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(N A T A L .)

MPHATHI' SIHLALO,

MAKOSI no MPHAKATHI!!!

Ngiyanibingel'ela. Sihlangene lapha kulonyaka ngesikhathi sama Holiday okufa nokuvuka kwe Nkosi uJesu. Iningi labantu abakholwayo engabe balapha abakho ngoba lamalanga kubo makhulu futhi ayingcwele. Nakithina makhulu futhi impela. Mina ngithi kufanele nathi njengomhlango wesiZwe sihlange ngalolu usuku, thina njengesizwe esafayo nesizama ukuvuka engcwabeni. Thina baleli izwe seloku safa ukufika kombuso wabamhlophe, salwa nabo, ngamandla esasinawo sahlulwa. Kwafanela sikhonze kubo ngako konke, semukele impilo yabo yonkana, samukele nendlela abakhonza ngayo, nendlela abagqoka ngayo, nendlela abadla ngayo, samukele nendlela okuthethwa ngayo amacala. Yiko loku okwenza ukuba sibe ngabaphendukile kuko konke esiyikona okuthi impatho esiphethwe ngayo yasingcwaba saba ngaba fileyo. Si file thina luHlanga oluNsundu. Noma sizovuka sesingabelungu ngako konke, noma sizovuka sise yiko loku esasiyiko befika abelungu kuleli izwe, ku umsebenzi wethu ukuba sisebenze sizame ukuvuka. Kodwa uma ngibuka impilo esiphile ngayo, kusukela ekugqokeni kwethu nenkolo nako konke ngikholwa ukuthi sovuka sesimdibi munye naye wonke uwonke.

Kulonyaka sihlange ngesikhathi kubusa iNationalist Party eholwa uDr. D.F. Malan. Bonake bathi masizehlukane nabo, siphile impilo yakithi, sithi noma si funde si fundele okwethu, sakhe sodwa, sidlele sodwa, siphile impilo engahlange nabo. Lamazwi azwek'ala kahle uma engena ezindlebeni kodwa uma esecatshengisiswa, umuntu esefumana ukuthi kuko konke ukuziphatha kuqondwe ukuba thina sihlale singaphansi kwabo singenalizwi ePalamende, singawuthengi umhlaba lapho si thanda khona, nemi-sebenzi etholisa imali igcinelwe bona. Loku umuntu kusuke kumdide ikhanda afikelwe inkolo yokuthi itshe limi ngothi.

Phezu kwawo lomcondo u Dr. Malan uyawela uya phesheya kumhlango wabaphathi bemibuso ephansi kombuso ka King George. Njengoba iBandla lama Nationalist labe soloko lifuna songathi umbuso we Nyonyana ungaphuma wehlukane nobukhosi base Ngilandi, sekwenza ke ke ukuba ama Ndiya e Hindustan afune nawo ukuphuma phansi kobukhosi base Ngilandi. Kuzwek'ala songathi lesenzo sama Ndiya sesilibaxa elihle kuma Nationalist akulelizwe ngangoba isikhona inkulume ethi inhloso ka Dr. Malan njengoba ewela nje ukuba umbuso we Nyonyana uphume phansi kobukhosi bama Ngisi kodwa usebenzelane noMbuso wakhona ngokuzwana. Lomcondo ubungafanele uphumelele singawukhiphanga el'ethu njengabantu abangasenalo ithemba lenhlalakahle phansi kombuso weNyonyana. Kukhona nengozi yokuthi uma umbuso weNyonyana uphuma phansi kobukhosi bama Ngisi, kungahle kwenzeke ama Ngisi anikeze namazwe ase Swazini, Basutoland, nase Bechuanaland ukuba nawo abe phansi kwe Nyonyana. Usukhona umcondo kwabanye abaholi engisebenza nabo wokuthi kuhle kwenziwe incwadi yesicelo ithunyelwe kuMbuso wama Ngisi phesheya sokuba sikhishwe thina 'Ndlu emnyama yomdabu waleli izwe ekubusweni iNyonyana ngoba isibonisile ukuthi kayisifuni nokuthi kayifuni sithole amalungelo okuzithuthukisa nokuba nezwi ezindabeni zombuso. Bathi laba holi lesicelo kuhle sithunyelwe kuzo zonke izizwe zomhlaba zicelwe zisizane nathi sikhishwe phansi kwalombuso. Nginenkolo yokuthi lomcondo bazowuveza kini engethemba nowulalela nikiphe nelenu izwi ngawo.

