ baa baako daa no adi sε berε a owiee kunayε amanneε no na wanya yareε. Sei na ɔkaεε:

“Amanneε no mu no, onipa a ɔhyεε me kuna no sisirii prɛkεsε,
akakaduro ne hwentea bɔɔ ntoma mu moo me. Afei nso ɔde
krado ketewa bi sεεn ahoma so too m’asene a na krado no da me
baa so. Da koro krado no kɔhyεε me baa mu wɔ berε a meretena
ase. Mehwεεε no na ati me. Afei nso εnam sε akakaduro no ne
prɛkεsε no ano yε den nti na mete sε m’ase hyehye me. Yei maa
me yareεε kakra enti woyii me kuna mu no, εnna mekɔρεε aduro
yεεε” (Asokore ɔbaa kunafɔɔ, mfeε 46).

Madi kan aka wɔ nhwehwemu yi mu sε amanneε baako a wɔyε ma akunafoɔ mmaa no
bi ne sε wɔde krado bεsa ahoma so ato ɔbaa no asene. Gyedie ne sε εbɔ ne ho ban firi
ne kunu saman ho sε ɔne no bεba abεda. Nsunsuanso a saa amanneε yi tumi de ba ne
sε ɔbaa a krado no da n’asene mu no anyε ahwεyie a εbεtumi akɔhyε ne baa mu ma εde
pira aba. Nhwehwemu yi mu no, okunafoɔ baa baako pε na ɔdaa yei adi nanso mewɔ
gyedie sε ebinom afa saa tebea yi mu a mantumi ne wɔn anni nkitaho. Saa na εteε a,
εho behia sε mpanimfɔɔ a wɔwɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu bεhwε ayε nsakraεε a εbεboa
mmaa no apɔmuden. Bio, s]de] Feminism adwensu no kyer] no,]ns] s] mmaa nko ara
na anka]s] w[fa saa ateetee yi nanso y]nhunu no saa. Aber] biara no, w[yi mma no si
nky]n na w[ama w[afa saa adey] yi mu.

4.2.1 Kunayε amanneε ne Nipa Fahodie ho mmara

Harding (1986) kyer]kyer] mu s], f[minisite ti[ri hy]] ase[w] ber] a na]s] s] w[p] nkyer]kyer]mu a]fata ma ti[ri ahodo[no, s]dnea]b]y] a nnoɔma a mmaa nso tumi de w[n nimde] y] no nso b]da adi. Nea na]rekyer] ne s], “S] mmaa w[esu a]kyer] s] w[tumi ne afofor] nya nkitahodie, s]de] mmarima te[no de[a,]nde] na]s] s] ti[ri tika disik[so tumi boa na w[yi mmaa bi pue , s]de] w]yi mmarima pue no ara”. Nipa bebree na εkasa tia kunayε amanneε no se εyeε adeε a etiatia mmaa fahodie so. Binom kyerε se εde oyene ne ɔhaw bebree na εbrε mmaa akunafoɔ no, ansaana obi betumi aka se εte saa anaa εnte saa no, ehia se onipa korɔ no tumi tie firi wɔn a wɔfa saa amanneε yi mu ankasa anomu ansa watumi akasa atia. Ne saa nti nhwehwεmu yi bɔɔ mmɔden se]de kunayε amanneε no bɛtoto nipa fahodie ho na wabisa akunafoɔ mmaa a wɔwɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu adwene εwɔ ho ahwε deε wɔn nso dwene fa saa amanneε yi ho.

4.2.2 Akunafoɔ no afadeε

Y[adi kan ahunu no dada wɔ nhwehwεmu yi mu se, se ɔbaa bi kunu wu a, afadeε a εwɔ se ɔfa ne ntoma tuntum anaa kɔbene kɔpem mmerε a y]bɛsie okunu no adi n'afenhyiada ansa watumi asesa afiri tuntum no mu ayε fufuo. Ntoma tuntum anaa kɔbene no ye ahyensodeε a εkyerε yaw anaa awerεhoɔ a obi wɔ mu wɔ berε a wahwere ne dɔfo bi.

Wɔ New Juaben mpɔtam hɔ no, okunafoɔ no fa saa afadeε yi ara kɔpem barima no afenhyiada a wɔde bɛkata n'akyi koraa. Afenhyia no akyi ansana ɔbaa no ayε fufuo.

Nhwehwεmu yi mu no, εbɛtɔɔ dwa se saa afadeε yi mfa ɔhaw anaa nyiyimu biara mma ɔbaa no so. εyeε kwan a yεfa so da ɔbaa no adi se ɔyeε ɔbaa a wahwere no kunu enti ɔwɔ

yea mu. ḡwɔ tebea bi a εkyerε sε n'anidasoɔ nyinaa asa enti amansan nyinaa mmeyε no mmoa εnkyekye ne werε.

Sε yεhwε ɔsom ahodoɔ ne amammerε ahodoɔ no mu a, yehu sε adeε su yε afeε a εho hia na adi akotene papaapa εwɔ onipa abrabɔ̄ mu. Sε yεfa Roman Katelik som yε nhwesoo a, berε a ascreba bi afiri mu na wɔreyε awufosom ama no no, afadeε a cofasε no fa yε agukɔnmu a εyε vawlεte ne sorotadeε a [no nso yε vawlεte de kyerε yea ne awerεhɔ̄. Sε saa dee a, na εnyε bɔ̄ne sε akunafoɔ mmaa a wɔwɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu bεfa afadeε tuntum de akyerε yea ne awerεhɔ̄ a wɔwɔ mu.

Bio, ɔsom ahodoɔ nkae[ne nipakuo ahodoɔ mu no, afadeε ahodoɔ wɔ hɔ a wɔfa ma wɔda nso firi afoforɔ ho. Sε yεkɔ̄nsrensre sε yεkɔ̄nsrensre mu sε a, asa, nsɛmpakafɔ̄, adwontofɔ̄ ne wɔn a εkeka ho nyinaa wɔ afadeε sononko a εma w]da nso firi wɔn a aka no ho. Saa nhwesoo ahodoɔ a wɔwɔ ha yi nyinaa s] mfomsoɔ biara nni ho a, εnneε na mfomsoɔ ben nso na εwɔ ho sε akunafoɔ a wɔwɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu bεfa afadeε tuntum wɔ kunayε berε mu de akyerε wɔn tebea a wɔwɔ mu ama nkɔrɔfɔ̄ atumi abεkyekye wɔn werε? εwɔ nhwehwεmu yi mu no, akunafoɔ no mu biara nni hɔ a ɔkasa tiaa afadeε a wɔma wɔfa no.

Mmerε ahodoɔ a okunafoɔ baa no yε tuntum no na mpanimfoɔ bεtumi aye biribi afa ho. New Juaben mpɔtam mu hɔ no, okunafoɔ no yε tuntum afe baako ansana watumi asesa n'afadeε. Megye di sε mmerε dodoɔ a okunafoɔ no yε tuntum no so bεtumi ate.

4.2.3 Edan mu nhyeεε

Nhwehwεmu yi mu no εdaa adi sε amanneε baako nso a wɔyε ma mmaa akunafoɔ no ne sε wɔde wɔn hyε εdan mu. εne sε kunayε mu no, yεde ɔhyε bi to ɔbaa no so a ontumi

mpue nkɔnenam te sε deε na ɔyε dada no. Nna dodoɔ a wodi wɔ dan mu no tumi yε nna mmiɛnsa kɔsi bosome baako. Edan mu nhyeεε berε no, yenntie ɔbaa no mma no mpue nkɔyε nnɔɔma a anka otumi pue kɔyε dada no kɔsi sε y]wie kunayε amanneε no ansa. Saa mmere no, abusuafɔɔ ne mmaa binom a wɔn nso ahwere wɔn hokafoɔ na wayε amanneε no bi da ba ne nkyεn bεkyekye ne werε. Otumi pue nenam efie no mu mmom ontumi mpue abɔnten nkɔhyε mu. Efia yei ho no, ɔbaa kunafoɔ bi kaa sei:

“Me kunu wuuie no, yεde metoo dan mu nnansa ansa wɔreyε amanneε no ama me” (Oyoko ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeε 56).

