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I went to Mbakwindi market to buy relish. So I was just looking for the quality of dry fish and the price.

I was asking one by one, I was doing this because I was thinking that may be I can find the good quality of fish at the cheapest price.

Then I met with my friend Julita who is living at Dokotala with cheerful we greeted one another. Oh! My friend Anna are you still alive? She said it's me your friend. I replied God is loving us and the old people did not wrong to say that those people who are still alive does not be separated.

Now we have met again after so many years, she said 'of course yes, I said. "So my friend can you tell me about your life? I asked "I am fine my friend but I don't know about your life she said I am also fine my friend I said.

"But did you hear that your friend Faidesi have died? She asked which Faidesi are you talking here? I asked also I mean Faidesi Youngson she said Ah! You are lying I was meeting with Faidesi last year and she was not showing the symptoms of sickness.

Did she die on accident? I asked I can say that it was an accident but I can also say that it was not an accident she said so what do you want to tell me? I asked.

"YOU KNOW THAT Faidesi was working at Sands Lodge and Hotel as a security guard, she asked 'yes I replied so she was pregnant there.

Then she was thinking that Mr. Ganet will not allow her to continue working there. So she have decided to abort that pregnant.

Then the abortion was done very well but there was somethings which were remaining in her abdomen. So the things roasted there. So they started to destroy intestines and other things which were in the abdomen.

When her parents decided to go to the hospital with her the doctors told them that they can not manage to remove those things because they have already damaged with traditional medicine which she have used when she was aborting that pregnant so she died there people did not felt sorry with her death.

Everyone was saying that it was what she wants. She was decided to kill the spirit of unsinned person so God have seen that it is better to kill her also. Maybe she have started long ago to do that so it was a fortieth day to reveal everything for her. She said I did not know that she have died.

And I was thinking that she have transferred so that she is working somewhere I said. No she has died. It was a shyness death to her friends like us. Because many people were thinking that we were the ones who have encouraged her to make that abortion.

People were not trusting us when we were talking. She said I am very sorry with that death. I will make a day to go and visit her parents. I said. Then another friend called Julita called her so she left me there.

20th August 2006

I was going to Blantyre when I reached at Gomani bus stage my friend Dyman boarded it. When she saw me she forced herself to come where I sat.

Then she greeted me, hi, my friend she said. Hi I replied, where are you going, she asked.

I am going to Blantyre. What about you my friend? Mmm I am going to Zomba. But I can proceed my journey to Blantyre because of you my friend.

We have taken a long time without seeing one another. She said. If you can do that, I will be happy because we will be chatting all the way. I said.

Yes my friend. Are you working? She asked. No my friend I am just staying at home. I said. With your husband, she asked. No with my children only. I replied. How many children do you have my friend. She asked I have got two children. I said. Of which sex she asked. They are all female, I said.

Where is your husband, she asked. He is living in Mashone with another wife our marriage has been divorced. What about you my friend. Are you married? I asked. I am not married, I am staying with my mother at Gomani. She said. But you are working, I asked. No I am just staying there, she replied. So do you have children? I asked again. If you can remember when I was at school I made a partnership with a certain boy who was living at Malawa. So he gave a pregnant and I had a child of him. She explained.

A child of which sex? I asked. He is a boy and he is with my mother there at Gomani. She said. Where is his father? I asked. He is living in South Africa. But he did not marry me. He went there before we got married. He said that he will marry me if he will come back.

Then we make the arrangement of our marriage. So I was still living with my mother. Then there was a time when he came here in Malawi. So he told me that he can not marry me because he have heard that I am doing prostitution here.

I failed to talk to him that I was just staying waiting for him. But he said that he can not manage to make a marriage with a prostitute. So he left me my mother told me that I should not worry with what he have done.

He did not want to marry me may be his parents have searched a wife of him. Then I made a partnership with a teacher of Saint Catherine's secondary school. That teacher had a wife but they did not have a child.

That teacher is too old to compare with me. But I accepted to get married with him because people were thinking that I am not get married because I want to live in a prostitution life.

When I met with him I asked him why he wants to marry me besides his wife. He said that he wants to have a child, his wife is not having children so I allowed him to marry me.

