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Nanggi damak Christmas

Christmas numit asi Christian singgi damak yam maru oiba numit amani. Palon tourakpa asisu chahi lising anirom sure. Nahakki church na Jesu pokpa haraobagi palon oina toubra, natraga harao nungai thok naba numit oina sijinnabra, amuktang wakhal toubiyu ! Jesu bu henna thaja ba ngamnaba oina palon tounaba hot nabiyu. Natrabadi Christmas asi nang gi damak aremba oigani.

1. *Ahanba Christmas* : Thainagi dharma luchingba ayambana, dhar magi luchingba amagi mapok numit ngakpasi chumde, haina khanbagi damak ahanba chahi 300 lom aduda Jesu pokpa numit Christmas touram de. Chahi A.D. 325 ta ningthourel Constantine na December 25 numit asi, Christmas numit oina laothokle. Masigi tungda Protestant ga Roman Catholic singna December 25 asida chahi khudinggi Christmas tourakkhi. Adubu Eastern Orthodox singnadi January 6 aduga Armenia gi church nadi January 19 asi Christmas numit oina ngasi phaoba palon tou-i. Kari tarikta Jesu poklambage, haibasi thi

dokpa ngamdabagini. Jesu poklam ba, Bethlehem gi san-sang leipham da tariba mising adu, church jat ahum thokle. Makhoina atop atoppa tarikta Christmas asi palon tou-i. Ka ribu oirabasu Jesu poklami haibagi sakhini.

Dharma ateidadi mina Iswar bu thi. Iswar thiba singna mandir kajada tirtha chatli, chingthak kayada kakhat tuna yam wana chingdonda saba mandir singda lai ningba chatli. Christian gi dharmada Iswar na mibu thi. Iswarna pap chenba singbu kan binaba koithi thiduna lei. “Eina chan biba pami, iraatpot nate, maramdi eina dharma chenba singbu kouba lakpa nate. Adubu papi singna puk ning honglak-naba kouba lak pani” (Mat. 9:13), haina Jesuna hai.

Pap chenba singna Norok ta changda-naba Jesu poklakpani. Masi Aphaba Wapaoni (Gospel). “Mi pumnamakki oigadaba yamna haraobagi Aphaba Wapao purakli” haina swarga dutna, yao senba sing da laothoklami (Luke 2:10). Norok tagi mi kanbiba haibasi, Aphaba Wapao makni. Christmas asi yam pukning changna palon tousi.

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Christmas pamdaba sing

Herod ningthouna machinna Jesu ningba saraga, magi thamoina Jesu hatnaba tou-i. Mahak dharma chenba sai. Maram aduna, thawan michakki mahei khangba singna, Jesu pokpham thirakpada, Herod ningthou gi leipham yourak-i. Makhoina ningthouna thou dok khuding khangpham thok-i, khan duna Jesu pokpham kadai dano hangba lak-i. Herod nasu dharma chenba sa duna, lairik laisu khangba sing bu kou duna thihalle. Makhoina Jesu si Bethlehem da pokkani haire.

Matam asida thawan michakki mahei heiba singda Herod na, thidok luro, aduga nakhoina hallakpada ei ngondasu tambiyu, einasu khurumja ruge, haiduna makhoibu thare. Herod ki wakhal uba Iswarna, machanupa Jesu hatka doure khangduna, thawan michakki mahei heiba sindu atoppa lambida amuk hal-hankhi. Adugasu, Iswarna Joseph ta thunamak angangdu puduna Egypt ta chello, haibirami (Matthew 2). Iswar gi thousil taibang mina thugaiba ngamde.

Thawan michakki mahei khang ba singduna, Herod pu kiduna Jesu pok pagi pao adu Herod ta amuk tamlubagi mahutta, makhoina Iswar bu henna kibagi maramna, atoppa lambi romda Herod ningthoubu theidokkhi. Herod na saoduna makhoibu thidok laga hatpa ngami. Madusu Iswarna thokhandre. Iswar ningba singna, taibang midagi henna Iswarbu kiba tai. Thawan michakki mahei heiba singna Iswarbu

henna ki. Ningthoubu namthak toubasi papni, haiba makhoi na khang lamba yai. Adubu Herod ningthouna Iswarbu yeknei, haibasus makhoina khangbagi oibani (Rom.13).