Akunafoɔ a mene wɔn twetwee nkɔmmɔ no nyinā gye too mu sε yεmaa wɔn hyεε dan mu mmere a wonyaa nkra sε wɔn hokafoɔ afiri mu no, abusuafɔɔ ne adɔfɔɔ binom tena wɔn nkyεn yε wɔn apεdeε ma wɔn. Sei na mmaa a wɔyε amanneε ma akunafoɔ mmaa no mu baako kaεε:

“Sε yesie okunu no wie a, yεde ɔbaa no to dan mu firi da koro kosi nnansa ansana wayε amanneε no ama no. Amanneε no hyε ase] an]pa na awie da no ara. Mmerε a ɔhyε dan mu no, ne nnamfo ne abusuafɔɔ ba ne nkyεn bεkyekye ne werε. Yei boa siesie n’adwene ma watumi ahyε ne ho so wɔ deε ɔrebεfa mu no”
({yoko ɔbaapanin, mfeε 71).

Edan mu nhyeεε yi yε ade[a nkɔrɔfɔɔ akasa sε etia Ghana nnipa fahodie mmara. Wɔ Ghana yεn mmara kunini mu no, y[atwerε wɔ mu sε obiara wɔ ho kwan sε opue kɔ baabi a ɔno ara pε. Enam yei nti nkɔrɔfɔɔ kasa tia sε edan mu nhyeεε no tiatia akunafoɔ no fahodie so.

Nhwehwemū yi daa no adi sε akunafoɔ a wɔma wɔhyε ɛdan mu no, ne botaeε ne sε εbεyε mmere a mmaa a wayε kunayε amanneε no bi da ne okunafoɔ foforɔ yi bedi nkɔmmɔ akyekye ne werε afei nso wakyerε no dee εsε sε cye. Akunafoɔ a mene wɔn dii nkitaho no mu biara nni hɔ a ɔkasa tiaa ɛdan mu nhyeεε a ɛka kunayε amanneε ho no nyε adeε a, akunafoɔ no ankasa hunu sε etiatia wɔn fahodie so.

Amanneε ahodoɔ a ɛkɔ so wɔ Akanfoɔ abrabɔ mu nyinaa, ɛdan mu hyε ka ho. Sε yεfa ahensie sei yε nhwεsɔɔ a, sε wɔkye ɔhene foforɔ a, yεde no hyε ɛdan mu nna kakra. Saa mmere a ɔda dan mu no ne mmere a ɔde sua abakɔsem, sεdeε obesi asiesie ne ho sε ɔhene, sεdeε obebu ɔman no ne dee ɛkeka ho.

Yei da no adi sε ɛdan mu nhyeεε a akunafoɔ a wɔwɔ New Juaben mpɔtam hyε no yε adeε a εboa wɔn ma wotumi nya awerεkyekye firi wɔn a wɔba wɔn nkyεn no hɔ. Esan nso boa ma wotumi hyε wɔn ho so yε amanneε no dwoodwoo.

4.2.4 Adidie ho ɔhyε

Ade[baako nso a akunafoɔ no kɔ mu ne sε, yεhyε wɔn sε mma wɔn nnidi wɔ berε a abɔ nnɔnsia apa ho. Ɛwɔ mu sε mmere a okunu te aseε no na otumi didi mmere biara a ɔpε. Enam saa nti ebinom adwene yε wɔn sε saa ɔhyε a yεde to akunafoɔ mmaa no so sε mma wɔn nnidi wɔ berε a abɔ nnɔnsia no tiatia wɔn fahodie so. Sei na okunafoɔ baa bi kaεε de faa adidie mu ɔhyε ho:

“Amanneε baako nso ne sε wɔhyεε me sε mma me nnidi wɔ berε a abɔ nnɔnsia apa ho na mpo sε ɛkɔba saa a mma me werε mfiri sε mede bidie bεto aduane no mu. Wɔse gyedie ne sε, saa no

εemma me kunu saman kwan mma ɔne me mmedidi” (Asokore ɔbaa kunafoc, mfeε 58).

Sε yεhwε yεn nnε mmereε yi a, apɔmuden adwumayεfoc gu so bɔ no dawuro sε anka εbεyε a akyε koraa nnɔnsia nkɔsi nnɔnsia mpaamu deε na anka obiara addidi awie ama aduane no atumi asiane wɔn ansa wakɔda. Sε saa deε a, na εkyerε sε ɔhyε a yede to akunafoč yi adidie soο no nyε ade bɔne. Bio, nhwehwεmu yi mu no, akunafoč no nyinaa hunu sε εyε adeε a entiatia wɔn fahodie so. Okunafoč baako pε na ɔdaa no adi sε saa mmereε no na wɔma no didi baako da korɔ.

4.2.5 Empa mu nkitahodie ho ɔhyε

Kunayε amanneε mu no, ɔbaa no nni ho kwan sε ɔne [barima foforɔ bεyε awareε kɔsi ne kunu afenhyia akyi ansa. Ne saa nti, yεde krado anaa safoa sεn ahoma so to ɔbaa no asene a εwɔ sε krado anaa safoa no da ne baa no so pεε. Yei kyεrε sε y[ato ne baa mu enti [barima foforɔ biara nni ho kwan sε ɔne ɔbaa no bεda. Nhwehwεmu yi mu no, akunafoč mmaa no mu biara nni hɔ a ɔkasa tiaa saa amanneε yi, mmom deε wɔkasa tiaeε ne krado anaa safoa a wɔde to wɔn baa so no. Eno na wɔn mu ɔha mu nkyεmu aduokron (90%) susu sε εnyε efiri sε etumi pira wɔn. Efia pira ho no, okunafoč baa baako ne me kyεε sε:

“Amanneε no mu no, onipa a ɔhyεε me kuna no sisii prekεsε, akakaduro ne hwentea bɔɔ ntoma mu moo me. Afei nso ɔde krado ketewa bi sεn ahoma so too m’asene a na krado no da me baa so]. Da koro krado no kɔhyεε me baa mu wɔ berε a metenaa ase[. Mehwεεεε no na ati me. Afei nso εnam sε akakaduro no ne

prækεsε no ano yε den nti na metaa te sε m'ase hyehye me. Yei
maa me yareeε kakra enti woyii me kuna mu no, εnna mekɔpεsε
aduro yεeε" (Effiduase ɔbaa kunafoɔ, mfeeε 80).

Ada adi wɔ nhwehwεmu yi mu sε kunayε amanneε no mu biara nni hɔ a akunafoɔ mmaa
a wɔwɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu hunuu sε etiatia wɔn fahodie so. Mmom wohu sε εyε
adeε a εpam mmusuo ne efi biara a wɔn hokafoɔ wuo no de abrε wɔn. Bio, wohunuu sε
εyε adeε a εboa tete wɔn ne wɔn nkununom no ntam. Nnoɔma bi a εkɔ so a εma binom
ka sε etiatia fahodie soɔ no nyinaa nyε nnoɔma a εka kunayε amanneε no ho. Emu bi na
edidi soɔ yi.

Sεdeε y]ahunu dada no, abusuafɔɔ no bi tumi gye agyapadeε a okunu no de gyaa ɔbaa
no ne ne mma no firi wɔn nsam. Agypadeε no tumi yε εdan, afuo ne deε εkeka ho.
Ekɔba no saa a, εne Ghana yεn mmara kunini ne fa a [kasa fa adedie ho no bɔ abira.
PNDC mmara 111 a εkyerε sε, sε obi firi mu na wanyε nsamanseeε a, agyapadeε dodoɔ
no]wɔ sε εkɔ ɔbaa no ne ne mma no hɔ. Nhwehwεmu no mu no, εdaa adi sε ansana
abusuafoɔ bεgye agyapadeε no nyinaa afiri ɔbaa no nsam no na εkyerε sε wɔn mmienu
no ntam nyε papa. Ekɔba saa a, abusuafɔɔ no yε saa de tua ɔbaa no ka.

