Free Translation

The Yimas started shooting arrows at E Yowiri. They couldn't kill E Yowiri with arrows. The enemies caught him. When they shot arrows at him, he deflected them. When they caught him, he fell on the ground with them. They fell on top of him, and he got up with them. They all fell down because of him.

He ran away. The enemies wanted to kill him, but they couldn't kill him. He escaped. He ran away. He went away. They were left lying on the ground because of him.

E Yowiri and his companions came back. Then they went after them. They went and fought against them, and they killed them.

When he came back he did not move away. He came back and kept on living there. He went there again, and fought against them again. He fought against them twice.

He fought against them. He came back again. He lived back in his own village again. They offered feasts back and forth many times.

Then they buried each other. 84 They buried each other in the soil in the sandy clearing. They were left buried. They went away crying because of them. They came back for them. They dug them out. They got up. Then they switched, and buried each other again.

The two sandy clearings where they lived are there. No one lives there. We live over here. The two sandy clearings are there, the old villages of the ancestors, who fought against the enemies.

The ones that E Yowiri killed are living all around. They became the Brazilians, some of them.

Interlinear Presentation

1 E Yowin	ri	me	tisa	nawemetemoneke				
E Yow	iri	me	tisa	na	-waha	-hemete	-mone	-ke
(man'	s name)	3PL.S	shoot with arrow	AUX	change	FP.N+F	REP+F	DECL+F
nprop	m	pron	vt	aux				
yima m	<i>nati</i> Nati BPL							
npropm p								
'The Viene	atomtod abo	oting anno	viva et E Vervini !					

'The Yimas started shooting arrows at E Yowiri.'

2 E Y	owiri			E Yo	wiri	1	E Yowiri		me		titisa				
ΕY	Yowiri			E Y	owiri	L I	E Yowiri		me		ti-	tisa			
(ma	an's n	ame)		(mai	n's r	name)	(man's n	ame)	3PI	J.S	DUP	shoo	t	with arr	WO.
npr	ropm			npr	pm	r	npropm		pro	n	vt				
kana		hiava	matar	иоиа				ino		amak	za.			vawa	
minu		nune	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	nonu				mo		umun	ıu		•	yawa	
ka-	na				-ra	-himata	-mona	ino		ama			,	yawa yawa	
	-			ha	_							ı+M	,	-	

⁸⁴ This refers to a game that young people played, burying each other except for the head.

me hiwatebanoho

me hi- wata -hiba -no -ho 3PL.S OC catch FUT+M IP.N+M DUP

pron vt

'They couldn't kill E Yowiri with arrows. The enemies caught him.'

3 Me hiwatematamonane , me sa me hi- wata -himata -mona -ne me saa

3PL.S OC catch FP.N+M REP+M BKG+M 3PL.S shoot with arrow pron vt pron vt

hikane wati taroro taroro nari

hi- kana+M wati taro -ro taro -ro na -haari DUP AUX IP.E+M OC COMIT AUX hit DUP arrow hit aux nm vt vt aux

'They caught him. When they shot arrows at him, he deflected them.'

hiwate mera kasohimatamonane me hi- wata+M mera ka- sona -himata -mona -ne 3PL.S OC catch 3PL.O COMIT fall FP.N+M REP+M BKG+M enemies pron pron vt nf

yafa hikanebanoho mera vana hi- ka- na -hiba -hino -ho yafa mera yana put something on top of OC COMIT AUX FUT+M IP.N+M DUP 3PL.O get up aux pron vi

kanebanoho

ka- na -hiba -no -ho COMIT AUX FUT+M IP.N+M DUP

'When they caught him, he fell on the ground with them. They fell on top of him, and he got up with them.'

5 E Yowiri ahi mera yana kanematamona ama E Yowiri ka- na -himata -mona ahi mera yana ama (man's name) get up COMIT AUX FP.N+M REP+M 3PL.O SEC then pron vi aux sec dem

'E Yowiri got up with them.'

6 Me tiriri tonakosemetemone ehene
me tiriri to- na -kosa -hemete -mone ehene
3PL.S many fall CH AUX middle FP.N+F REP+F because of+M
pron vi aux post

'They all fell down because of him.'

7 Bete nawematamonaka ahi
bete na -waha -himata -mona -ka ahi
run AUX change FP.N+M REP+M DECL+M then
vi aux dem

'He ran away.'