Thawan michak paba heiba sing aduda, karigi makhoina atoppa lambida amuk hanba tabage, haibadu Iswarna makhoida haikhide. Iswarna ‘chatkanu’ haiba kanda eikhoina ‘ka rigi chatloidra’ haina amuk hangbagi shakti eikhoida leipham thokte, Iswar di ikhang khangba, i-u uba Iswar ni.

Araan khubam gi lambi

Mi amana, “Araan khubam phangnaba eina kari toubu tabage” haina hanglakpa kanda, Bible gi matung inna karamna paokhum piba ta re ? Masi karam haina khumsira, hai basi, hangliba midu kanano haiba haanna khangba tai. Maga Iswarga gi mari leinaba adugi matung inna paokhum piba tai. Kanagumba Jesu natraga Iswar suk-khang khangdriba mi oirabadi, mabu Iswar amasung Jesu gi waram haanna tambiba tai. Mana Iswar ga Jesu haanna thajaba tai (Acts 14:15, 17:23-27).

Iswar thajaraba tungda, mabu araan khubam gi wari takpiba yare (Acts 16:30-31). Araan khubam haiba asi, kanbiba haibaga mannei. Kanbiba haibasi pap singdagi kanbiba phangba aduni. Pap kokpidaba midu swarga sukka karoi, norokta chatka ni. Kanagumba amana, ei Jesu thaja

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re, hairabadi, magi thajabadu mana mi ateida haidokpada ikaiba leiroi (Rom. 10:17). Jesu thajare, haina laothokpa mi kharadi, Jesugi sakhi piba ngamde, makhoi ikaiba oi, masi chumde. Maramdi Jesu thajaba hai ba asi, yam nungaiba haraoba amani. Asigumba nungai haraoba mangonda leiraba mi aduna atoppa mida, harao nungaijaba adu tamluba ikaipham thokte. Nangonda chanaba pot yam haoba leire, khallu. Madu nangna mi ateisu soidana chahan ninggani. Yen bi ninggani. Tuminna nangonda tham loi.

Jesu thajare, haiba mi aduna pukning hongba tai. Mangonda pap touningba leitaba tai. Maramdi Iswar na pap tukkachei (Acts 2:38). Puk ning hongdra-badi, araan khubam phangba ngamde (Luke 13:3-5). Chap chana Jesu thajaba mi adu ei khoina Baptise toubiba yare (Acts 2:38). Mi amasi isingga thawaida nou na poktrabadi, mahak Iswar gi leibak ta changba thingi (John 3:5-23).

Baptise toukhraba mi aduna magi thajaba adu henna henna kan khatnaba Bible paba, prathana tou ba, church kaba na chingba talloida bani (Rom. 12:1-8). Asum toudraba di, magi thajaba adu kankhatpa ngam loi. Jesu thajaba asi, henna henna lei hanba tai. Natrabadi thajaba asi nem tharakpa yabani. Asigumba christian aduna Jesugi apamba lambi thiduna maduda chatpa tai. Jesu bu henna henna ningba mi oiba tai.

Samuel asi kanano ?

Hannah koubi asi angang matam chana pokte. Maram asina mana Iswar da angang nijarami, aduga angang asi poklabadi mapun sigi Iswar gi seba chang-han-gani haina wasaklami (1 Samuel 1:11). Iswarna Hannah bu bor pibiduna Samuel kouba macha nupa ama pokle. Mose gi hek tungda maming chatpa wa takthokpa midi Samuel ni (prophet, Jer. 15:1). Samuel gi ma ma Hannah asi eikhoina maming hek hek tai. Adubu Samuel gi mapa ka nano, mapagi ming karino, mapa asi kari thabak toubra, haibasi khang bibra ?

Samuel gi mapa Elkanah na magi nupi Hannah bu yamna nungsi. Samuel gi mapana Hannah da, “Ei asi nahakki naphamda nacha nipa tara dagi henna phattra ?” hainasu hang khi (1 Samuel 1:8). Asum haina hou jik kan-gi nupa singna makhoi gi nupibu nungsiba oirabadi, imung asi yam shanti leigani. Eph. 5:25 na, “Mapu-roibasa, Christa nasu sing lup pu nungsi duna mahak masabu mahakki damak pibikhiba gumna, nakhoigi nupi singbu nungsiyu” hai.