Mpεn dodoɔ a yεrekasa atia saa adeε yi, sε εnyε na etia Ghana mmara no, εwɔ sε mmaa
a wɔwɔ awareε ase nso hunu sε εho hia sε wɔde anidie bεma okunu abusuafɔɔ ama wɔn
ntam ayε kama amma ankɔfa biribi a εte sei amma.

4.2.6 Kunay[ne Kristosom

Nhwehw[mu yi mu no]baa kunafo] no baako kaa s[, "[nn[de[Kristo nti [nte s[tete h]
no a y[de kukuo soa]baa no ber[a y[rek]sie funu no na wokita babadua. Woduru asie[

h] a, na wato afa w'akyi agu a wonhw[w'akyi na wo k] fie. Afei nso wotena ase[a na wasam wo nan no many[bi saa". Yei ma y[hunu s[nsesae[kakraa aba w] kunay[amanneε no a [y[nkuranhy[ma mmaa a egyina ah]hosom so. Kristosom ny[Akanfo] amammerε no fa bi nanso [nam s[wiase rek] n'anim na [ber[de ne nsakrae[nam, enti ama abusua ahodoɔ ago kunay[amanneε no mu. Okunani barima bi anoyie a]de maa as[mmisa "Amannee b[n na w]y[maa wo s[okunani"? Yei foa de[Azasu ne Geraldo (2005) kae[s['Feminism' a na yεrekyer[ade[a w]de kyer[s[, mmaa ne mmarima gyinaberε b[y[p[w] amany]s[m mu, amammerε mu, adwumay[mu, ne]man mu sikas[m ne adwadie mu ne as]re mu mpaninnie mu. Kyer[s[, s[y[mfa mmarima mfa saa amanneε a megye di s[[y[ateetee yi mu a, [ns[s[y[de mmaa fa mu.

}barima kunafo] bi kaa s[: W]nnny[[hwee maa me enti me ara na merey[me ho kuna. Me w]faase bi a wafa mu p[n na]rekyer[kyer[me a megu so rey[. Kristo nti mammpene s[w]de ade[bi b[to m'asene mu. Wo ne]baa no abusafo] no ntam te s[n w] ber[a na]baa no te ase[ne ne wuo akyi yi?

Na mene w]n ntam ny[basaa na y[te kama . Me nk]mm]twetwee no mu mebisaa]baa kunafo] baako amanneε ahodoɔ a w]de no faa mu ber[a okunu kaa baabi no; sei na obuaa as[mmisa no

"Me kunu no wuui[no, abusafo] no hyiae[[nna w]tuu]b]fo] b[see me ayie s[me kunu no afiri mu. W]br[[me sika s[memmfa nhw[abusa no [nna w]de no k]siee m]kyere. [h] na me hy[[ase[y[[tuntum de suu me kunu no. Edii nnaw]twe no, w] hyiae[hy[[da a w]de b[y[ayie no na wasie no. W]hy[[me s[memfa me nsa nto obi nsa yam nkyea no. Gyedie no ne s[, kunay[y[atoyer[nky[m [no nti [ns[s[mema obi nya bie anaa mede kyecky[. Afei na w]ma medware mp[n mmi[nsa dabiara. W]kyer[s[

[b[ma me honam ani ay[turomturom nahanaha de ay[me kunu ayie. W]maa me kunu nuabaa na]y[[me kuna no, na]ne me na [da b] me ho ban. Na me mpue nk] baabiara w]se w]de pam me kunu saman anaa honhom bi a, [p[s[]y[me b]ne firi me nky[n]. [soro aduane nkoara na na medie. Ayie da no, mede nne[ma k]sieve no. Afe sooe[no, w]bisaa de[odii me kunu ade[no s[]b[ware me anaa? Wammpopo ne ti gye too mu. }hw[[me ne me mma no na y[tenaa abusuafie h]. {no na ama maka Koforidua no". S[y[hw[saa kunay[amanneε yi a, [wom s[amammerε w]nto ntwene de[nanso [ne tete de[no nsonsonoe[w] mu.

Mintah (1996) kyerε s[,]barima yere anaa]baa no kunu wu a,]y[kuna nti w]fr[no okunafo]. Kuna, s[de[edin no te[no, kyer[s[, "obi a]redi kun na" anaas[kun ho ay[den ama no". Boahene (1999, 2001) kyer[mu s[, mp[n pii no, mmaa na w]taa de w]n hy[kunayε mu. Yei n'asekyer[tiawa ne s[, Akanfo] amammerε mu no,]barima de[,]w] ho kwan s[]b[ware mmaa baanu anaa de[[boro saa w] abrabɔ mu. Saa nti s[ne hokafo] bi patu wu a, [y[a odi awer[ho] nanso [nky[re na wanya obi a]b[kyekye ne wer[.

Yei nso nti,]barima ny[kuna nky[re, b[y[nnaw]twe ara. }baa kunafo] bi a mebisaa no s[wo kunu wuui[no [de[n na w]y[[wo? Wanny[me hwee, na mmom onua baako bi de nt]kwa na [b[kateree me. Nanso nkwadaa no nti mankasa. }b[gyee afuo a mene papa no y[e[no na na]te die. Dabi megyaa me mma no h] baa As]k]re ha, [nna me ba no baako fr[[me s[papa no yare.]se mp]mp] ab] n'ayaase a]ntumi nnwons], ade[kyee[ara na w]fr[[me s[papa no awu. Ne nuanom faa akyire no, w]k]tee s[me kunu no na way[no nsamantoa. }se agyapade[a]de gyaa ne yere ne ne mma no wamfa amma w]n. Enti]mmra mmeysi n'ano w] asamando

4.2.7 Owuo akyi adeky[

Mp[ns[mp[ns[mu yi fa a na [fa adeky[ho no,]baa kunafo] bi kaa s[: “Me kunu no kaa s[, s[owu a, [mpa no de[memfa efiris[mene no na [k]t]]e[w] Koforidua. Afei]de t[lebihy[n ne akasanoma no nso kaa me ho. Nanso abusuafo] no faae[gye akasanoma no na w]de maa me nso na as[e”. Yei di adanse[s[awugyade[anaa agyapade[ky[mu no Akanfo] mmusua no bi w] h] a w]mfa mmara a [y[]man Ghana nyinaa de[no ny[adwuma. Ghana mmara no se s[n? {nam]haw ahodoɔ a [w] saa adedie ne owuo akyi adeky[mu nti, Provisional National Defence Council (PNDC) de mmara fofor] bae[a w]fr[no “Intestate Succession Law” anaa “PNDC Law 111” w] 1985 s[[b[siesie saa]haw ahodoɔ yi. S[obi wu na s[wany[nsamanse[a, saa mmara yi so na y[hw[de ky[n’agyapade[ma ne yere ne mma ne n’abusuafo].

Nsamanse[ne krataa kyer[sedeɛ [w] s[y[ky[obi agyapade[s[ofiri mu a. Mmara yi mu no, s[owufoɔ no agyapade[a ogyae[y[fie baako a, saa fie no k] ma]kunafo] no ne mma h]. Na s[efie no boro baako a, w]ky[ma kunafo] no ne ne mma; na s[w]nhunu sedeɛ w]b[ky[agyapade[no a, w]b[tumi ak] as[nnibe a ma waky[agyapade[no ama w]n.

Efie nnoɔma bi te s[T[l[bihyin, k]mpiwta, nkonnwa, kaa, mmoa ne de[[keka ho a, ne ne nyinaa k] kunafo] no ne mma h]. S[y[yi efie ne emu nnoɔma firi h] na s[owufoɔ no w] agyapade[fofor] bi te s[asase, mfuo, sika ne ade[a, y[w] sedeɛ w]si ky[saa nnoɔma yi w] mmara yi ase. S[owufoɔ no gyaa kunafo] ne mma a, sei na w]ky[agyapade[no. W]ky[agyapade[no nyinaa mu ahodoɔ dunsia. Emu mmi[nsa k] kunafo] no h]; emu nsia k] ne mma h]; w]de nkae[no ma owufoɔ awofo] ne abusua no h]. S[owufoɔ no

gyaa ne hokani nko ara na s[mma nka ho a, saa agyapade[yi mu fa k] kunafo] no h]
na nkae[no ak] owufoɔ no awofo] ne abusuafo] h].

