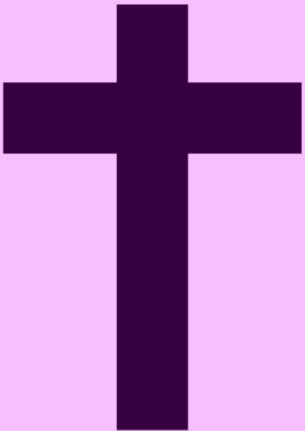


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#### *Tjiitju Tjitji Yutirringu*

<sup>1</sup> Yangka yirna Tjarlu yini Augustuspa nyinama ngurra tjarlungka Rometa. Paluru-tjananya tjarlu nyinama ngurra kutjupa-kutjupaku. Palurulu-tjananya watjarnu yiningku-ya wakalkuwa. <sup>2 3</sup> Tjarlu Augustustju-tjananya puntu kutjuwarra watjarnu yankuwa-ya ngurra walytjakutu yiningkuya wakalkuwa. Mularrpakili-ya pakarnu yanu yiningku-ya wakalkuwa.

<sup>4</sup> Josephtu ngurra Galileetjanu pakara yanu ngurra Judeakutu. Ngurra Nazarethjanu pakara yanu Bethlehemkutu. Kurrarlka Josephkurnu tjamu yini Davidpa tjitji yutirringu ngurrangka tjiingka. <sup>5-6</sup> Joseph Mary nyupararra-pula lurrtju yanu. Katji-pula warinykatingu Bethlehemta. Mary tjamunpa tjitji kanyilkuwa nyinama. <sup>7</sup> Kamu tjitjilpi yutirringu, palurukurnu katja kurraryulpi. Marylulpi warntu manu tjitji karrrpirnu ngarritjunu pulukikurnungka mangkalta. Tjiingkalta yarnangu-ya laltulpi-ya ngurrangka nyinama.

#### *Kukunyta Ngampurrpayiluya Wangka Palya Kulirnu*

<sup>8</sup> Ngurrangka tjiingka kintikili puntu-ya nyinama kukunyta ngampurru-tjananya kanyinma. <sup>9</sup> Pinkirrkulu kutju-tjananya yutirringu ngarama. Tili tjarluminyirri Mamakurnu yutirringu-tjananya. Kamu ngurlurringu-ya. <sup>10</sup> Pinkirrkulu wangkangu-tjananya, “Wiya nyurran ngurluriku. Kulila-rniya. Ngayu-rnangkuya warinykatingu wangkakulu palyakulu. Katji-ya ngatja yarnangu kutjuwarralu kulilkul ngurrkurrikuya. <sup>11</sup> Kuwarri Davidkurnu ngurrangka tjitji yutirringu ngalkinpangkuya nyuntunku laltuku. Paluru tjarluminyirri Mamakurnu. <sup>12</sup> Ngayulurnantaya watjalku miku nyurran walytjalu nyakuwa. Nyaku nyurran tjitji pulukikurnungka mangkalta ngarrima, yipilu warntungka karrpirnu ngarritjunu.”

<sup>13</sup> Tjiingkalpi-ya pinkirrkulu-ya laltu yalkuritjanu yutirringu ngurrkulu-ya Mama yinkarra marninypungama.

<sup>14</sup> “Mama palyaminyirri yalkuringka kankarra nyininpa.

Mama ngurrku nyinipa puntu laltuku miku-ya kurrrunpa palya nyinamalpa parnangka”

<sup>15</sup> Katji-ya pinkirrkulu marlaku yanu yalkuriikutu. Kamu kukunyta ngampurrpayilungkuya watjarnu, “Yanku-la Bethlehemkutu nyakuwa-la Mamalu-lanya watjarnu.”

<sup>16</sup> Mularrpakili-ya wala yanu nyakuwa-ya. Katji-ya warinykatingu-ya Bethlehemta parra-ya nyangama. Kamu-ya nyangu-ya Mary kamupulanya Josephpa nyinama. Kamu tjitji ngarrima pulukikurnungka mangkalta. <sup>17</sup> Katji-ya kukunyta ngampurrpayilu tjitji paluru nyangu. Yanu-tjananya puntu laltu parra watjanma tjakulpa pinkirrkululu watjarnu. <sup>18</sup> Katji-ya laltulu tjukuripa tjiitja kulirnu karratarringsuya. <sup>19</sup> Marylungku wulu kulinma pinkirrkululu wangkanytjatjanu.

<sup>20</sup> Kukunyta ngampurrpayi-ya marlaku yanu kukunytjakutu. Katji-ya yanu turlku-ya maa yinkalkatima-ya Mama marninypungama, kulirnu-ya nyangu tjiilanyatuka. Palunpa-ya wangkangu, “Mularrpakili pinkirrkululu-lanya mularrtu watjarnu.”