Yawa hinabibona vawa hinabowe hasi hi- na- ahaba -hibona hasi yawa yawa hi- naaboha+M OC CAUS die INT+M OC CAUS die escape enemies enemies v/t nf v/t νi

nematamonakana

na -himata -mona -ka -na AUX FP.N+M REP+M DECL+M IRR+M

'The enemies wanted to kill him, but they couldn't kill him. He escaped.'

Faya bete nawe tokomematamona fahi to- ka -ma -himata -mona faya bete na -waha+M fahi run AUX change away go/come back FP.N+M REP+M vi vi conj 'He ran away. He went away.'

10 *Me* tosakosemetemone amake ehene SO soo to- na -kosa -kosa -hemete -mone ama -ke ehene me 3PL.S lie CH AUX middle middle FP.N+F REP+F SEC DECL+F because of+M vi aux sec pron post

'They were left lying on the ground because of him.'

11 *Faya* me kama me me me faya -ma+Fme ka me me me go/come back 3PL.O so 3PL.S 3PL.S 3PL.S pron pron vi pron conj pron

hinakamamemehi- to- na- ka-ma+FmemeOC away CAUS go/come back3PL.03PL.Svtpronpron

hinakamakiemetemone
hi- to- na- ka -makI -hemete -mone ahi
OC away CAUS go/come following FP.N+F REP+F then
vt dem

'They came back. They went after them.'

12 *Me* hinamakemetemoneke me mowa hi- to- na -makI -hemete -mone -ke me me mowa 3PL.O 3PL.S fight OC away AUX following FP.N+F REP+F DECL+F pron pron vt aux

'They went and fought against them.'

13 *Me* me mowa hinamake me me hi- to- na -makI me me mowa me OC away AUX following 3PL.O 3PL.S fight 3PL.O 3PL.S pron vt aux pron

hinahabihemetemoneahibanarebanohohi- na- ahaba -hemete -moneahibana -ra -hiba -no -hoOC CAUS die FP.N+F REP+F thenmove away NEG FUT+M IP.N+M DUPvtdemvi

kamahari

ka -ma -haari go/come back IP.E+M

'They went and fought against them, and they killed them. When he came back he did not move away.'

14 Fare winame winamakane ahi
fare wina -ma+M wina -ma -kane ahi
same+M live back live back ?+M then
dem vi vi dem

'He came back and kept on living there.'

15	Faya faya so	a	to-	-		_	kI lowing	-tasa- again	+M	mera mera 3PL.O pron	mowa mowa fight vt
ton	amak	- etas	ematan	nona							
to-	- n	.a	-maki	I	-ta	asa	-himata	a -mon	a	-	
awa	ay A	.UX	foll	owing	aga	ain	FP.N+M	REP+	M		
aux	K										
'He	wen	t th	ere aga	in, and	foug	ght a	against th	em agaiı	n.'		

16	Me	mowa	ni	famemata	ahi			
	me	mowa	na.NFIN	fama	-himata	-mona	-ka	ahi
	3PL.O	fight	AUX	be two	FP.N+M	REP+M	DECL+M	then
	pron	vt	aux	vi				dem

'He fought against them twice.'

17	Mera	mowa	ne ,	kamatase			fare	taboro
	mera	mowa	na+M ´	ka	-ma	-tasa+M	fare	taboro
	3PL.O	fight	AUX	go/come	back	again	same+M	place+M
	pron	vt.	aux	vi			dem	ng

winamatasematamona

wina -ma -tasa -himata -mona live back again FP.N+M REP+M

'He fought against them. He came back again. He lived back in his own village again.'

18	Me	ibe	me	ibe	mamari	nawa
	me	ibe	me	ibe	ma- mari	na -waha
	3PL.POSS	RECIP	3PL.POSS	RECIP	DUP offer a feast to	AUX change
	pron	pn	pron	pn	vt	aux
toe	metemoneke			fahi		
to	- ha -hen	nete -mc	ne -ke	fahi		
CH	AUX FP.1	I+F REF	+F DECL+F	then		
au	X			dem		

'They offered feasts back and forth many times.'