Nhwehw[mu yi twe adwene si so s[, [wom s[saa mmara a [w] soro ha yi w] h] de[
nanso abusua no bi y[asobrakye[bu w]n ani gu so. Nanso [nam s[amammerɛ fra w]n
daadaa asetena mu nti, obiara ntwe w]n nk]gyina mmara anim w] w]n nnay]e[a [mfa
kwan mu yi ho.

4.3 T|fabɔ

Saa ɔfa yi yεε mpεnsempεnsemu faa amanneɛ a wɔyε ma akunafoɔ a wɔwɔ New Juaben
mpɔtam, nsunsuansoo a amanneɛ yi de ba wɔn so εne nkitahodie a εda nipa fahodie ho
mmara ne kunayε amanneɛ ntam. Edaa adi sε amanneɛ ahoro] bi te sε afadeɛ, nsesaeɛ,
εdan mu nhyeɛɛ ne deε εkeka ho kɔ so wɔ kunayε amanneɛ mu. Bio, nsunsuansoo bɔne
biara nni hɔ a amanneɛ no de ba mmaa no so]. Nnoɔma a yehunu sε etiatia wɔn fahodie
soɔ no nyinaa yε deε εnka kunayε amanneɛ no ho ankasa na mmom εkɔ so wɔ bereɛ a
abusuafoɔ bi pε sε wotua okunafoɔ baa bi a wosusu sε na ommu adeɛ a otiatia wɔn
fahodie soɔ. Deε etiatia mmaa no fawohodie soɔ no nyinaa yε nnoɔma bi a εnka
amanneɛ no ho mmom εyε kwan a abusuafoɔ bi fa so tua ɔbaa a na ɔne ne kunu nkurɛfoɔ
ntam nyε no ka. Ghana mmara ne Feminism adwensu mfoa saa amanne] a w[de mmaa
fa mu yi. S]de] adwensu no kyer] no,]s] s] mmaa ne mmarima nyinaa nya dibea,
fahodie ne nne]ma biara a]s] s] nnipa nya no, w[n ns aka no p]p]]p] a]nk[ba]b]k[atia
mmaa nko ara.



}FA 5

T}FAB}, AWIEE{ NE ADWENKYER{

5.0 Nnianimu

}fa a [t] so num w] dwumadie yi mu ne t]fab]. Mede dwuma no nyinaa b[ba awiee[. De[efiri nhwehw[mu no mu bae[ne de[dwumadie yi aboa ama ada adi nyinaa no, m[da no adi w] t]fab] kwan so. Awiee[no, mede m'adwenkyer[ahodoo a mew] fa dwumadie yi ho nyinaa b[to dwa].

5.1 Nhwehw[mu no T]fab]

Dwuma yi y[nhwehw[mu a [da mp[ns[mp[ns[mu a [fa Akanfo] Kunay[Amannee ahodoɔ w] New Juaben Mp]tamu adi. Dwuma yi atwe adwene asi Amannee ahodoɔ bi a Akanfo] y[[no tete ber[no mu ne de[[rek] so [nn[mmer[yi mu. Saa amannee no bi te s[: Afade[nsakrae[, Adidie ho]hy[, Amannee a w]y[de pam okunu no saman firi okunafo] no ho, Kunay[mu adware[, Nsunsuansoɔ a kunay[de ba okunafo] no ne ne mma so], Kunay[amannee ne Nnipa fahodie ho mmara, {dan mu nhye[e[ne mpa mu nkitahodie ho]hy[.

- i. Nhwehw]mu yi maa no t[[dwa s], Afadee a obi bɛfa tumi kyerε tebea a nipa korɔ no wɔ mu. Enam sε owuo nyε anigyesem nti no, sε ɔbaa bi kunu wu a, εyε [hyε ma no sε ɔsesa n'afadee a ɔhyε no daadaa no. Afadee a obetumi afa ne ntoma tuntum anaa kɔben a εkyerε sε ɔwɔ yea ne awerεhoo mu. S] y]hw] saa afade] yi a,]kyer] s] okunani no nni fahodie w[de]]s] s] [de y] ne ho. Enti]da adi pefee w[nhwehw]mu yi mu s] okunafo[no hy] mmara ase.
- ii. Adidie ho ɔhyε: Amannee baako nso a εkɔ so wɔ kunayε mu wɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu ne sε wɔde ɔhyε to ɔbaa no adidie so. Wɔma no mmerε a ɔde bedidi na afei nso wɔbra no wɔ nnuane bi nso ho. Mp]ns]mp]ns]mu yi ma [da adi s] w[hy] [baa kunafo[no ma odidi pr]ko dakoro biara. Yei y] ade] a nhwehw]mu yi maa y]hunuu s],]y] mfomso[k]se] koraa efiri s], onipa biara s] y]yi yare] si nky]n a]s] s] anya yie koraa no, wodidi mpr]nu da koro biara. Enti [hy] a w[de to okunani baa no so no ko tia {domankoma nhyehey]e[a]y] maa onipa efiri wiase mfitiase] no.
- iii. Amannee a wɔyε de pam okunu no saman firi okunafoɔ no ho: Akanfoɔ wɔ gyedie bi sε, obi wu a ɔkɔ so ne ne yere nya twaka kɔpem berε a ɔbεyε kunayε amannee no awie de atete wɔn ntam (Sackey, 2001). Yei kyerε sε kɔsi berε a wɔbεyε

amanneeε atete okunafoč no ne okunu no ntam no, okunu saman tumi ba okunafoč no hɔ ne no bεyε deε ɔpε. Otumi nso yiyi ne ho kyere okunafoč no wɔ daεε mu. Ne saa nti se ɔbaa bi kunu wu a wɔyε amanneε a εbεtete ɔne ne kunu no ntam na apam saman no afiri ne ho efiri se seesei deε ɔne no nni nkitahodie biara bio.

Odoom (2011) kyere se owuo yε ber] a onipa dasani no nkwa a]wɔ ne mu no b]firi ne mu, anaas] home a]w[onipa ne mu no b]firi ne mu. Akanfo gyedi se akwan ahodo[mmieno bi wɔ hɔ a nnipa fa so wuo. }no ne atɔfowuo ne owupa anaa s] owuo a [dasani yare ansa na wawu. Saa amanne] yi nso ko tia tirimp[a Onyankop[n de b[[onipa. }ne s] Onyame b[[n'ade] yi, aboa na y]de homa to n'asene na]ny] onipa. Nhwehw]mu no mu]daa adi s], [kwan bi nso no [nam Akanfo] gyedie a w]w] w] nsamanfo] mu nti na saa amanneε no w[y].

iv. Nhwehw]mu yi twe adwene si kunay] mu adware] so. Kunayε mu no, adwareε ahodoč mmieno na εkɔ so]. Deε edi kan yε daadaa adwareε a okunafoč no dware wɔ berε a wɔnsiee ne kunu no [nna deε εtɔ so mmieno no yε adwareε a etwa too wɔ berε a wasie ne kunu no awie na ɔde ne kunayε amanneε no reba awieεε. Efia daadaa adwareε ho no, wɔhyε okunafoč no ma no dware mprεnsa da koro: anɔpa, awia ne anwummer]. Yei foa de] Sarpong (1974) ne Asare Opoku (1977) kyere mu se, Akanfo hunu owuo se εyε nnamee εne adeε a εyε efi saa nti se obi hokafoč wu a saa nipa no, ne ho nte. Enam saa nti na wɔhyε okunafoč no ma odware no. De] y]hunu ne s] ahote] y]]firis], s] y]yi nyamesom pa si nky]n a ahonnidie na edi]h[. Nanso nhwehw]mu yi ma y]hunu s]]ny] adware] nko ara na]ma onipa ho te]. S] Akanfo[hunu owuo s] Onyankop[n a w[gye no die na ab[a, na]kyer] s]]y] honhom mu as]m enti y]ntumi mfa aniso[adware] nyi saa fi anaa nname a w[ka no mfiri h[.