Then he chased his wife and take me to his house in Zomba. But when I discovered that I have got a pregnant of one month he said that we must not believe that it is a pregnant because we can miscarry it.

Then we waited until three months, but when he knew that it was a real pregnant he started to chase me. He said that he don't want to keep me at his house with that pregnant.

Then he send me home, but my mother said that he can not keep me also at her house with that pregnant because she is not a father of that pregnant she sent me again to my husband's house.

Then he told me that he don't want to see me at his house, so he started to beat me, and my face was swollen he beat me until I have miscarried my pregnant.

My friend took me to the hospital I was admitted there they send a message to my mother to came to take care of me my husband did not follow me until I was discharged.

When I reached home my mother told me that I must ask the Court Magistrate to help me. So the case is not yet judged. "she explained when did you miscarry your pregnant? I asked it was in January.

This time I should be telling you that I have got two children in addition to that one of Malawa person. But now I do get sad because of that issue. Then I started a business of restaurant at Mbakwindi these last two months.

But I lost it because people were not coming at my restaurant. Now I don't know what I can do she said. 'you can just change the type of business' I said I was thinking so, but I don't have enough money to start another business she said "where is your brother? I asked who was learning at Saint Francis she asked. 'yes that one is aid he is working at Lilongwe.

He is a Policeman there, she said "cant you tell him to give you the money to start business I asked, he was the one who gave me that money which I started that business, so he have said that I was giving the money to my partners so he can not give me other money she said. 'does your mother working? I asked.

"No my brother bought that place where we are staying, and my mother is living there with me. And my brother is giving her an assistance. Then we reached at Kachere where she dropped.

She said that she have escorted me for a long distance. So she can return there I allowed her to return there.

When I reached at Limbe I bought fabrics for my grand mother. Then I went to the rank to border a lorry to go to Mulanje, when I reached at my grand mother's house I found that Happiness was not there. But my grandmother was there "where is Happiness? I asked.

Happiness have departed here early in the morning I don't know where she have gone but last week she was telling me that she want to migrate here, because I was advising her that she must minimise her behaviour of prostitution she said "is that true? I asked "yes, you know that Happiness have a child of a certain man who is living at Lilongwe not so? She said 'yes I know it very well. I replied.

That man told her that she must not worry about him, he will marry her after he will finish his school. So she must wait for him he is sending an assistance here. People were coming to ask her for marriage, she was refusing them.

But now I heard a rumour that Happiness have made a partnership with Samuel and she was saying that a child is not for a man who is living at Lilongwe. But that child is for a cotton buyer who was working at Kamwendo Admarc who was buying that year.

So I knew that people are not respecting me they are saying that I am making business to my grand children so that men will be helping me through those children.

At first her Uncle came to ask me here I told him that I don't know anything about her partnership between her and Samuel. And he told her that Samuel will not help her because he used to give girls pregnant and leave them if she thinks that

Samuel will leave his wife and marry her, she must know that she have written in water and the frogs have read it.

And she must stop moving with Samuel if he will hear that they are still on partnership he will chase her at his compound. Then he went to his home next morning we went to harvest pigeon peas at the farm. We found that her grandfather was talking with his friends about this case also.

Then he called me to join them and listen what his friends were telling him so they told me that if I love my grand child Happiness I must tell her to stop moving with Samuel. He will give her AIDS. Samuel is too movious and people do believe that she have got AIDS.

That week which the country made to be a week for blood testing, he did not go he was saying that he don't have AIDS if she knew that she can not manage to wait for her husband to finish his school, she must get married she explained "do you know anything concerning their partnership I asked 'yes but I was afraid to tell my husband and her Uncle because I knew that they will be angry to me because they should know that I do convince my grand children to move with men so that those men will be giving them money or anything to assist our family she said.

"Do you want to tell me that you are telling your grand children to do prostitution so that you will be assisted through them? I asked, 'No but they do this themselves. So although I will hear that they are misbehaving I don't have a time to advice them because I know that they have already grew up.

They know that this thing is good or not. Had it been that they were young, I could have advice them she said. "Do you advise your children that there is this disease of AIDS? I asked "yes, I always tell them that if there will be a man who will need to have sex with them, they must choose those they think that they don't have AIDS.