Thina.../

Thina lapha kwa Zulu sabakhonza kekhulu abamhlophe kuze kube namhlanje sibakhonzile, amukho umuntu omnyama okhonze njengathi, okwethu ukubelungela kuze kufaniswe nokweziphukuphuku.

ISIKHWAMA SESIZWE.

Namhlanje umhlangano ka African National Congress ucalise ukufuya inkomo. Lenkomo esiyithengayo eseyithole, ngayo siconde ukuba sizicinise ukhakhayi singene ebudodeni.

Ngalamazwi ngisho ukuthi sakha isikhwama semali ngoba umuntu ongenayo imali kuleli izwe kandoda yalutho. Ufana nesi-bhamu esingenazo izinhlanvu, ufana ne Motor Car engenawo u-Petrol. Nathi uma siyisizwe, sinomhlangano wethu, kodwa imali singenayo asinamsebenzi walutho nempela. Noma sidelelwa ubani ngeke simumangalele, noma siboshwa singethenge nammeli, noma kufanele siyozibika kwamanye amadoda alwaziyo usizi ngeke ngoba singeze sahamba ngalutho emhlabeni. Namhlanje izwe lifishane ngoba sekundizwa nase moyeni. Umuntu asuke lapha lulana nje aye eNgilandi noma e America noma eSwidi. Sesibonile ama-Kholwa athatha abanye bethu bayomela ukuyobika inqubekela phambili yobu Krestu. Kungefanele ngani thina njengemhlangano yesizwe siyoxoxela amadoda eminye imibuso eyethu inhlelo ebuhlungu, eacambisa inhliziyu esiphatheke ngayo lapha ezweni lethu ukuba amadoda nabafazi bakithi ukwenziwa into yokondla esinye isizwe njengokungathi thina sathengwa ngemali sikwelinye izwe.

Nanka ama Ndiya okuyiwona athengwa ngemali ukuzolima umoba, kodwa namhlanje aphaatheke ngcono kunathi.

Noma sikhala kodwa ukukhala kwethu ngeke kuzwakale ngoba iningi lethu alifuni ukuba senze umfelandawonye. Elinye igambu lethu lima emagcumeni liyabhuca, elinye lilele ezigidini lica-shile, elinye nanti khona lapha lizokona ngomlomo walo, kanti elinye liphethe amapeni ka inki liyabhidliza konke okwakhiwayo emaphepheni.

Thina aba Holi babantu kubhalwa ngathi ngesinye isikhathi uzwe sengathi ungalahla phansi umsebenzi wesizwe, kodwa uthi lapho usuzibuza uthi "Ngilahle bese kuthatha bani", ubusujabha!

Lapha e Tekwini kade kukhona isidumo esichithe igazi phakathi kwama Ndiya nabantu, kwavela abanye basizakala ngokutshena abelungu ngesingisi emaphepheni esintu ukuthi thina asibaHoli balutho. Endaweni yokuba bachazele izwe elimhlophe nelinjani iciniso lethu, nemizamo yethu. Kodwa ubuncinyane bezingcondo zabo babuveza obala ngempela. Mina no Dr. A. B. Xuma sasebenza umsebenzi omkhulu athi lapha ama Ndiya esibuza ukuthi abantu bawashayelani, mina ngawatshena ngathi kwenza ngoba asechoshile umuntu kasamazi ukuthi uyini. U Dr. Xuma njengoMongameli we-Zwe lojike beza kuye, yena wathi ukhona umholi wase Natal okufanele nginithathe nginibeke kuyena anitshene iciniso. Nempela ngawatshena ama Ndiya into esixabenisayo. Umcebo wawo awenza kuleli izwe. Amathuba anawo awanikwa uHulumeni sekuwachoshisile. Nawo aseni ngenhla asizana nabelungu. Ku ilapho wona singazange silwe nawo. Lawa anama bus, anama plazi, anezitolo asho ngokusobala ukuthi kuphi okukayihlo wakho. Nasemsebenzini ufumana esengabelungu kulo koke abantu bewabona emnyama efana nathi. Futhi bazi ukuthi afika ngesibhalo lapha, bacasuka ke bawaphatha kabi. EMkhumbane kuze kuyofike e Mariannhill cishe kongena eMgungungundlovu zashiswa izitolo zawo nezindlu abantu. Lapha e Tekwini basancaba ukukhwela ama bhasi awc shamba eMkhumbane. Lonke leli iciniso salibeka phambi kwawo kuleyomihla-