Elkanah na magi imungbu Iswar phajana khurumja-hankhi. Samuel gi mapa asi yam dharma chen ba nupani. Elkanah asina chahi khuding magi sohor dagi Shiloh da Iswar khurum janaba chatlami (1 Sam. 1:3). Iswar na asigumba mapham da

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Arotpa Christian sing

Pastor singna, dharma lu chingba singna kaya khangdriba christian khara lei. Makhoi asi church ta kade. Pastor singna khangbide. Makhoigi khunsing kiba, makhoigi jati singna ninda toubagi kiba mising ni. Makhoi asi lotna christian oirakli. Makhoina kanadasu ‘ei christian amani’ haina phongdokte. India dasu phana yamna lei, hairi. Chennai da makhoigi masing asi, christian oiraba singga masing mannage, tou-i haibusu tai.

Makhoina Jesu thajei adubu Baptism loudri. Adum oinamak ma khoina Baptism asi yam ikai khumnei, phattesu haide. Makhoi asi masagi mandir da Iswar khurumba chatli, adubu makhoina masagi lai murtidu khurum lubadi nate. Makhoi asina Roman Catholic church ta karigum bada karui, maramdi maduda makhoi na murti yam ui, madubu khurum lui, maramdi makhoina haannagi murti khurumba duga mannana loubagini.

Christian singgi achouba utsov singda hek hek yaorui. Maduda chaba thakpa, pao taba phangi. Masi makhoina Iswar unaruba oina khalli. Lai kaya leirabasu, makhoina Jesu bu henna luna khalli, khurumi. Adubu makhoina lai (Hindu gi laising) su lei haina khalli. Jesu asi lai ateigi makok oina khalli. India gi mahousa chatnabi lai ningba gi ni-om matung inna ma khoina ningba pambagini.

mabu khurumu haikhiba adumak Elkanah na illami. Masida magi imung singbusu yaohalli. Khurum jaba khudingda, iraatpotsu yaohallami (1 Sam.1:3). Achumba mak Iswarbu khurumjaba matam khudingda, potkatsu (iratpot su) Iswar da piba phei. Mana khurumja ruba mapham aduda Eli gi macha nipa ani Hophni ga Phinehas na laisang adugi purohit oirami. Nupa ani asi Iswar kidaba, maram oktaba oirami. Adubu Elkanah na potkat piruba kanda nupa ani asina, hek hek cha thokpa oirabasu, Elkanah nadi Iswar da katluba oiba maramna ka risu chingnaba leitana, iratpot hek hek piba oirami.

“Nupa ani asina laisang asida purihit oiringeida, eihak potkat touraroige” haina Elkanah na suk khal khallamde. Maramdi mana Iswarda aduga Iswargi yumda potkat adu tourubagini (1 Samuel). Nupa asina Iswar ki, aduga mapa amana magi imungbu Iswar khurum janaba lambisu takpiba mapa ama oi, haiba eikhoina khangi. Iswar ki ba khangba imung amada Iswar na bor pibidaba leite.

Ngasi gi christian imung khudingna Elkanah gi punsi asidagi Iswargi seba karam toubu tabage, haibadu tamjaraga eikhongi imung singdasu Iswargi bor lakkani. Iswar na imung amabu bor piba kanda angang singbusu bor pibi. Iswar bu khangba imungda macha singgi punsisu Iswarna bor pibi, semgatpi.

Hayeng gi church

Ngasigi church ka hayenggi church ka kayamuk khetna rakpa yai. Khara wakhal tousi. Eikhoi gi lamda christian changlakpa kanda christian singgi punsi karam tou-i, adu ga ngasina karam toure, adusu khan thabiyu. Taibanggi harao nungaiba pamba, sen paiba pamba wakhalna eikhoigi church tasu otpiba heure, hai ba asi eikhoina khangi. Eikhoina Iswar thajariba asi, senglaktaba ya bagi pramansu uba phangle. Maram asina ngasigi christian sing henna apha ba christian ama oinaba hotnaba tai.

Khara leiraga church ta tin naba asisu, chumnagi tinnaba (fellowship) ama oirakpa yai. Iswargi ming da tinnaba oina khandaduna, una pham, sak khangna pham ama oirak pa yai. Church asi machin chatpa, lair rik heiba, asingba mi singna chalairak kadaba malle. Church asida achumba, Iswarna pamba wa ngangbagi mahutta, church ki lamjingba singna taning gadaba, makhoina pen-gadaba wahei wata aduta Pastor na ngang lakpa yabagi akibasui lei. Natra badi mahakki pham louthokpa, thabak tok-hanba yai, haina Pastor na kirak kani.