And they should look for the body structure like fatness she said "do you think that those who are fat they don't have AIDS? I asked "of course yes, where can that virus stay in that body. Those who are thin, they have AIDS and those who used to suffer frequently, those have got AIDS.

So my children should have a choice of choosing men to sleep with she explained. 'you have said that Happiness have got a child, and Happiness is saying that a child is not for a man who is living in Lilongwe but a cotton buyer I said. "yes, she replied "So what do you think that you can do if you will see that Happiness have got the HIV or if she can die with AIDS.

Who can take care of her child? I asked I, myself can take care of that child. Do you know that her mother have also died of AIDS she asked No, because I was not here when she was suffering.

And I did not come to the funeral ceremony so I was just thinking that she have died of other type of diseases, I said "A mother of Happiness died of AIDS she was married with her father but that time when she was in marriage with her husband, she was leaving the house and meet with other men in resthouses when her husband was at school.

We failed to advise her that is was not good what she was doing. But she was saying that her husband was not giving her enough assistance. So it is better for her to search for another man. Then a rumour reached her husband who make the marriage to divorcement.

Then my child married to another man who was working at Manase brewery and he tried his best to find a job for his wife at that Company so she was working there.

Then the husband was the first person to die of AIDS. My child did not know that her husband have died of it. Then she started a prostitution life. So without wasting much time, she started to suffer form different types of diseases, one after another. We failed to go to the hospital and the doctors have failed to cure those diseases.

Then we were thinking that she have bewitch so we went to the different types of traditional doctors who told u that our daughter have indeed bewitched with her enemies.

They saw that she is becoming rich now so they want to kill her so that her parents should be starving. But when they were giving us medicine, she was feeling better for few days and she started to become serious again.

Then she died after five years, Now I know that Happiness wants to take the behaviour of her mother I can not do anything because nowadays everyone is look after his / her life.

As you can look at me, you can see that I am too old any day I will die, so if she is not thinking about her child, I can not give he an advice. She knows who can take care of her child. So Mr. Larry my grandfather came to greet me. Then we stopped to discuss.

When evening came we went to bed, but during mid-night we hear outside that people were shouting by saying that we should come out of our houses and see fire outside so we got up and get out of our houses.

Then we saw that there was a house which was burning we went there to see many people were going there also. But prostitution will not help us what is happening here? Where is the owner of this house? Miss Lenadi asked.

I don't know Miss Makande replied, 'I have also heard that she have gone at her second husband Mrs. Ngoma said "does people remove anything in this house? I asked "No because the fire was started at the door, so people did not able to remove anything.

Do you know the owner of this house? My grandmother said "No, I replied the owner of this house is a prostitute may be she is at her second husband loveness said 'Does a woman have two men and stay on polygamy life? I asked 'yes, it is happening here, Mrs. Ngoma said "what happened is that the owner of this house was married her husband build this house and they were living together in this house.

While they were living, they had two children, and then there was a man who came to visit his relatives at Malizani village. When he met with this lady, he proposed her and she accepted to be on partnership with that man.

Her husband did not know that his wife is on partnership with another man but when her partner returned to Blantyre, he was writing letters to her and he was also sending money one day the husband saw a letter which was written by that man.

He kept it for witness. He show it to their marriage counsellors they called his wife and asked her if it was true she said openly that she don't want to stay with a poor person like her husband. She have tired with him she wants to see different things then she left them there and went home.

Then the marriage counsellors of her side told the husband that he should not worry with what she have said. She don't know what she is doing. They will talk to her because she must first of all thinking about their children. That man will not take care of their children.

The husband allowed them to go and talk to her but she said that her partner have changed that he can take care of their children her husband should not worry about them. He can search for another wife to marry.

Then she sent a message to her partner that her marriage have been divorced. Then her partner came to take her and went to take her and went to Blantyre with the children. Her husband did to marry another wife people who were asking him why he is not marrying.

He was saying that he is afraid that maybe the wife will also do what his first wife have done, so he don't want to marry so he was just staying. Then a wife stayed there for few month and then the husband started to show her his rudeness.

He was leaving them without food and went to his job. She was doing piece works to other people so that she can have food with her children. Then he started to chase her she was saying that if she will not go he will put tarmac <poison> in food and kill her with her children.