v. Nhwehwεmu yi bɔ mmɔden sε]bεhwehwε nsunsuanso a kunayε amanneε no tumi de ba akunafoɔ no so wɔ New Juanben mpɔtam hɔ na de] nhwehw]mu no maa]daa adi ni. Mp]ns]mp]ns]mu yi ma y]hunu s]]wom s] kunay[] no nsunsuanso[no ny] de]]nam amammer] botae] a]kyer] s]]ka nnipakuo bi asetena ho no nti, anha w[n ber] a w[de w[n nam saa amanne] no mu. Nkyer]mu no ma y]hunu s] s]de] w[y] kunay] tete no nsakrae] pii aba mu kyer] s] amammer] su a]kyer] s] enyini no da adi w[ha.

vi. Nhwehw]mu yi de kunay] amanne] ne nipa fahodie ho mmara to dwa. Nnipa bebree na εkasa tia kunayε amanneε no sε εyε adeε a etiatia mmaa fahodie so[. Binom kyerε sε εde oyene ne ɔhaw bebree na abre mmaa akunafoɔ no, ansaana obi betumi aka sε εte saa anaa εnte saa no, ehia sε nipa korɔ no tumi tie firi wɔn a wɔfa saa amanneε yi mu ankasa anomu ansa watumi akasa atia. Ne saa nti, nhwehwεmu yi bɔ mmɔden sε ɔde kunayε amanneε no bεtoto nipa fahodie ho na wabisa akunafoɔ mmaa a wɔcwɔ New Juaben mpɔtam adwene a εwɔ ho ahwε deε wɔn nso wɔpwene fa saa amanneε yi ho.

vii. Nhwehwεmu yi mu no, εdaa adi sε amanneε baako nso a wɔyε ma mmaa akunafoɔ no ne sε wɔde wɔn hyε εdan mu. Ene sε kunayε mu no, yεde ɔhyε bi to ɔbaa no so a ontumi mpue nkɔnenam te sε deε na ɔyε dada no. Nna dodoɔ a wodi wɔ dan mu no tumi yε nna mmiensa kɔsi bosome baako. Edan mu nhyeεε berε no yentie ɔbaa no mma no mpue nkɔyε nnɔcma a anka otumi pue kɔyε dada no kɔsi sε y]wie kunayε amanneε no ansa. Saa mmere no, abusuafɔɔ ne mmaa binom a wɔn nso ahwere wɔn hokafoɔ na wayε amanneε no bi da ba ne nkyen bεkyekye ne werε. Otumi pue nenam efie no mu mmom nanso ontumi mpue abɔnten nkɔhyε mu.

Akunafo a mene wɔn twetwee nkɔmmɔ no nyinaa gye too mu sε yεmaa wɔn hyεε dan mu mmere a wonyaa nkra sε wɔn hokafo afiri mu no. Abusuafoɔ ne adɔfɔɔ binom tena wɔn nkyεn yε wɔn apεdee ma wɔn.

Nhwehw]mu yi twe adwene si so s], saa [dan mu nhyeεε yi yε ade[a nkɔrɔfɔɔ akasa atia sε etia Ghana nipa fahodie mmara no. Wɔ Ghana yεn mmara kunini mu no, y[atwerε wɔ mu sε obiara wɔ ho kwan sε opue kɔ baabi a ɔno ara pε. Enam yei nti nkɔrɔfɔɔ kasta tia sε εdan mu nhyeεε no tiatia akunafoɔ no fahodie so.

viii. Ade] baako a nhwehw[mu yi twe adwene si so pa ara ne, w] Kunayε amanneε mu no ne s[, kunafo] ɔbaa no nni ho kwan sε ɔne barima foforɔ bεyε awareε nhyehy] kɔsi ne kunu afehyia akyi ansa. Ne saa nti yεde krado anaa safoa sεn ahoma so to ɔbaa no asene a εwɔ sε krado anaa safoa no da ne baa no so pεε. Yei kyεrε sε y[ato ne baa mu enti barima foforɔ biara nni ho kwan sε ɔne ɔbaa no bεda. Nhwehwεmu yi mu no, akunafoɔ mmaa no mu biara nni hɔ a ɔkasa tiaa saa amanneε yi, mmom de] wɔkasa tiaeε ne krado anaa safoa a wɔde to wɔn baa so no. Eno na wɔn mu ɔha mu nkyεmu aduokron (90%) susu sε εnyε efiri sε etumi pira wɔn.

Ada adi wɔ nhwehwεmu yi mu sε kunayε amanneε no mu biara nni hɔ a akunafoɔ mmaa a wɔwɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu hunu sε etiatia wɔn fahodie so]. Mmom wohu sε εyε adeε a εpam mmusuo na eyi efi biara a wɔn hokafoɔ wuo no de abrε wɔn. Bio, wohu sε εyε adeε a εboa tete wɔn ne wɔn kununom no ntam.

ix. Nhwehwεmu no daa no adi sε mmaa a wɔwɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu pene fa saa amanneε ahodoo yi nyinaa ara mu εnam ns[ntitire mmiεnsa yi nti:

- i. Wɔgye di sε sε wanyε kunayε amanneε no a εbεtumi de nsunsuanso bɔnε cosanso bi abrε ɔbaa no a ɔno nso bεtumi de saa nsunsuanso asan wɔn a ɔne wɔn a ɔne bεdi ahyia nyinaa.
- ii. Mmaa no yε kunayε amanneε no efirisε wɔnε sε εyε amammerε nso yεntoto no ase.
- iii. Wɔyε de hyε okunu a wawuo no animuonyam εkyerε cɔdε a na ɔno ɔyere no wɔ ma no. Afei nso εma ɔbaa no ne ho san sε εnyε ɔno na okumm ne kunu no.

S] nti ahodoɔ yi mu biara anaa ne nyinaa na εma kunayε amanneε no abεyε ɔhyε ama akunafoɔ a wɔn New Juaben mpɔtam hɔ no.

Nhwehwεmu yi mu no, εsan bεdaa adi sε kunayε amanneε no nni nsunsuanso bɔnε biara wɔ okunafoɔ no ne ne mma so. Amanneε ahodoɔ cɔdε a cɔs so wɔ mu no biara nni hɔ a εma mmaa no kɔ ateetee anaa ahohiahia mu. Deε εbεdaa adi ne sε okunafoɔ bi bεkɔ ahohiahia mu a, na efiri asetena a na ɔne abusuafɔ no wɔ mu. Eno na sε εkɔba no se abusuafɔ no pε sε wotua no ka a, wɔgye agyapadeε biara a okunu no gyaeε, eyi wɔn ani ma mmɔfra no y] w] ayakayakade] ne deε ekeka ho.

Nkorɔfɔɔ bebree na akasa atia kunayε ammanee sε εyε adeε bi a etiatia mmaa fahodie so. Nhwehwεmu yi mu no, akunafoɔ a mene wɔn dii nkitaho no mu biara nni hɔ a ohunuu sε kunayε amanneε a wɔyε wɔ New Juaben mpɔtam hɔ no tiatia wɔn fahodie so. Wɔn mu biara ankasa antia sε wɔnnyae anaa wɔntwa mu. Okunafoɔ baako pε na cɔdaa no adi sε opiraeε εnam krado a wɔde too n'asen no. Deε aka a wɔyε wɔ amanneε no mu nyinaa no yε deε εboa mmaa no.

x. Nhwehw]mu yi daa no adi s] nnoɔma bi a ɛkɔ so a ɛma binom kaa sε etiatia fahodie soɔ no nyinaa nyε nnoɔma a ɛka kunayε amanneε no ho. Emu bi na edidi soɔ yi. Sεdeε y]ahunu dada no, abusuafoɔ no bi tumi gye agyapadeε a okunu no de gyaa ɔbaa no ne ne mma no firi wɔn nsam. Agyapadeε no tumi yε ɛdan, afuo ne deε ɛkeka ho. ɛkɔba no saa a, εne Ghana yεn mmara kunini ne fa a [kasa fa adedie ho no bɔ abira. PNDC mmara 111 kyerε sε, sε obi firi mu na wanyε nsamanseε a, agyapadeε dodoɔ no,]w[sε ɛkɔ ɔbaa no ne mma no hɔ. Nhwehwεmu no mu no ɛdaa adi sε ansana abusuafoɔ bεgye agyapadeε no nyinaa afiri ɔbaa no nsam no na ɛkyerε sε wɔn mmienu no ntam nyε papa. ɛkɔba saa a, abusuafoɔ no yε saa de tua ɔbaa no ka.