ngano abanye benu ababethi sihlangelani no Congress wawo, mina ngazi ukuthi akubalekelwana nabaholi besizwe okuliwa naso. Lapha e Tekwini esesibili lesi isidumo ngisibona. Lesi sanamuhlanje sisihlazile thina Zulu ngoba siveze ubuncunu bethu. Namhlanje wonke uyazi ukuthi asinayo imali nokuthi asihlangene! Ukuba besinemali ngabe izitolo lezi ezethu ngabe nama bus awethu!

Analungu ka Congress kuhle acabange isu lokuthi singenze njani ukuba sizakhele isikhwama semali ezobalwa ngezinkulungwane zompondo, lapho kufanele sithenge khona singancandwa ubuphofu!

Noma sisuswa nge ndlovu- yangena phakathi kwabo kodwa lapho sizokwakha khona singadingi ukudla, singadingi izingubo, singadingi amageja okulima nezinto zokusithwala!

Nanso inselelo ebekwa phambi kwalomhlangano ngo 1949. Lapho sizobekwa khona masazi ukuthi siyisizwe. Niyabona abamhlophe bayahlangana uma kukhulunywa ngokuphatha omnyama, umahluko kuba ofana nosheleni nozuka. Uma ke kunjalo ithemba lethu likithina. Uma sizokwethembela ezihlotsheni zethu zomlomo, sizosala osizini, kodwa sizothembela emandleni ethu, emcondweni wethu, sihlale phansi sicebisane abafundileyo nabangafundile, ama Khosi akithi, nababuswayo, abangama Krestu nabangewona, kodwa sihlangane ngobuzwe bethu ubu AFRIKA obupheleleyo. Ngeke asishiye owadala amazwe onke thina wasabela leli iAFRIKA. Akucali ngathi ukwehlulwa, bonke abahlulwayo baphathwa nzima. Namhlanje cabangani ngombuso omkhulu wama Jalimane nawo oke wabachoshela labo obusubehlulile, wabaphatha gadalala!

Cabanganini ukwehlulwa kwama Bhunu kulo leli, cabangani ukwehlulwa kwama Abysinia, cabangani nangama Japan. Thina ke okwethu kubanjezelwe ukungahlangani kwethu, kubanjezelwe ukungabi nayo imali, kubanjezelwe ubuphofu. Simponi siyanuka, silumana sodwa njengezinja. Iningi lethu alifundanga.

Lo Congress uhlalelwe ilowo msebenzi kwangathi wonke umuntu olapha eNdlini angazimisela ukusiza. Isifo esisibulalayo ukuba ilowo nalowo ufuna ukucala okwakhe. Kepha mina njengo Mongameli ka African Congress nginibizela enhlanganweni ye Sizwe endala i African Congress. Labo abayicalayo iningi labo basengcwabeni, sebeba nathi ngomoya. Masibambebele kuye u Congress, kasonile ngalutho, mihle, wawakhulula ama Melika, uwakhulule ama Ndiya phesheya, nathi uyo sikhulula uma sibambelela kuyena singamdeli.