They must give a chance to a new wife to stay he have tired with them he wants to see new things. Then she decided to return home she told her husband to give her a transport but he said that he can not give her a transport because she have deserved her husband and follow him.

She was following tea at home she was not drinking tea, then she walked with her children for three days to reach here. But before she went at her parents compound, she went where her first husband is staying, fortunately she found him the husband was very sorry to see her and tears started to flow because he knew in his mind that his children were starving in town according to their appearance.

He welcomed them so they sat on a veranda their feet were swollen they asked for food he told his sister to prepare food for them, they ate then his wife said that she is now strong so that she can proceed with her journey.

The husband said that they must rest. He will escort them on a bicycle then she started to apologise that her husband must forgive her because she did not know that she have married with an animal.

So he must forgive her if he is going to escort her, he should know that she will also tell her parent that she wants to return with him. But the husband said that he is poor and he can not manage to stay with rich people like them.

What he can do is to search for a poor woman who can suit him, because that one will not desert him and get married with rich people the wife cried. Then he pumped a bicycle and pick them when they reached home people were surprised to see them with that man.

They asked him if he went to town to pick them he said that he can not say anything but she is the one who can explain on behalf of him. So she started to talk she explained everything how she was living in town and how her first husband have welcomed them.

What she have said to her first husband, and also what she have told him her parents said that they can not allow her to return with her husband and the

husband refused too. They said that they have heard reasons for one side. So they can not allow her to return with her husband.

And the husband refused too they said that they have heard reasons for one side. So they want to hear also reasons for the other side. What she should know is that her husband will follow her although she have said that her second husband will not follow her, people did not allow her to follow her first husband because she was saying that he was poor.

Now she can learn a lesson having a partnership in marriage. So her husband leave her after a week her second husband followed her he found that his wife and children were there, the parents asked her why he have sent her like that. He said that he did not chase her, he was loving her together with children but because she have decided to live here, she must stay here and he will be sending on assistance.

And he will be coming to visit her so he returned on the same day. So a wife started to make a partnership also with her first husband. The husband of town was coming to visit her but his relatives told him that she have also started to move with her first husband.

And they do meet at the house which he have built for her. Then he asked her but he refused and said that those people who are saying so are jealousy with how she looks nowadays.

But the husband hear again that she is still moving with that man, he will put fire on both houses (her house and house of her first husband) because they want to take him as a foolish person. The wife was thinking that the husband was joking.

Then if he will decide to come here, he started to reach at his parents compound and ask how his wife is moving. So he have seen that a rumour is now becoming to be true. So he have decided to put fire on the houses. He did not hide we said that if he will come here and see that his wife is not there.

He will burn the house which means that today a wife did not sleep here. She is at her first husband Mrs. Ngoma explained so who is sleeping with her children I asked, their grand parents that is why she have got a chance of leaving the house and meet with her husband in the evening 'Miss Makande said "This day he did not hidden that he have put fine on this house because he told her parents that they must get out of the house and see how it burn.

But he don't want to see anyone removing things from this house because he is the one who bought those things. If their daughter wills top doing that prostitution of leaving the house and meet with men he will come to stay and he can manage to buy everything which was in the house.

Then he said when he was leaving that he is going to put fire also on the house of her first husband because he is the one who is encouraging her to leave the house and have sex with him although her husband is staying at Blantyre.

So he ran away because people were decided to catch him, but they were also afraid because he have taken a panga in his hands. Then he went to the first husband's house he knocked at the door but a husband did not open the door.

Then the one who have burnt the house said that although he don't want to meet with him he should know that his wife's house have burnt. And he is responsible for it Mrs. Ngoma said. 'How did you know that he went to the first husband's house' I asked. "we are neighbours so we have surprised to hear what he was talking to him because his friend was in the house.

When we came outside, we saw that this house is burning that is why we came here 'Mrs. Ngoma explained then my grandmother told me to return home. Next morning we hear that he have ran away. People went to his relatives home to ask his relatives told them that they don't know where he have gone other people said that it is his behaviour.

He used to put fire on the houses of people who will quarrel with him so the relatives of the wife called all the people who went to see that fire in the evening to wash their face with traditional medicine people do believe that if there will be a person who have seen that fire but he / she have refused to wash his / her face with traditional medicine will suffer from Oedema.