5.2 Awiee[

Mpanin se; “Amammerε w]ntoto no ase” afei nso “de[s[s[wode to no woamfa anto h] a efiri t]” Enti mekenkann pii hunuu]haw no ansa na merehy[dwumadie yi ase[. Kunay[amanneε yi ka Akanfo] amammerε ho. Aware[to ntwaε[yi de[kyer[s[kunay[nso to rentwa da. Na mmom ade[baako a [s[s[y[hy[no nso ne s[, baabi a obi fahodie k]pem no [h] na]fofor] fahodie hy[ase[. {nam s[amammerε nyini nti no aware[ne owuo akyi kunay[no de]haw ne asodie k[se[pa ara ab[to]baa no ne abusuafo] so. {yi asomdwoe[a okunu te ase[na w]w] no firi h].

Ebinom hunu kunayε sε εyε amanneε a atwa mu na afei nso etiatia mmaa no fahodie so. Yei nyε biribi a εyε nokore efirisε deε ɛkɔ so wɔ kunayε amanneε mu no ne ɔsom ahodoo bi te sε Kristosom nneyεε bi di nse. Kristosom mu no, wotumi de obi kɔ asutene mu sε wɔrekɔbɔ no asu ate ne ho afiri ne bɔne ho. Yei ne kunayε amanneε a wɔde ɔbaa no kɔ asutene mu kodware no te ne ho firi mmusuo ne efi biara a okunu wuo no de abre no no, nsonsonoe[bεn na εwɔ mu? Yei mmienu nyinaa yε nyankomadeε a egylina

gyedie so]. Saa na ετεε a na εmfa kwan mu sε obi bεka sε kunayε amanneε yε adeε bi a atwa mu εnti yεnyae.

Nhwehwεmu no san daa no adi sε kunayε amanneε a εkɔ so wɔ New Juaben mpɔtamu biara nni hɔ a εyε den anaa etiatia nipa fahodie soɔ. Saa deε a na εmfa kwan mu sε nkɔrfɔɔ bεkasa atia amanneε a εte saa na mpo wapere sε wobeyi afiri hɔ.

Kunayε amanneε no afa nsesa pii mu na egu so refa nsesa mu ama atumi agyina gyinaberε bi a nnipa ani bεgye ho. Yei kyerε sε New Juaben mpɔtam ne w]n nhyehyεε ahodoɔ gu so a εrekɔ nsesa mu berε a ewiase εrekɔ n'anim no. Yei ma εyε mfomsɔɔ sε obi bεkasa atia nkɔrfɔɔ amanneε a egyina wɔn gyedie soɔ sε εyε biribi a atwam.

S] nti a kasatia yi tumi ba ne sε, nkɔrfɔɔ bebree nnim botae] ne s] nti a εtae amanneε ahodoɔ yi akyi. Mmaa akunafoɔ no bebree koraa nnim s] nti mpo a wɔma wɔyε amanneε a εte saa ma w[n. Sε akunafoɔ a wɔyε biribi a εte saa ma wɔn no koraa nnim botaeε a εma wɔfa amanneε a εte saa mu a, εnneε wɔn a wɔwɔ akyire no bεka sεn? Fiti mmerε a Kristosom ne Nkramosom baa yεn mmerε] yi so no, nkɔrfɔɔ akasa atiatia yεn amammerε ne amanneε ahodoɔ yi bebree. εyε a na yεn werε afiri sε saa ɔsom ahodoɔ mmienu yi nso fapem gyina beaεε a wofiri baeε no amammerε ne amanneε so. Bio, sukuu adesuadeε ahodoɔ a kane no na εboa kyerεkyerε yεn, yεn gyedie, amammerε ne amanneε nyinaa yεayi afiri sukuu adesua mu. Yei bεyε dεn ama nkyirmma ahunu yεn amammerε ne amanneε ahodoɔ a yεyε ho mfasoɔ? εho akohia sε mpanimfoɔ a wɔhwε yεn sukuu nhyehyεε soɔ no san de saa adesua ahodoɔ yi ba yεn sukuu adesua no mu bio.

Mede mp[ns[mp[ns[mu yi nyinaa gyinaa feminsm ti]ri so. S[y[ka 'Feminism' a na yεrekyer[ade[a w]de kyer[s[, mmaa ne mmarima gyinaberε b[y[p[w] amany]s[m mu, amammerε mu, adwumay[mu, ne]man mu sikas[m ne adwadie mu ne as]re mu mpaninnie mu (Azasu ne Geraldo 2005). {san nso kyer[kuo bi a [hw[s[saa dibr[a w]rep[ama mmaa no b[ba mu. Sεdee w]kyer[no, 'feminism' hy[[ase[w] Europe ne Amerika w] afe 1880 mu.

De[enti a w]de saa nsusui[yi bae[ne s[, na w]bu mmaa ab]mufeara w] akwan hodo] bebree so. {bi ne s[, na w]mma mmaa nto aba; mmaa nni akwanya biara s[w]b[k] sukuup]n biara bi. Adwene a na w]w] fa mmaa ho ne s[, dibr[a mmaa w] ara ne s[w]b[tena fie anoa aduane, ahw[mm]fra na w]asiesie w]n fie.

Harding (1986) kyer[kyer[mu s[, f[minist ti]ri hy[[ase[w] ber[a na [s[s[w]p[nkyer[kyer[mu a [fata ma ti]ri ahodoø no, sεdee [b[y[a nnoøma a mmaa nso tumi de w]n nimde[y[no nso b[da adie. De[na]rekyer[ne s[, "S[mmaa w] esu a [kyer[s[w]tumi ne afofor] nya nkitahodie, sεdee mmarima te[no de[a, [nne[na [s[s[ti]ritikaa disik]so tumi boa na w]yi mmaa bi pue , sεdee w]yi mmarima de[pue no ara".

{nam mmaa a na w]ka w]n hy[no nti, na]kwan a kasadwumfo] dodo] no fa so da mmaa adi w] w]n atwer[mu no mpo ns] ani. Mmaa dibr[a w]de ama w]n w] abrab] mu no ara na w]de ma w]n w] atwer[mu. Kasadwumfo] biara twer[nwoma a]kwan a]fa so da mmaa adi ne s[, w]b[ma mmaa adi mmaawa; w]b[y[awarefo] a w]ny[adwuma biara, w]b[y[nnipa a w]n adwene y[hare, ne de[[keka ho.

Yeinom nti na [baa s[f[minisim s]re gyinae[s[w]b[ko atia mmaa ka a w]ka w]n hy[no, na w]aboa apagya w]n aba dibr[a mmarima w] no bi. F[minisim gyina yei so de hy[

kasadwumfo] nkuran s[, w]b[pagya mmaa a w]de w]n di dwuma w] atwer[mu s[agofomma no de akyer[s[mmaa nso betumi ay[nnoɔma bi a mmarima y[no bi. W]kyer[s[, [ny[ber[nyinaa na atwer[mu no, y[b[ma mmaa ay[awarefo] a ber[biara w]te fie, na w]rewo ahw[mm]fra; na w]renoanoa nnuane; na w]n kununom reteetee w]n anaas[w]b[di hia w] kunay[mu. Mmom, [s[s[kasadwumfo] ma mmaa di dwuma s[akunini, adwuma mu mpanimfo], asraafo] akannifo], ne nnwuma ak[se[ak[se[a mmarima y[no bi. Enti kunay[w] Akanman mu y[ade[a etiatia mmaa fahodie so a nsunsuansoo ny[papa na [mmoa]man mp]ntuo.