Church asida thawaigi punsi henna phanaba ngangbagi mahutta taibang punsi gi wana henna sandok laktuna, church member kayagi ma kok ngaoba oirakkani. Bible na ma du yade, haibagi mahutta nangna hai

baduna henna chumi, haina mibu thagatpa oirakkani. Dharmagi wari tambiba heiba singgi, pautak inbagi mahutta Politician singgi wangangna henna taningba oirakkani. Church tasu sen paiba, lairik heiba mibu tha bakta haptuna, dharmachenba mibu thousabiroi. Iswargi Thawaina ching biba mina church ki lamjingba oibagi mahutta gari phajaba thoubasingna church ki lamjingba oirakkani.

Thainagi pao sandokpa singna makhoigi cross adu pujaduna pao sandokpa oirami, houjik kanggi pao sandokpa singdi makhoigi sen thumga, makhoigi toubangamba pang galga (power & authority) ga loinana pao sandok-lak-kani. Masi thajabi-dabra ?

Ningthamtha changlakle

Winter oirakle, hakchang asi ingman danaba chek sinba tagani. Angang singbusu henna inghan ganu. Arumba phirolna hakchangbu lumhanbiyu. Khong asisu yam ing hanba phatte. Icha singgi mapuk ingmanba kanda, Cold Diarrhoea phanggani. Uphun ga gari meikhu leiba maphamda rumalna chin-ga mai khumbiyu, uphunda makhal ka yagi laina mahik lottuna leigalli. Ising asengba thak piyu. Houjik matamda chini ga thum asi yam chaba hak chang soknaba ni. Thaknaba hei ma hi asema yonba singda chinigi sa ruk yam yao-i, thaktabana henna phe. Ahingda phajana tumba oiyu.

Nokpasu kanei (Prov. 17:22)

* *Judge* -- Nang karigi yum adugi manungda changlubra ?

Huranbana -- Madu eigi iraanna nate, maramdi yumdugi thongda, 'Welcome' haina ibagini.

* *Oja* -- Amambaga mangan ga kari na tongal hanbage ?

Satra -- Electric switch nani, Oja !

* *Oja* -- Eina houjik hangga daba wahanggi paokhum chumna piba midu yum chatpa yagani.

Tomcha -- Thongnauda magi lairik khao adu thadarami.

Oja -- Kanana magi bag adu thada bano ?

Tomcha -- Einani Oja, achumba pao khum pire, ei chatle (leplaga chat-khre).

* *Police na hai* -- Garigi che R.C. leire, Insurance leire, helmet su leire. Loi na sure, adubu fine Rs.2000 piba tai.

Gari mapu -- Karigino saheb, lupa 2,000/- adu ?

Police -- Maramdi nanggi che mayam asi, nangna plastic na yombagini. Plastic houjik thingle.

* Tailor Master ama nongma city bus ta tonglaga, asumna magi mobile na magi dukanda thabak suba nupada wa nganggi. "Tu haath kaat ke rakh, gaala main aakar kaatungga ..." Bus adu ma thanggi station da hek khambaga, bus manungda tongba miyam adu loina kum thakhre. Driver, Handiman, Tailor Mas-

ter makhoi ahumta bus ta tong heure.

* Tolop suk hen hen-gattabagi damak, nongma staff aduna magi Boss ta ---

"Boss, hayeng dagi eihak office khara nganna thadoklaga, ahingda Auto thouduna sen tanba tare."

Boss -- Karigino, kari tourabano ? Staff -- Boss, eigi tolop asi hen gattaba maramna, imunggi khorcha pot maman hen-gatpana, sen khara henna thiba oina ahingda Auto thou drabadi, hingba waga doure.

Boss -- O.k., phare, khara nganna yum hallo, adubu nahakna kaoroi dabadi, ahingda cha thakpa, chak chaba taragana, lambi karakta chagi Hotel macha ama lei, maduda ei nasu ahing khuding, hotel phammi.

* Imunggi mama amana, naha maan na naba dukan gi hidak kaya leiraga, mamit mamai, masam, unsa na chingbada teire. Magi nupa ma nakta changlakpa ubada, "Eibu khara yengbiyu, eihak chahi kaya sugani, khabibra ?"

Nupana hai, "Unsa yenglaga chahi 20, sam yenglaga chahi 18, hak chang yenglaga chahi 25 sugadaba malli.

Nupina -- "Yam phareda, nangna hairibadu, ei harao-i."

