TEXT 2

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Ya Maya aw Kalaw

1. Tagbi' ya mannanap ya maya manang little the bird the maya but

matadeng. 2. Miglong ya maya adti kalaw, "Kay" wise said the maya to hornbill friend

snawa, kita magkuntis, kita mag-abay."
 us(you + I) contest us compete

3. Law na kalaw "Sa katagbi' mu, dili' kaw said the hornbill the smallness your not you

matu kanak kay dakula'aku, tagbi' kaw sa against me because big I little you as

kanmu." 4. Miglong ya maya, "Talamanen ta. for you said the maya try-out us

5. Adtu kita, lekat adi kawayan. 6. Kun singan there us from the bamboo if who

ya maka-agi, yan ya matalu." 7. Miglong ya the pass-through that the winner said the

kalaw, "A-a madiaw yan." 8. Liumupad silan adti hornbill yes good that flew they to

tenga' na balantak na kawayan. 9. Paglupad nilan middle of thorns of bamboo when-flew they

niakalagbas ya maya, kay tagbi' pa sa went-through the maya because little still as

kanan. 10. Paglupad na kalaw niulut baling for him when-flew the hornbill came-off rather

ya ulangag na kalaw kay dakula' ya kalaw the screech of hornbill because big the hornbill

The Maya and Hornbill

 The maya bird is small but wise.
 The maya said to the hornbill, "Friend, let's have a contest, let's compete." 3. The hornbill said, "You're so little, you can not beat me because I am big. You are little as for you."
 The maya said, "Let's try it.

5. Let's go to the bamboo. 6. Whoever can pass-through. that is the winner." 7. The hornbill said, "Yes that is good." 8. They flew to the center of the thorns of the bamboo. 9. When they flew the maya passed-through, because as for him he was small. 10. When the hornbill flew rather his screech came-out because he was big as for him.

sa kanan. 11. Niangkakamang ya bulbul nan kay as for him came-off the feathers his because

laughed the came-off because on thorns of bamboo hung-up (they) were hung-up maya, "Enda'," law nan, "Kay on the bamboo. kalaw, miglong 12. The maya laughed friend hornbill said not so said he mava. at him, "True,"he said, "Friend hornkanak." 13. Law dili' kaw matu aku kanmu, na bill. I told you, that Т to you that not you against me said you could not beat me." 13. The maya said, na maya, "Kita mapun adti tagkay na la. "Let's go, perched on a us(dual) already perch on blade of the maya blade of cogon, if the kogon, kun dili' maleped ya tagkay na kogon yan blade of cogon does not break that is the cogon if not break the blade of cogon that one who wins. 14. But if the blade of cogon ya manalu. 14. Manang kun maleped ya tagkay na breaks that one loses." but if break the blade of the winner 15. The hornbill said to that, "That's good." kogon yan ya matalu." 15. Law na kalaw yan. said the hornbill that cogon that the loser "Madiaw yan." 16. Wala' na kalaw ka-ade-i ya the hornbill knew the good that not maya tagbi' sa kanan aw magan. 17. Pangkay tagbi' maya small as for-him and light small even a sagbet mapun, dili' maleped. 18. Manang ya kalaw

kiasallangan na suksuk na kawayan. 12. Pi-ikelan na 11. All his feathers

weed perch not break but the horn-

mabegat sa kanan. 19. Gayed da mibill heavy as for-him just-only already

agad-agad ya kalaw sa tingeg na maya. followed the hornbill the words of maya

20. Pagdateng nilan adti kogon kun niapun ya when-arrived they at cogon if perched the

maya wala' dakman pa-inang ya tagkay na kogon. maya not even move the blade of cogon

21. Pag-apun na kalaw niapi' baling ya when perch the hornbill fall-over rather the kalaw adti tenga' na kogon, kay mabegat sa hornbill in middle of cogon because heavy as 16. The hornbill did not realize that the maya is small and light. 17. Even on a small bit of weed he could perch and it would not break.
18. But the hornbill was heavy. 19. The hornbill just only
went-along with the words of the maya.
20. When they arrived at the cogon if the maya perched the blade

kanan. 22. To-o na maya pi-ikelan. 23. Kay for-him much the maya laughed because ananga', ya kalaw mabegat sa kanan. 24. Dili' why the hornbill heavy as for-him not	of cogon did not even move. 21. When the hornbill perched ra- ther he fell-over into the middle of the cogon, because he was heavy. 22. The maya
maka-apun dun i kogon pangkay gani' tagbi' able-perch there on cogon even if small	laughed much at him. 23. Why is that be- cause the hornbill is
na sanga, maleped, kay mabegat sa kanan. the branch break because heavy as for-him	heavy. 24. He could not perch there on the
25. Kiinita' na maya tagbi' sa kanan pangkay saw the maya small as for-him even	cogon even on a small branch (it) would break, because he was heavy. 25. The maya
tagbi' na dawun na kogon dili' nan maleped. small the leaf of cogon not he break	saw that he was small even a leaf of cogon he did not break.
26. To-o na maya pi-ikelan aw madaman ya much the maya laughed-at and angry the	26. The maya laughed much (at kalaw) and the kalaw was angry.
kalaw. 27. Kay pi-ikelan na maya. 28. Yan hornbill because laughed-at by maya that's	27. Because he was laughed-at by maya. 28. That is why the
agaw ya maya ya bennel nan baling adi bagakwang why the maya the craw his rather on back	craw of the maya is rather on his back, back of neck, because
nan, adi umpek nan, kay pigtabid na his on back of neck his because twisted the	the hornbill twisted his neck. 29. That is what the hornbill
kalaw ya liyeg nan. 29. Yan ya pig-imo' na hornbill the neck his that the did/doing of	did because he lost. 30. That is why the craw of the maya is
kalaw kay niatalu sa kanan. 30. Yan agaw hornbill because lost as for-him that's why	
ya bennel na maya sa kanan, adi la ya umpek the craw of maya as for-him on already the back	
nan kay pigtabid na kalaw. 31. Yan of neck his because twisted the hornbill that	

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