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Tᵛ ’Ɔ"   З"]'" J̌'   I'ɔ   CꓕⁿꓕTᵛ.
Miao lad   good method marry sky maiden.

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Cɔ   ꓶⁿ   ]ⁿ Tᵤ   ]ᵛ   Y⁻ T'" Lⁿ   Ɔ-   Yⁿ
they say story that of old there was one

Lˀ   Tᵛ ’Ɔ"   Ɔᵤ   Y⁻   ꓕ"   Ꞁⁿᶜ.
classifier Miao lad went do farming completed.

Ɔ-   Yⁿ   ꓕᵤ   CꓕⁿꓕTᵛ   ʌ˟   ꓕ-   Cꓕ
there was one group sky-maidens flew come wash

Y⁻ Ꞁⁿ ꓕ'" Vᵤ   ]˟ Y"   ]ᵤ   Cⁿᵒ   Cɔ   Ꞁⁿᵒ
body into water pool which situated his plot

5   ]ⁿ Cꓕ˟   ꓕⁿ.   Cɔ   Ā   Cꓕ'   ]'" J̌'   I'ɔ   Yⁿ
    midst land. he want seek method bring one

Lˀ   CꓕⁿꓕTᵛ   Y⁻   Cɔ   Cˀ.   Y⁻   Lⁿ
classifier sky-maiden make his wife. make like

’Cᵛ   Y⁻ ꓕˀ   Cɔ   Ɔᵤ   Ꞁ'ⁿᶜ   Yⁿ   L-   Ĉ   Lₒ
day   after he went took one large basket come

Ꞁ'ɔ   Cɔ   ꓕ'"   ]ⁿ   Y⁻ CꓕᵛV   Y"   Ꞁⁿᶜ.   Cɔ
coop him   at yonder edge water completed. he

C-   ]ᵤ   CꓕⁿꓕTᵛ   ʌ˟   ꓕ-   Cꓕ   Y⁻ Ꞁⁿ,
look that sky maidens flew came wash body,

10 ꓕᵤ   C-   Cˀ Lˀ Lⁿ Ꞁ˟   З" Cꓕ".   Cɔ   C-
    then look bride one which good looking. he look

З"   ꓕ˟,   Cɔ Cⁿᵒ ꓕ⁻ Ꞁᵣ Vᵤ   Ɔᵤ   Ꞁ'ⁿᶜ Lˀ   ]ᵤ
well finish, he quietly went took one who

З"   ꓕ⁻ ꓕⁿᶜ Tᵛ Y⁻ ꓕⁿ Vᵤ   S˟.   Cɔ   ꓕᶜ Δᶜ
good very the wings hid away. he rushed out

Ꞁⁿᶜ   CꓕⁿꓕTᵛ.   CꓕⁿꓕTᵛ   ꓕ'⁻ Lˀ   Cⁿᶜ
surprised sky-maidens. sky-maidens every one each

Ꞁ'ⁿᶜ   Cⁿᶜ Y⁻ ꓕⁿ   ʌ˟   Δ⁻]" CꓕTᵛ Lᶜ.   Ꞁ-
took each wings flew go to sky gone. only

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there was the one who good very that not get

ꞏ her wings, not able fly to sky. she not get

ꞏ way do anything. she with Miao lad come make

ꞏ wife finish.

ꞏ time long finish, sky-maiden with Miao lad get

20 ꞏ have get two classifier sons who very big

ꞏ finish. Miao lad every day caused his wife go

ꞏ do work go to outside, Miao lad remain house.

ꞏ there was one day Miao lad went do work gone,

ꞏ caused his wife bring children remain house.

25 ꞏ day this sons with their mother want things

ꞏ which they every day took play that. their

ꞏ mother not know that them two classifier want

ꞏ what. them two classifier not able speak words

ꞏ yet, only able raise hands to upwards alone.

30 ꞏ their mother looked to upwards saw shelf

ᑕⁿᵒ   Ꭹⁿ   ᒧᵘ   Ⅴᵟ ᴛᵌ.   ᑕᵌ   ᑕⁿᶜ
situated   one   classifier   basket.   their   mother

ᗡ‖   ᒪ'ⁿᶜ   ᑕ‿.   ᒨᵒ   ᑕᵌ   ᑕⁿᶜ   Ꭹ⁻ ᴛⁿ   ᑕⁿᵒ.
went   take   look.   saw   their   mother   wings   situated.