5.3 Adwenkyer]

Nhwehwemu yi ada no adi se kunayε amanneε no yε adeε bi a εka New Juaben mpɔtamufο abrabɔ ho. Σyε amanneε a egina wɔn gyedie so a enni se yetoto no ase[. Σyε adeε a akunafo nam cos kyekye wɔn wereε na afei nso wotumi nya ahohyεso cwa wɔn tebea no mu. Enam saa nti nhwehwemu yi ayε saa nsusuiε yi:

- i. Mmaa mpanimfo ne wɔn a wɔhwε kunayε amanneε cos εwεn mpɔtam ahodo no, [cwa se wɔkyerεkyerε botaeε ne s] nti a amanneε ahodo a εte s[[yε kɔ so ne εho mfaso. Εkɔba saa a εbεma wɔn a wɔfa amanneε no mu ne wɔn a wɔwɔ akyire nyinaa benya nteaseε afa ho.
- ii. Σwɔ se Asoeεε a εhwε yεn nwomasua cos no tumi san de adesuade] a εfa yεn gyedie, amammerε ne amanneε ho san ba yεn adesua mu. Yei bεma mmɔfra a wɔkɔ sukuu ahunu yεn amammerε ne amanneε ahodo a yεwɔ εne mfaso a εwɔ ho.
- iii. Nhwehwemu yi san susu se, se εbaa ne [barima bi yε wɔn adwene se wɔbεware a, εwɔ se wɔn a wotu wɔn fo te se asɔfɔc, awofoɔc, abusua

mpanimfo ne wɔn a wɔkeka ho ma w]hunu sε awareε wɔware no akyi. Esε sε awarefɔc no de anidie a εfata ma okunu anaa ɔbaa no akyifɔc ama watumi atena asomdwoεε mu.

- iv. Afei nso sinitwafɔc a wɔyε sini fa yεn amammerε ne amanneε ahodoo ho no, na wɔma ne kɔyε sε εnyε no, [wɔ sε wogyaε na mmom wɔmfa wɔn sini no so mma nkɔrfɔc hunu mfaso cɔsophah a εwɔ yεn amammerε ne yεn amanneε ahodoo no ho.
- v. Nhwehwεmu yi susu sε nwomanimfo bi bεtumi ayε nhwehwεmu afa kunayε amanneε a wɔyε ma mmarima ho na yεde atoto mmaa dee no ho ahwε sε nsonsonoeε wɔ mu anaa.
- vi. Nwomanimfo bi nso bεtumi ayε nhwehwεmu afa kunayε amanneε ho wɔ baabi foforɔ de atoto dee εkɔ so wɔ New Juaben mpɔtam hɔ dee no ho ahwε sε edi nsε anaa εbɔ abira.

Nhwehw[mu dwumadie bebree ak] so w] Akan kasa no mu firi mere santene ni a aboa ama amammerε ho adesua atu mp]n bebree megye tom saa. Nanso mp[n pii no, s[y[ka amammerε ho as[m a de[y[n adwene twa k]si ara ne afahy[, abadinto] ne aware[. De[nhwehw[mu yi aboa ama y[ahunu ne s[, kunay[nso ka Akanfo] amammerε ne w]n amanneε ho. Y[de sεdeeε tete kunay[ne [nn[mmer[yi kunay[atoto ho ama y[ahunu s[[w] mu s[nsesae[bi aba de[nanso [da so ara tiatia mmaa fahodie so. {wom s[mab] mm]den ay[nhwehw[mu a menam so ap[ns[mp[ns[m kunay[ho de[nanso [s[s[daakye bi afofor] tumi y[nhwehw[mu w] kasasua nkorabata bi te s[m]f]l]gyi ne sentase nhyehy[e[a [w] kunay[ne [ho ns[m ahodoɔ mu.

Bio, m[sr[]manfo] ne w]n a w]b[nya kwan akan nwoma yi bi nyinaa s[y[mmoa na nhwehw[mu dwumadie nwie mudie w]]man yi mu. De[mehunuu w] me nhwehw[mu yi mu na mesusu s[[mmoa nhwehw[mu dwumadie yi ne s[[nam as]fo] a ad]]so no nti, y[nhunu s]fo pa ne s]fo b]ne mu nsonsonoe[. {nam ne saa nti no, wok] mmeae[bi s[worek]p[ns[m ab[y[wo nhwehw[mu a, mp[n pii no, [y[a, nnipa dodo] no ara nni atenka pa biara s[w]b[yi w]n yam de ns[m bi ato dwa. {nam saa nti nhwehw[mu dwumadie no y[den papa. De[mesusu na [san y[adesr[de[ne s[,]manfo] b[te ase[na y[anya ahofama ama nhwehw[mu dwumadie na aboa ama]man yi nso atu mp]n.



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NKEKAHO

Ns[mmisa

}baa kunafo]

1. Y[fr[wo s[n?
2. Wadi mfe[s[n?
3. Wofiri hen?
4. Woy[adwuma b[n?
5. Wo kunu no dii mfe[s[n?
6. Adwuma b[n na na]y[?
7. Mfe[dodo] s[n na wone no tenae[?
8. Monyaa mma s[n?
9. Wo kunu no wuui[mfe[dodo] s[n ni?
10. Ansa na]barima no rebewuo nan a wone]barima no abusuaf] te s[n
11. Efiri ber[a y[siee no k]siis[modii afe no de[n na [k]] so] w] wone abusua no ntam ?
12. Kunay[mu amanne[b[n na w]y[maa wo]?
13. Nsunsuanso] b[n na aba wone wo mma no so]?

}barima Kunafo]

1. Y[fr[wo s[n?
2. Wadi mfe[s[n?
3. Wofiri hen?
4. Na wone wo yere no asetena mu te s[n?
5. Mfe[dodo] s[n na wone wo yere no tenae[?
6. }baa no wuui[mfe[s[n nie?
7. }baa no te ase[no na wone n'abusuafo] no ntam te s[n?
8. {de[n na [k]] so] wo kunay[no mu?
9. Amanne[b[n na w]y[maa wo]?
10. Nsunsuanso] b[n na owuo no de abr[mo?



Nkur]fo] a w]y[amanne[ma akunafo]

1. Y[fr[wo s[n?
2. Wadi mfe[s[n?
3. Wofiri hen?
4. Amanne[b[n na [y[a woy[ma akunafo]?
5. Ad[n nti na woy[saa amanne[yi ma w]n?
6. Mfe[dodo] s[n ni a, way[saa ade[yi?
7. Nsunsuanso] b[n na aba wo so]?



Okunafo] Mma

1. Y[fr[wo s[n?
2. Wadi mfe[s[n?
3. {hen na wofiri?
4. Wo maame anaa wo papa na awuo?
5. {y[[d[n na owuui[?
6. Anuanom no moy[s[n?
7. Owuo no sii[no, abusuafo] no y[[mo de[n?
8. Amanne[b[n na aba moso] owuo no akyi?
9. Abusuafo] no ne mon tam te s[n?



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Maame, mepa wo ky[w mep[s[mene wo twetwe nk]mm] kakra fa kunay[ho w]

Akanfo] amammerε mu. Mate s[woy[okunafo]. Y[fr[me Regina Owusu-Afriyie. Mey[

]kyer[kyer[ni w] SDA College Asokore.

Maame y[fr[wo s[n?

Maame Siaw.

Mepa wo ky[w wofiri hen?

Mey[Kwawuni nso mete Koforidua ha.

Wo kunu wuui[no, amanneε b[n na w]y[maa wo]?

Oh ansaana no, wadi mfe[s[n?

Adu]son nsia.

