Scene 3

It is drizzling outside

Tony arrives to Magendza's house, finding him having just returned from a job still in his dust coat. Magendza's bag and tools are still lying around the living room. He is removing black jacks from his pants. He hears a knock and turns around confused. He then proceeds to the door when he then realizes that his bag is still on the floor. He quickly pushes it under a chair, takes off the coat and hangs it, then walks towards the door annoyed.

Magendza: Ngubani, kutseni?

Tony: Yes Malume, its me Tony

Magendza: Thoni?

Tony: Yes Tony... Qondile's son, lisisteri lakho... Tony

Magendza: Hawu manje? Thoni, ngales'khatsi? [He opens the door and stairs at Tony up and down and then he glances back into the house before returning a look at him.]

Tony: Saw'bona Malume.

Magendza: Eehh?! Ubekwa yini lana?

Tony: Don't I get a warm welcome? I mean I am here to see my favourite uncle.

Magendza: Fevred wani? Ebusuku kangaka. Mine ngibabonwa emini lilanga lisenebatfu

Tony: Unfortunately, ngifika nge jumpas. But I'm here trying to expand my horizon with some business associates.

Magendza: Lakami?

- Tony: No Ankeli, its been a long day. I'm glad to be home and I'm happy to see you. [*He fiddles with his bag to suggests he wants to come in*]
- Magendza: Hmmm... Asingene, Bataze basitsebule. Soloku kukhamise kutse nge. [*He looks around outside once more before letting him in. He then ushers Tony into the house still looking at him with distrust*.] Ngus'Skom Phela lo. Impela lokwabonwa nguBhuza. Impela angati mfati lowatala emapansula, netinswela boya. Bunikiniki bekushisa kwesinye. Nemabele akho alenga kudzinywa sekwaba sidvwaba sesikhumba lesanyuswa sahlala esifubeni, ngemchele webuhlalu. Nembhala, uncelisa lilanga. Wabhemisa bafanyana bulongo nembhoza yenhlaba baze bakholwa. Nemateki, nabohliphazi, kuyafana, ukhutjwa kunjalo, tidzakwa tebuganu netinganu eTimele nakaboMake uyangchaza. Kantsi uvumela futsi ngebukhali nanemvelo. Bugovu bematje lamnyama lakhala mtfubi, lamajiji ebusweni bakho. KuboKhorinde, Gobholo, Machobolwane, neMcitsi. Bumanyamanya bemibane nemagotjwa. Kutsi, emabhudlu tinyembeti, emabhudlu etayoni, bongubo, nemabutfo. Tintsatjana, netidvuli tilalwa makhata nemakhandlela ekukhanya. Nemapheshana lapheshulwa mimoya lanemibhalo etikolwa, atimphepho, lakulala khona nabomasaka. Batsi 'm'tsatse uhambenaye' niyolala esofeni. Mphike ke wena ngenkhani Mbabane, wena lowamfaka esibayeni sakho ngembuti. [*They continue to the living room and sit*]

Buka siyafikisana. Nami ngiyangena nje. Bengisabuya ngala. Banjani bosisi? Um'gcine nini?