So I was forced with my grandmother to wash face. Many people went there to wash their faces.

22nd August.

I was returning home but when I reached at Mwendo Road Block, I saw that many people were there, as soon as I dropped from the bus, I went where people were I saw that there was a little child who have died people were allowed to see that child because the policemen did not know where a child was coming from.

I can recognise this child it is for a certain woman who is living at Limbani village a bicycle hire person said "can you give us a man of where we can find her", one of the Policemen said "I can a bicycle hire person said so the Policemen invited him in their office without wasting much time, a we saw a car of Police coming with a woman.

When she saw that dead child she started to cry "this woman is a witch, she have killed this child on herself. She can not tell us that someone have killed her child no, another man said. "Do you know this lady/ another one asked 'yes I know her very well. There is a man who wants to marry her and he have said that if she

wants to get married with that man she must make sure that a child is not there. So she told her mother that she must look after that child.

But a mother said that she is too old she can not manage to take care of that child. So she was saying to her friends that she don't want to loose that gentleman because of that child.

She knows what she can do with that child so she have seen that the best way is to tie the hands and legs of the child and kill it. Then to put that dead child in Shire river so that people should think that the child was killed by the robbers another man said, then the Policemen took the dead body and a woman so the lady was arrested so I proceed my journey. I was with Magdalena and Sarah.

On the way we were chatting I am very sorry with what have happened at Road block. Nowadays many women are not loving their own children Sarah said they don't know that many people are lacking in their families.

They are losing much money to the traditional doctors for medicine but they are failing to have those children. They don't know that God have loved them to give them children, Many people are enjoying because their children are looking after them why don't they give those children to those who are barren? Magdalena said 'I don't know why do these people do this' I said.

"Like what have happened at my office last month, Magdalena said 'Mhm I said I was working with my friend at the same department. There at Sands Hotel people did not know that my friend have got a pregnant. Even I myself. But when we go outside people were talking more about her that she have got a pregnant.

So I was not sure that she can have pregnant because she was saying that she have taken an injection for the family planning people were still saying that indeed she have got a pregnant.

But she was putting on a skirt always. That is why I was not trusting them. Then little by little, I started to believe on what people were saying according to how she was looking.

And our friend who were working together with us started to believe that she have got a pregnant.

But she was working very hard. And she did not absent at work because of that pregnant but when reached at delivery day, she make sure that she was alone when she was delivering a child.

So she killed a baby and throw it in a pit latrine then she went to work as if she have done [no]thing. It was in the afternoon when she have done this. Next morning people were surprising to see her that she don't have a pregnant.

And they did not hear that she have got a baby. So they started to search if there was someone who have kept that child on behalf of her. Then they discovered that she have thrown it in a pit latrine.

So people came to the office and meet with the Manager Secretary and tell him what his servant have done. Then they called her to come to his office. There she revealed that she have killed a baby and it is in a pit latrine. The manager asked her why she have decided to throw it in a pit latrine.

She said that her mother told her that she should do that because if she will have a child she will be dismissed from the job. So it is better for her to kill it. The women who [came] to let our boss knew about this asked that she is taking injection for the family planning so how does she got that pregnant? She said that she don't know how she got it.

And she have taken different types of medicine to abort it but she have failed so she was just looking at it. So that she will see what she can do during delivery time.

But had it been that her mother did not encouraged her to kill that baby, she could not have done it then the Manager sent a message to the Police. The Policemen came and take her, they went to her mother also they all be arrested.

But the mother stayed for a week only, but my friend was sent to Domasi prison to have the punishment there then the manager made a meeting to tell us that he is not abandoning us not to have children because of work.

We are free to have children he will be giving us three months of holiday to take care of our children. He wants to make us to feel free when we are working there. If he will hear that another one have made an abortion again after receiving this notice that one will be dismissed.

And there will be no any discussions about that dismissal Magdalena said what did a man who was responsible for that pregnant say about that child who have killed Sarah asked. That man was among the people who were sending the message to the Police.

Because he was worrying of he have bought many things to prepare for the baby. He was loving his wife and also his child who is not yet born. He was preparing to marry her after she will given her birth.