ᑕᵌ   ᑕⁿᶜ   ᒪ'ⁿᶜ   ᒪᵒ   ᒥᵘ   ᑕᵌ   Ꭹ⁻
their   mother   took   come   divided   them   two

ᒧᵎ   Ꭹⁿ   ᒧᵎ   Ꭹⁿ   ᒎ'   Ꭹ⁻ ᴛⁿ   Ꮪᵟ,
classifier   one   classifier   one   feather   wing   away,

35   ᴛᵘ   ᒎ'⁻ ᠮ   ᑕᵌ   Ꭹ⁻   ᒧᵎ   ᒥⁿ,   ᗡⁿ
then   instructed   them   two   classifier   said,   you

Ꭹ⁻   ᒧᵎ   ᒪ⁻   Ꮟᵒ   ᴛᵟ   ᒪⁿ,   ᗡⁿ   Ꭹ⁻
two   classifier   if   big   finish   thus,   you   two

ᒧᵎ   ᴛ⁻   ᑕᴸ̄'   ᒎᵘ   ᐃ⁻   ᒎ" ᑕᴛᵘ   ᒥᵒ.
classifier   come   seek   me   go to   sky   exclamation.

ᑕᵌ   ᒥⁿ   ᴛᵟ   ᑕᵌ   ᑕⁿᶜ   Λᵟ   ᒪᶜ   ᴛᵟ.
she   say   finish   their   mother   flew   gone   finish.

Ꭹ⁻ ᒎᵎ   ᒪᵒ   ᑕᵌ   Ꭹ⁻   ᒧᵎ   Ꮟᵒ   ᴛᵟ,   ᑕᵌ
after   come   them   two   classifier   big   finish,   them

40   Ꭹ⁻   ᒧᵎ   ᒪ'ⁿᶜ   Ꭹ⁻ ᴛⁿ   ᒨᵘ   ᑕᵌ   ᑕⁿᶜ
two   classifier   took   wings   which   their   mother

ᗡ⁻   ᴛ'‴   ᑕᵌ   Ꭹ⁻   ᒧᵎ   ᒪᵒ,   ᑕᴛⁿ   ᴛ'‴
gave   to   them   two   classifier   come,   put on   to

Ꭹ⁻ ᒪⁿ ᒪᵒ   Λᵟ   ᗡ‖   ᒎ" ᑕᴛᵘ   ᑕᴸ̄'   ᑕᵌ   Ꭹ⁻   ᒧᵎ
arms,   flew   went   sky   seek   them   two   classifier

ᑕⁿᶜ.   ᴛ"   ᒨᵘ   ᴛᵒ   ᑕᵌ   Ꭹ⁻ Λᶜ   ᗡⁿ
mother.   when   that   reach   their   grandfather   plural

ᴛᵟ   Ꭹ̃,   ᑕᵌ   Ꭹ⁻ Λᶜ   ᑕᴸ̄'   ᵼ'⁻   Ɜᵟ
finish   there,   their   grandfather   sought   every   kind

45   ᒎ'" ᒎ'   ᒥⁿ ᵼᵌ   ᑕᵌ   ᒪᶜ.   ᒎ"   ᛁ'ᵌ ᑕᴛⁿ
method   intimidate   them   gone.   occasion   leading

ᑕᵌ   Ꭹ⁻ Λᶜ   ᛁ'ᵌ   ᑕᵌ Ꭹ⁻   ᒧᵎ   ᗡ‖
their   grandfather   took   them   two   classifier   went

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scatter   millet   for   them   two   classifier   pick up.

them   two   classifier   go   tell   them   two   classifier

mother.   their   mother   said,   not   worry,   I   can   seek

50   method   with   you   two   classifier   go   pick up.   their

mother   release   pigeons   with   go   pick up.   pick up

that   one   grain   all   not   have   away.   their

grandfather   said,   make   like   you   are   my   grandsons

truly.

55   occasion   after   them   two   classifier   grandfather

want   again   intimidate   them   two   classifier   go

burn   scrub.   them   two   classifier   then   went   with

their   mother   said,   grandfather   want   take   two

classifier   go   burn   scrub,   two   classifier   want   do

60   how.   their   mother   said,   you   two   classifier   go

seek   one   classifier   hole   rock.   enter   go   remain

with   inside   thus   not   fear   finish   exclamation.

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ᒪ them two classifier grandfather took them two

them two classifier grandfather took them two

classifier go, cause them two classifier thus

65 together go stay the midst forest. their

grandfather set burn scrub come below burn scrub

thus done finish, their grandfather called them

two classifier. them two classifier then replied

their grandfather. their grandfather said, make

70 like you are my grandsons truly.

occasion last their grandfather want again take

them two classifier go hide. them two classifier

go tell them two classifier mother. them two

classifier mother said, you two classifier with

75 you two classifier grandfather go, you two

classifier grandfather if go hide completed, you

two classifier go if see one classifier buffalo

thus, you two classifier go smooth say, our

grandfather situated here, our grandfather

80 situated here, exclamation. them two classifier

with their grandfather went. their grandfather

went made one classifier buffalo situated with

one classifier marsh. them two classifier went

saw. them two classifier said, our grandfather

85 situated here, our grandfather situated here.

them two classifier grandfather then said, you

are my grandsons truly, you are my grandsons

truly.