Nupana -- "Ngaikho, ngaikho, ama wat heure. Eina houjik haikhi ba masing mayam adu eina tinsillaga, nahakki chahini haigadaba watli" haina amuk haibikhi.

Khangbada Kanaba

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* Nasam kakpada khara soikhiba oiragana, nahak matam kharadi ikai ba oigani. Nanggi yum panbada nupi, natraga nanggi nupa aphaba thiba soiruba oiragana, napunsigi haraona panba ngammoi. Aduga Jesu Christa lousin-houdaba mi oiragana, hingli ngeiga amasung siba tungda awa mei chakna nangbu chaktunata leigani.

* Nasana nasabu thagatkanu, mina nangbu thagat naba tou, maduna kui na chatkani ... Pakhang leisa oiringei da, punsi khongchat soihou raga, kadongei dasu punsigi haraoba phang loi.

* Prithibada khowaidagi hakchang phabi nupi amagi chahi 36 surakpa da, macha 44 sure. Maming Mariam kou-i. Phaibok 5 rak, ahum ahum pokpana mari rak, macha mari mari pokpana mangarak, ama ama pokpa na anirak ni. Mapuroiba amat tagi macha singni. Houjik matamda mama oibi asina, angang 44 asi, matomtana jokli.

* Tripura da leiba Vanghmun kouba khun asi, India da khowaidagi seng ba, lu nanba khunni, hai.

* Meikhu yaodaba churup, houjik matamda mina yam thaknaba heure. Mamingna Electronic Cigarette hai na khangnei (E-Cigarette). Masi kui na thaklaga, Thambombi pomkhatpa (lung inflammation) gi laina phangi. Madugi laina adu, eikhoigi leiriba hi dak singna phahanba ngamde. Madu

gi maramdi, E-cigarette ta yaoba liquid asida, lead, nicotine, ga potentially cancer causing chemicals yao bani, haina U.K. ga U.S.A. gi doctor singna hai.

* Houjik kaan 'Fake Online' na sen taanba mi phattaba yam leire. Makhoi gari, pot chei sing maman yam hongna hongna yolli. Makhoigi Bank Account da sen advance piba tungda, makhoigi phone su chattre, address piriba aduda thiba phangdre, hairo. Aduga thabak piga ni haina, tolop achou achouba utla ga Advertise tourakpa yamna leire. Advertise sing asi, mapham adugi khangnaba singda thidok hallaga, chumi khangba tungda, pao phaona biyu. Advertise phattaba yamnasu leire.

* Neil Armstrong na thaagi lei maida makhongna chatlami. Masi na magi pukningda Iswar henna tha janaba, wakhal piba ngamde. Adu bu mana Jesu lousin-jaduna Jesu ga chatminnaba tungdagi di magi punsida ahongba ama lakkhi.

* "Eina khangba ngammoidaba awaba, Iswana eibu piroi. Iswana eigi asonba mapham, loina khang pangbi" haina Mother Theresa na haikhi.

* Odisha (Orissa) gi Cuttack kou ba maphamsida, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose poklami.

* Prithibi da mi yam taadaba sohor di (city) Vatican City ni.

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Jesuna Kouri haiba chephong asi tha ani khuding phongjei. Thawaigi punsi lamjing-bi, aduga hakchang phanabagi waram tamba. Sen-thaang chahigi Rs. 50/- oirabasu, chahi anigi Rs. 100/- pibi-u, maramdi chephong taruk phang bada chahi oire. Thuna mak surak-i. M.O. thabiragana Form gi Editor na phang-gadaba che machet tuda, nasagi ming, address suna ibiyu, **or** Editor mobile No. 94355 -51080 da phone toubi-u. Senthang masida pibibasus ya gani :-

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Ee-Pau Khara

* Russia asi prithibigi khowaidagi chao ba lamni (country) ... Prithibigi khowaidagi pikpa lamna, Vatican City ni ... prithibida khowaidagi chaoba ithatna (Island) Greenland ni ... Mi yamna taba lamna China ni ... Yam tadabana Vatican City ni ... Khowaidagi wangba chingna Himalaya ni ... Khowaidagi chaoba marubhumi (desert) na Antarctic Desert ni.

* India gi first Republic Day (1950) numit ki Chief Guest na, Indonesia gi first President, Sukarno ni ... India gi Republic Day celebration da first female Chief Guest oibana, Thailand gi Prime Minister oiramba, Yingluck Shinawatra na oirami.