But she have lost her chance and he will not think of searching for another lady to propose for marriage. This is not the first time for him to hear that a girl have make an abortion and a girl have killed her baby so he will not trust ladies.

It will take a long time for him to propose a lady. If he will see that he have got more money and he want to waste them the best way is to go to the bar and have beer Magdalena explained. "Now you can see that she have made her boyfriend to become sad, I said Nowadays ,many ladies have started prostitution I don't know why.

They don't think about this disease of AIDS Magdalena said 'nowadays we can not say that we don't have that disease everyone have got it. Each compound have got patient who is receiving ARVs if there is nobody who is receiving it we should know that a person is afraid to go to the hospital to test his / her blood. Sarah said.

But I think the best way is to go and have test, and people should not laugh at you because you have been found with such disease, 'everyone have got it Magdalena said "let me ask you did you go for test? I asked, I always go" Magdalena said "what about you" I asked again. To day the truth I have never went I am afraid that I will die with many thinking because I will know that any day I will start to suffer from it.

So people always think that a person who is suffering from such disease is a prostitute. So they will think like that. It is better to live without know how you are in your body" Sarah said 'You are thinking wrongly my friend those people who went for the blood testing are enjoying the life of the earth.

They know how they can live in this world. May be you can think that you have got that virus, but may be you don't have it. So you will be thinking that you will die with high blood pressure which is not good. Everyone who will meet with a VCT counsellor do feel happy when she / he is coming out of the hospital either she / he is positive or negative.

For a person who is negative is advised to take care of his / her body so that he / she might not have such virus of HIV but for a person who will found positive is advised to start receiving ARV and also is advised not to share with anyone.

And is advised not to do a hard work, Magdalena said "that is true, I said. "but I heard that those people who are receiving those ARV will be having them for the whole of their life. So I will not manage to have those medicine daily Sarah said.

'You must not think that you have got HIV you should think that virus, and you want to go to the VCT centre to be advised how you can stay in this would and how you can prevent yourselves from getting such disease there at VCT centre, the counsellors don't threatening the clients who have have come to know how they are in their body Magdalena said.

They Magdalena reached at her home and I was remaining with Sarah. Then a certain man was on a bicycle he wanted to pass us so Sarah told him to pick her because she was going very far to compare with me.

A man accepted to pick her then I was alone when I was going home.

At half past six Moni came at my house 'get in Moni" I said 'Than you Anna, she replied, 'You can have a sit here, "I said I pointed a place for her to sit "Can I help you this evening my friend I asked "yes I have come to borrow transport she said.

'Where are you going/ I asked my husband have sent a message that I should go to Zomba I should go to Zomba to take a door of a new house which I built. She said 'Do your husband just send a message only without transport.

What does he think you can use for transport? I asked. 'I don't know so I want to borrow that transport because I know that he will refund it. She said 'I am sorry I don't have money I could have given you. If I am not wrong I heard that you have started to brew kachasu not so? I asked.

'yes but I have lost I did not have profit. So I have stopped to brew it she said what about your sister Josophine? I asked she have said that she don't have money, I should wait until she brew her beer, so I have seen that I will be late because my husband have said that I should go on Saturday.

If I will go on Sunday or Monday he have said that he will sell that door, because he will know that I have bought another door. So I want to go that promised day she said have you married? I thought that you are unmarried like me.

I said I do just say that I have married but in my mind I know that I am not married. This is just a partnership she said 'how do you say that I asked that time when I was living at Zomba, I was doing prostitution so that man have proposed me for marriage. I accepted him but that man have got two wives I was a third one to him.

And he have got many partners, she said so why did you accept him to marry you. Because you already knew that he have got two wives, did you not proposed by other men? I asked

"No but I was following money that time he was having a lot of money and he was giving me more support. He was also paying rent for the house she said why did you decided to come here because you seems as if you was enjoying there at Zomba? I asked.

We have agreed that I should come here and he will follow me here. He wanted to come and meet with the marriage counsellors so that we can make a good

marriage. But he is not coming up to now” she said “Did he come here before? Because I don’t know him, and I don’t know that you have married.

And that house which you are building too on yourself nobody is helping you” I said ‘No body have helped me to build that house but there was someone who was going to Zomba so I have decided to send a message to my husband that he must help me on door only.

