

– Elan, baba! Elan, elan!

Thay gele e chhavore pash i phuri. Pashlile, soona. Da, ama o chhavo, o tsikno kate soola, but frolya iklyona leske katar o ilo. I phuri preberinel len. Avdies-tasya, avdies-tasya, o raklo shtom soola – but frolya tal o dushogos. I phuri barvayli veche.

Dobre, ama o thagar shundyas. Phendyas:

– Brey, kaya phuri merlas bokhatar! Sar gele kaka duy rakle – phenla – dikh save bare khera kerdes peske! Ach te las ekhes amenge dzhamutro.

Lel o bares dzhamutro. Nakhlo peske. I phuri phenla:

– Be, mochho! Kibor bersh sien pash mande? Nikoga na kerdan ekh habore. Te has, te piyas sastipnaske.

– Le, ako mangesa ker!

I phuri lilyas, kerdas habore. Geli, lilyas ekh shishe rakiya, ekh shishe menta. Smeshindyas len te del o chhaves. Hale, kerde. Dinyas o chhavores, pilyas. O chavo matilo, chhadlyas o ilo. Ushtino andivin, dikhela tal pe shereste – frolya nanay. I phuri dolilyas le. Hay phenla:

– Babo, ma! Me nay te beshav pash tute!

– Oti be, mo chho! Besh kate!

– A-a-a! Ne!

Lel pes ova, o chhavo, mahnisaylo. Gelo avere gizate. Hay phirla. Kate– okote, te arakhel enyate. Ekhe rezate gelo, te dikhel drakha. Ekh si parni drakh, ekh si kali drakh. Lela peske ekh chanta, zhala, biknela drakha.

– Biknava drakha! Biknava drakha!

Hop, iklyola i rakli. Isi la izmekyarka.

– Hey! Kolko pari e grozdeto?

– Bez pari!

Dela len po ekh zornos. Hale o drakha. Li i raklyake barile e kashta ko shoro. li i izmikyarkake. Pherdilo o shero baro vesh.

Nakhlo ekh yavin pala drakhentsa.

– Ey! Ha na grozdeto!

– Tu li anesa len kikya? – o thagar phuchla.

Chhite les andre.

– Ake sao raklo bikindyas drakha me raklyake! Me raklyake iklistya kekava Balkani.

Ovda dikhla: chhingerena, chhingerena. Ovda beshla vsichko koshere. Ov beshla blizo ekh maswk andre phanlo. Phela:

– Ako uklyava lakere shereste, zhi ko pladne ka chhingerav vsichko.

Phukavde o thagareske.