Ukuhlangana amandla, isilisa nesi fazane, ngasi sondelana sifakane umcondo wokwakha nokuvusa isizwe sakithi kushunyayelwe ngazo zonke izintshumayelo. Namhlanje intshumayelo engibona ifanele u kwakha isikhwama semali ukuba sifudumalise uCongress. Nawabona amandla ka I.C.U. esenemali.

Ngibhekisa kini Ma Khosi apethe izi funda. Ngibhekisa kini bo Baba bethu. Zithelisani nina ngokwenu, yekanini isizwe senu, iningi imali esiyithelela u Hulumeni omhlophe. Kuyafuneka nathi sithelisane sodwa sakhe owethu uHulumeni. Niyaziwa uHulumeni futhi uyaniithanda. Noma kunjalo ningakhohlwa ukuthi nesizwe senu siyanithanda. Kumasonto asezimele asephendula iminyango kuwo ngithi leli ithube elihle kakulu kinina. Yekanini izindaba zamasonto nakhe izikole nakhe izitolo, sikhonze uJehova ngenkululeko. Ngiyabonga labo abangisizile ngo 1948. Lonyaka wabalukhuni kimina ngezikhathi eziningi. Nokhumbula ukuthi kuvele izikhathi ezimbili zoKhetho, okokuqala kwaba ukhetho lwe Native Representative Council, lwaxabanisa lapha ku Congress, kwaphinda kwabakhona olwe Senate, nalo lwaxabanisa futhi kulo iKomidi, naku sekuvele izidumo zama Ndiya, kepha

zona kwathi noma kuvela intuthu kodwa umlilo awubonakalanga. Noma ke nalabo abalwayo ulaka lwabo lwaphelela ezinhliziyweni.

Umhlangano wama Ndiya omkhulu S.A. I. Congress Komidi ne-Komidi ka Zwelonke yethu i African Congress, i the kuhle sisebenzelane nomhlangano we Natal Indian Congress. Lolu udaba luzabekwa phambi kwenu nibeke owenu umqondo. Uma abantu behlupheka bephatheke kabi njengathi njena abayeki ukuzifunela izihlobo, kanti kuyimfanelo noma uhlezi kahle ungayeki ukuzifunela izihlobo. Nankoke ama Ndiya athi imihlangano yethu ma ibambane ngezandla. Sizwelane emithwalweni esiyithwaliwe abamhlophe. Kukinina ke namhlanje ukuba niveze elenu izwi. Elami sengilikhiphile ngathi ohluphekayo ufuna izihlobo.

Ningakhohlwa ukuthi nawo kasho onke - nawo kahlangene, kukhona aku Congress, kukhona aku Organisation, kukhona azihlalele nje ethapha umcebo we Afrika.

NINGAMADODA NANI ZI CABANGI WENI OKWENU.

Ngingakaqedi nje kufanele ngiphawule loku. Abantu abaningi ngaphandle lapha bayakhala, bafuna ukuba abaholi babahambele. Kumbiko wo Mbhali nizobona ubunzima abutwale. Lo Mbhali indoda ekhuthele nezihluphayo kakhulu ngomsebenzi wokuhlanganisa isizwe. Kodwa akanako ukuphumelela ngenxa yokuba u Congress engenayo imali. Kulombiko nizobona ukuthi kukhona icala lemali elifika ku £55 elikweledwa u Congress. Nizobona ukuthi izindleko zokuhamba zodwa nje zibe u £57, nemali yeholo lomsi zi wakhe u-£55 kulapho imali engenile ngamatikiti nangamagalelo ibe u £105. Izindleko zokuba nithunyelwe umbiko ngezangcingo konke loko kumsebenzi osindayo ku Mbhali wenu. Ngiyanicela ke nika enilapha ukuba silicime lelicala lika £55 kuwo lomhlangano. Sengishilo ukuthi kuhle sizithelise thina. Ngicela ama Khosi enze amagalelo khona manje lokuba licinywe lelicala, nawo umphakathi ubonise kubantu abawusebenzelayo ukuthi uyafuna umsebenzi wesizwe uye phambili.

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