So I know that he have done it. That is why he have sent that message” she said then Winece came to visit me I welcomed her and give her a place to sit “Good evening Moni” Good evening, how is the children at home? Winece asked.

They are fine Moni said can I help you my friend I asked I have just come to chat with you this evening because we did not see one another today Winece said ‘That is true I said. ‘I have chatted for a long time I am going now. Moni said.

But before she stood up, we heard a knock at the door “yes, who is knocking I asked it’s me my daughter I have come to give you the units you told me to buy for you at Mwendo Mr. Lazembe said.Okey you can open the door and enter inside I said so he opened the door “who are these people? He asked, “Don’t you know these people? I asked let me come near them he said.

He saw their face now I can recognise them this one is Winece he said we all laughed what are you doing here? He asked Moni you have come to do what here? Moni asked also I have come to give Anna some units. But I don’t know what you are doing here because you have told me that you don’t chat with Anna.

That is why I am wondering to see you here, he said I have come to weave the hour of Anna, she said ‘is that true what she is telling me? He asked yes that is true I replied “so you can put the units in your phone before I leave” he said Okaye, I said then I told Winece to give me a phone.

And we put together in my phone and make sure that the units have entered in my phone. That is okey now so I am leaving he said you can have a nice journey but sorry I will not escort you because I have got these visitors I said Don’t worry you will escort me another day he said he opened the door and leave us there.

Then Moni told me also that she wanted to go Winece can we escort Moni because there is darkness outside I said. We can escort her Winece said we started to escort her but we have surprised to see that Mr. Lazembe was at the road conjunction.

I thought that you have already gone I asked no my bicycle does not have enough air, I cannot go without pumping these tires, eh said “can you take Moni

on your bicycle I asked, I can he said Now Moni we wanted to escort you but now we are lucky because you will be going with Mr. Lazembe I said.

No I don't want to go with that one you should escort me Moni said why are you refusing to go with this one? I asked I have said that I don't want to go with this one.

If you don't want to escort me, leave me here I will go on my own Moni said Winece let us return here because I did not invite her to come at my house this evening she knew how she can return home is aid Winece agree with me. So left them there on the way Winece said that those people will be together they are thinking that you don't know about their partnership. Winece said.

If they will be together she must ask him for transport may be he will give her I said but she will not tell him because he have discovered that she have got also a partner at Zomba.

But she used to refuse that her partnership have been break up because of him so he is the only one but she have got also a partner at Mbakwindi and there is another partner at Sayenda village. What about those I don't know that one is a prostitute when I reached home I heard a call Mr. Lazembe asked me tot ell him the truth if Moni came to weave me the hair so told him to talk with Winece, Teresa said that Moni was coming to borrow transport to me and she have found that I don't have money to give her.

So we thought that he will give her a transport then they did not talk much.

Early in the morning Winece went to Sayenda village to visit her relatives she met with Moni on the way then Moni started tot ell her that last night she was with that man.

And he have promised her that he will give her a transport. And she is going also to take transport to another partner and a man who was with her salt night have promised her also that he will escort her to Mwendo Bus depot to border a bus.

So Winece told me everything then a sister of Winece came day she came also at my house to visit me. Her name is Fenia Winece was telling in presence of her 'Are you talking about Moni she 'yes, I said "That one is a secret prostitute.

People at Zomba have tired with her that time when she came to Zomba she was changing men as if she was changing clothes men were following her because she was a new prostitute in Zomba.

At first she was living with her brother then she told her brother that she want to live at her own house she will be paying rent on her own. Her brother allowed her

to do so, in that house she was free to do whatever she wants. Men were coming one after another.

Then she have started to make partnership with married men so their wives came to beat her. Then she made a partnership with this one who have sent this message.

He have got two wives and Moni is failing to come here Fenia said “do you think that he can come to a prostitute like Moni. He wanted just to see how she can behave at him now he has tired with her.

He will not come here you can believe me Winece said “I can also say that Moni have got AIDS because most men who were moving with her have died of AIDS. Fenia said.

We can not doubt about that indeed she have got it Moni said. ‘You are lying I said no it is true what we are saying because people were saying that those people have died of AIDS Fenia said.

Then the visitors went to their house so they left me there and follow the visitors.