Me kunu no wuui[no, abusuaf] no hyiae[[nna w]tuu]b]fo] b[see me ayie s[me kunu no afiri mu. W]br[[me sika s[memfa nhw[abusua no [nna w]de no k]siee m]kyere. [h] na mehy[[ase[y[[tuntum de suu me kunu no. Edii nnaw]twe no, w]hyiae[hy[[da a w]de b[y[ayie no na wasie no. W]hy[[me s[memfa me nsa nto obi nsa yam nkyea no. Gyedie no ne s[, kunay[ye atoyer[nky[m [no nti [ns[s[mema obi nya bie anaa mede kyeky[. Afei na w]ma medware mp[n mmi[nsa dabiara. W]kyer[s[[b[ma me honam ani ay[turomturom nahanaha de ay[me kunu ayie. W]maa me kunu nuabaa na]y[[me kuna no, na]ne me na [da b] me ho ban. Na me mpue nk] baabiara w]se w]de pam me kunu saman anaa honhom bi a,]p[se]y[me b]ne firi me nky[n. {soro aduane nkoara na na medie. Ayie da no, mede nne[ma k]siee no. afe sooe[no, w]bisaa de[odii me kunu ade[no s[]b[ware me anaa? Wammpopo ne ti gye too mu.]hw[[me ne me mma no na y[tenaa abusuafie h]. [no na ama maka Koforidua no.

Maame meda wo ase.

Onyame nhyira wo.

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Y[fr[wo s[n?

Y[fr[me Kofi Antwi.

Wadi mfe[s[n?

Aduosia num.

Na wone wo yere no na [te[?

Aane!

Wo yere no dii mfe[s[n?

Aduanan nnw]twe.

Mo w] mma s[n?

Mmienu na awo] no ho y[[den maa]baa no.

{de[n na na [kyer[s[]no na na awo] ho y[den ma no na wo [?

Yehunuu w] ne bray[mu.

De[n na [y[[no?

Onyaa kokuram w] n'awode[mu, y[maa no mogya nk]toa pii. Y[sae sae nanso any[
yie na]de firii mu.

Owuu w] hen?

Owuu w] efie ha yi ara.

Abusuafo] no b]] m'abaso s[may[ade[paa ara.

Amannee b[n na w]de wofaa mu?

W]kaa s[w]de safoa b[to m'asene mu nanso mampene. Wammoa me kunay[no mu.

Woy[[kuna no mmer[dodo] s[n?

Oh, mey[[no afe no nyinaa. W]yii me kawa maa me de tetee y[n ntam.

Afe no soe[no, mek]daa Onyame ase na meyii me ho firii mu.

Meda wo ase.

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Y[fr[wo s[n?

Amma

Wadi mfe[s[n?

Aduasa baako

Wofiri hen?

Koforidua ha.

Wo kunu no na ofiri hen?

}y[Bononi

Na y[fr[no s[n?

Yeboa

Odii mfe[s[n?

Aduasa nson

Na]y[adwuma b[n?

}tont]n foosu w] Nkran.

Mow] mma s[n?

Mmienu]baa ne]barima

[y[[d[n na ofirii mu?

Y[w] dan mu anwummer[bi a ofiri Nkran ab[sra y[n, [nna]se mens] ne mu na biribi
rey[no. Na mekae s[]redi agor] enti [ma mekaa s[de[n na]rey[no? Afei mes]] ne mu
na ay[den nti mefr[[nkur]fo] s[w]mm[boa me. Y[de no k]] ayaresabea , w]s]] mu s]]
mu no, as[m a w]b[ka kyer[[y[n ne s[, ade[no afa ne fa firi ne tirim nti s[]y[yie koraa
a obenya mmubui[yare[a]ntumi ns]re bio. Ade[kyee[no na ofirii mu. Eii hyew saa!
Agya owuo tiri mu y[den?

Aane oo Ante! Me kunu wuo yi de[[y[ya yie. M'ani nna

{baa saa no woy[[de[n?

Mek] b]] n'abusuafo] amanneε w] de[asie no ho w] Bono Ahafo

W]gyee wo too mu w] kuro no so?

Aane!

Amanneε b[n na w]y[maa wo]?

Maame no ba nwuu da. Enti w]y[[amanneε sii owuo no ano.

W]de sereba hy[[me nsam mu, w]maa me bor]de[, bankye ne sika, sεdee [b[y[na
mefiri h] ba me kurom a, metumi adi saa nnuane no [nna afei nso s[metumi as] sika
mu.

Bor]de[no , wannoa amma wo?

W]noaae[

W]kumm akok] de w]] fufuo maa me bi s[menni na [y[amammerε. W]kyeky[maa
abusuafo] no nyinaa nyaa bi dii[. Me nso medii me de[no.

Wammfa biribiara amm[to wasene mu?

Daabi!

Wanny[hwhee amma wo s[wode b[b] wo ho ban?

Daabi!

Yoo de[asie no gye tom. Seesei y[y[ho hwhee a [ny[yie , ay[s[nsuo ahwie aguo
wosesa a [ny[yie enti gyae ma Nyame]behw[wo.

Meda wo ase paa.

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Mepa wo ky[w y[fr[wo s[n?

Y[fr[me Yaa Owusua

Wofiri hen?

Mefiri Effiduase [nna mete As]k]re

Wadi mfe[s[n?

Adu]son num

Woy[adwuma b[n?

Met]n nsa

Wo kunu no na y[fr[no s[n?

Opanin Darkwa

Odii mfe[s[n?

Odii mfe[aduonum saa ber[no na osua.

Na]y[adwuma b[n?

Na]y[Aworokakya adwuma (Agriculture).

Monyaa mma s[n?

Y[nyaa nnw]twe [nna baako awuo.

{de[n na [y[[wo kunu no a owuui[?

]yaree ne yam, y[de no k]] ayaresabea nanso any[yie [nna ofirii mu. Ogyaa n'anan toaa so saa ara.

Ani[yaade[b[n na w]y[[wo]?

Ei ante mese! [s[w'ani na [ns[wokakyer[. Me kunu nuabaa bi ne medii no yaayaaya.

Nso na mene no te kama mennim de[[baae[odii m'ani yie.

Wone hwan na na [da?

Mene me mma no

Na [y[a wosam wo nan?

Aane! s[metena ase a mesam me nan.

{no nso kyer[s[n?

Okunani atenase[ne no [kyer[aniber[, s[ade[ay[wo enti [y[a woy[wo ho mm]b] mm]b].

Aduane b[n na [y[a wodie?

Na medi [soro aduane nkoara gyeene mpo na menni. W]se gyes[y[asie no ansa.

Amanneε b[n na w]y[maa wo]?

W]de me k]] nwira mu de me nsa k]kekaa nwira sεdeeε metumi atoa so ak] nwiram.

Afei w]de krado too me baa no so s[]barima no mma me ho.

Waso dae[ahunu no p[n?

Aane!]b[bisaa me nk]daa no ase. Saa ber[no, na matu kwan k] Abijan, emu ara na mebae[. Me kunu no, na w]n y[nkron nso w]n nyinaa wuui[maa no kaa m'akumaa no

nkoara. Na mese, ayie no akyi nna num, manoa aduane awie a menya nnidii[maame yi b[pamoo mene me mma yi firii fie h] a na [y[ahomete s[. Da no ara metu firii fie h] aduane a manoa no nyinaa b]] y[n anom.

Me mma no nyinaa gu me so a manntumi amfa obiara ank] sukuu. }se me kunu a]de mebaa fie h] no awu enti menk], na [ny[as[m ketewa. Mesesaa me mma no ne me nne[ma k]] Effiduase a wamma me hwee.

}tuu me no, me kunu b[soo no dae[b[bisaa no ne mma no ase. {kaa d[na owuui[, mpo anky[na owuui[. Saman no k]y[[no nsamantoa s[]mm[yi n'ano.

Maame saman w] h] o! ampa w]w] h].

Meda wo ase ne wo ber[a was[e no w] me ho ne me adi saa nkitaho no.