19 Me me 3PL.	.POSS	<pre>ibe ibe RECIP pn</pre>	kamow kamo bury vt	-waha	a+F ge	<i>wami</i> wami soil nf	. ya	J	<i>boto</i> boto sandy cl nf	earing.	<i>ya</i> ya ADJU prt	, U
me me 3PL.PO	<i>ibe</i> ib SS RE pn	e ka CIP bu	moha nmo+F nry	me me 3PL. pron		,	me me 3PL.PC pron)SS	<i>ibe</i> ibe RECIP pn	<pre>kamoha kamo+F bury vt</pre>	,	me me 3PL.0 pron
me me 3PL.S pron		oa amo+F oury	me me 3PL.S pron		<i>mokosa</i> kamc bury	-ko	osa+F ddle			<pre>ihi ihi because post</pre>	of+	me me F 3PL pron
me me 3PL.O pron tokomem to- ke away ge	a	vt ¹ ni	F me 3P: pro	L.S on		AUX aux	NFIN					

'Then they buried each other. They buried each other in the soil in the sandy clearing. They were left buried.

They went away crying because of them.'

20	Me	ohi	ni	tokom	а		me	,	me	me
	me	ohi	na.NFIN	to-	ka	-ma+F	me		me	me
	3PL.S	cry	AUX	away	go/come	back	3PL.POSS		3PL.O	3PL.S
	pron	vi	aux	vi			pron		pron	pron

hinakamemetemonehe

hi- na- ka -ma -hemete -mone -he OC CAUS go/come back FP.N+F REP+F DUP vt

'They went away crying. They came back for them.'

21	Me	me	wi	hina	me	yanari	nemetemone
	me	me	wii	hi- na+F	me	yana -ri	na -hemete -mone
	3PL.O	3PL.S	dig	OC AUX	3PL.S	get up DISTR	AUX FP.N+F REP+F
	pron	pron	vt	aux	pron	vi	aux

'They dug them out. They got up.'

22	Manako	me	ebe	kamotasa	me	one	fara	me
	manako	me	ebe	kamo -tasa+F	me	one	fara	me
	switching	3PL.POSS	RECIP	bury again	3PL	other+F	same+F	3PL.POSS
	nf	pron	pn	vt	pron	adj	dem	pron

kamoa mati abe abe kamo+F mati RECIP bury 3PL.S vt pron pn

'Then they switched, and buried each other again.'

23	Me	wiwinikima	toemete	me ka	boto
	me	wi- wina -kima	to- ha -hemete	me ka	boto
	3PL.S	DUP live two	CH AUX FP.N+F	3PL POSS	sandy clearing
	pron	vi	aux	pron prt	nf

yoro	nikin	nineke			Aba Wini	karo		
yoro	na	-kima	-ne	-ke	Aba Wini	karo		
be located	AUX	two	CONT+F	DECL+F	(name of stream)	LOC		
vi	aux				npropf	prt		
		-						

'The two sandy clearings where they lived are there.'

24 Winihimini

wina -hima -ni live BKG+F vi

'No one lives there.'

25 Winihimara Winihimara ya wina -hima -ra+F ya winineke e ee

wina -ne -ke ADJU 1IN.S live CONT+F DECL+F live NEG vi vi prt pron

'We live over here.'

26	Yoro	nineni			boto	,	me	iti	
	yoro	na	-ne	-ni	boto		me	iti	
	be located	AUX	CONT+F	BKG+F	sandy clearing		3PL.POSS	grandfather	
	vi	aux			nf		pron	nm	

boteri taborimete				yawa	momowa		hiemete					
bote	-ri	tabori	-mete		yawa	mo-	mowa	hi-	to-	ha	-hemete	
old	PN	place+F	FP.N+F		enemies	DUP	fight	OC	СН	AUX	FP.N+F	
pn		nf			nf	vt		aux				
'The two sandy clearings are there, the old villages of the ancestors, who fought against the enemies.'												

27 E Yowiri totonafiyo hiwemete me E Yowiri me to- to- na- fiyo hi- to- ha -hemete (man's name) 3PL.O DUP CH CAUS be all gone OC CH AUX FP.N+F pron npropm vt aux wina nawarewaine me yara me me yara wina na -waharI -waha -ne me me me 3PL.S live AUX all over change CONT+F Brazilian 3PL.COMPL 3PL.S

pron vi aux npropm pron tohawa mati me one to- ha -waha+F mati me one CH be change 3PL.S 3PL some+F VC pron pron adj

'The ones that E Yowiri killed are living all around. They became the Brazilians, some of them.'

pron