

## Kamau Mũũgĩ

GĪKŪYŪ

Ibuku rĭa  
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Ūrĭa wagĭrĭire kũhũthĭra ibuku rĭrĭ: Gĭtongoria kurĭ andũ a bamĭrĭ.

## ITĪNA RĪA KERĪ

Rĭrĭ nĭ ibuku rĭa gũthomera mũciĩ na rĭandĭkitwo nĭ getha mwana waku arthome na rĭmũkenie e mũciĩ. Mabuku maya ma gũthomera mũciĩ mena matĭna mana:

Itĭna rĭa ĩbuku	Ūrĭa wagĭrĭire gũthoma
1.	Mwana ũtoĩ gũthoma
2.	Mwana ũrambĭrĭria gũthoma
3.	Mwana ũrethomera no nĭ arabatara ũteithio
4.	Mwana ũrethomera wega

Ibuku rĭrĭ nĭ rĭa Itĭna rĭa keerĭ: Mwana ũrambĭrĭria gũthoma

Njĭra ĩrĭ njega biũ ya gũthoma ibuku rĭrĭ nĭ gũthoma na mũgambo na mwana waku ũkĭgwetaga ciugo iria ĩrĭ mĭhari-inĭ ũbacirĭire. Arĭrĭria na mwana ũrĭa mũhari ũrauga na ũmũrie akuonie harĭa kiugo kĭa mbere mũhari-inĭ kĭrĭ. Ūrĭa mwana ndemwa ya mbere nĭ ĩrĭkũ na mũgambo ũrĭa ndemwa ĩyo ĩrutaga. Ūrĭa mwana mbica iria endete mũno. Teithĭrĭria mwana kũmenya atĭ mbica ciothe na ciugo iria ĩrĭ ibuku-inĭ rĭu ciothe irarĭrĭria ũndũ ũmwe. Onĭa mwana waku ciugo iria oĩ wone kana ni akũhota gũcigweta. ĩra mwana waku akũganĭre karũgano kau rĭngĭ na ũmũmĭrĭrie kwaria ũhoro wako. Ūmĭrĭria mwana gũthoma ibuku rĭu arĭ wiki maita maingĭ o ũrĭa angĭenda.



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