



# MUSIC PROJECT OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF KENYA 2019

*ALBUM .1. SONGS OF THE STRUGGLE*



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### Tafsiri ya CPK ya Wimbo wa Kimataifa

Zindukeni enyi wafanyakazi  
Nyanyukeni tokeni kifungoni  
Amkeni wafungwa kuweni macho  
Mwisho wa enzi za dhulmaaa

Ondokeni kwa na ushirikina  
Halaiki zindukeniiiiii  
Tuwachane na nyendo za zamani  
Kukuteni vumbi tujikomboeee

#### Korasi

Enyi ndugu na enyi dada  
Tupambane hadi mwisho  
Wimbo wetu wa kimataifa  
Na utuunganishe  
Wazalendo tushikaneni  
Tupambane hadi mwisho  
Wimbo wetu wa kimataifa  
Watuunganisha  
Wadhalimu wasitugawanye  
Wasipande chuki kati yetu  
Hata jeshi letu litaasi  
Kutumikia wanyanyasaji  
Hao walafi wakitujaribu  
Tutawatoa kafara sisi  
Tuko tayari kuwapiga risasi  
Majemedari wa ubepari

#### Korasi

Ukombozi hautoki mbinguni  
Wala huruma za wadhalimu  
Ni mkono wetu wa kulia  
Utakaong'oa visiki  
Na mizizi ya vita na chuki  
Na ulafi na wasiwasi  
Kila mtu ana jukumu lake  
Chuma hugongwa kingali moto

#### Korasi





## WE ARE WOMEN WE ARE STRONG - A song from the 1984 miners' strike by Mal Finch

### CHORUS

We are women, we are strong,  
We are fighting for our lives  
Side by side with our men  
Who work the nation's mines  
United by the struggle  
United by the past  
And it's - Here we go! Here we go!  
For the women of the working class.

#### Verse one

We don't need Government approval for anything we do  
We don't need their permission to have a point of view  
We don't need anyone to tell us what to think or say  
We've strength enough and wisdom of our own to go our own way

### CHORUS

#### Verse two

They talk about statistics, about the price of coal  
The price is our communities dying on the dole  
In fighting for our future we found ways to organise  
Where women's liberation failed to move, this strike has mobilised

### CHORUS

#### Verse three

Ours is a unity that threats can never breach  
Ours an education books and schools could never teach  
We face the taunts and the violence of Thatcher's thugs in blue  
When you're fighting for survival you've got nothing, nothing left to lose

### CHORUS

The words in red need to be localised. For example, I suggest that we replace "thatcher's" with "Kenya's".

The word "mines" can be replaced with "lands". Though ideally it should be replaced with a male dominated area.

We can replace "about the price of coal" with "about retrenching workers", replace "price" with "sack", and replacing "dole" with "streets"



**WIMBO WA MAPAMBANO** - Composed by Kang'ara wa Njambi and the Late Karimi Nduthu

1. Kupigwa na Kupokonywa Maisha Hakutatuzuia sisi Wananchi Kunyakua Uhuru wetu Na haki ya jasho letu... Jasho letu x 2
2. Tumekataa Kupiga Magoti Mbele ya hawa wauaji Bila shaka Sisi pia ni watu Hali ya utumwa tumeikataa... Kata Kata x2
3. Tutanyakua Mashamba yetu Tupiganie Uhuru wetu Tuikomboe elimu yetu Utamaduni na viwanda vyetu... Tukomboe x2
4. Sisi hatutaki kudhulumiwa Hatutaki tena Mauaji Ili Kupe Tuliangushe Haki Na Uhuru Zichanue... Zichanue x2

Uuhuru weetu!!! Kenya, Wakenya ; Uuhuru weetu Wakenya, Tupiganie! Na Haki Zetu!  
Katiba Yeetu! Mashamba Yeetu! Umoja Weetu!





**TUTASONGA KWA MAPINDUZI** – Originally done by NRM/A

**CHORUS**

Tuutasoonga kwa mapinduzi  
Tukomboe hii Kenya na wanainchi wote  
CPK tipe uwezo  
Tukomboe hii Keenya na wanainchi wotee

Mandera tutafika (kwa siasa nzuri)  
Moyale tutaenda  
Kanamkemer tutaingia

**CHORUS**

Kapenguria tutafika (kwa siasa nzuri)  
Maralali tutaenda  
Isiolo tutaingia

**CHORUS**

Wajia tutafika (kwa siasa nzuri)  
Meru tutaenda  
Laikipia tutaingia

**CHORUS**

Kabarneti tutafika (kwa siasa nzuri)  
Iteni tutaenda  
Kitale tutaingia



## BELLA CIAO

Una mattina, mi son svegliato  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
Una mattina, mi son svegliato  
Eo ho trovato l'invasor  
  
O partigiano, porta mi via  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
O partigiano, porta mi via  
Ke mi sento di morir  
  
E seio muoio, da partigiano  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
E seio muoio, da partigiano  
Tu mi devi seppellir  
  
Mi seppellire, lassùi montanya  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
Mi seppellire, lassùi montanya  
Sotto l'ombra di un bel fiore  
  
E le genti, che passeranno  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
E le genti, che passeranno  
Mi diranno: "Ke bel fior"  
  
È questoi fiore, del partigiano  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
È questoi fiore, del partigiano  
Morto per la libertà

## BELLA CIAO

*One morning I woke up  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
One morning I woke up  
And I found the invader  
  
Oh partisan, carry me away,  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
Oh partisan, carry me away,  
For I feel I'm dying  
  
And if I die as a partisan  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
And if I die as a partisan  
You have to bury me  
  
But bury me up in the mountain  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao, But  
bury me up in the mountain  
Under the shadow of a beautiful flower  
  
And the people who will pass by  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao, And the  
people who will pass by  
Will say to me: "what a beautiful flower  
  
This is the flower of the partisan  
O bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao  
This is the flower of the partisan  
Who died for freedom*



## VIVA AFRIKA

Viiiva Afrika (Viva Afrikaa)

Viiiva Afrika (Viva Afrikaa)

Viiiva Afrika (Viva Afrikaa)

Ooooh! Viiiva viiiva viva Afrika  
(Kasmall malizia hii bana)

## KALIMAMBO

Kalimaaambo kalimambo CPK

Kaaalimaaambo kalimambo CPK

Kaaalimambo kalimambo CPK

Kaalmambo CPK!

(Moto Sana)

Moto saanaa moto sana CPK

Moooto saanaa moto sana CPK

Moto saanaa moto sana CPK

Moto sana CPK!

(Tuupe njia)

Tupe njiiia tupe njia CPK

Tupe njiiia tupe njia CPK

Tupe njiiia tupe njia CPK

Tupe njia CPK!

(Yaakomboa)

Yakomboooo yakomboa CPK

Yakomboooo yakomboa CPK

Yakomboooo yakomboa CPK

Yakomboa CPK!



## TOYI TOYI

(Low Volume, increasing steadily)

Hai, Hai Hai  
Hai, Hai Hai  
Hai, Hai Hai  
Hai, Hai Hai

Form the Units? Hai!  
And fight! Hai Hai!  
Form the Units? Hai!  
And fight! Hai Hai!

Heita? Ta!  
Ta? Ta Ta!  
Heeeeita? Ta!  
Ta? Ta Ta!

(Full Volume)

CPK? Hai!  
Tumefika! Hai Hai!  
CPK? Hai!  
Tuko hapa! Hai Hai!

Hammer na Sickle? Hai!  
Ndio Alama! Hai Hai!  
Hammer na Sickle? Hai!  
Ndio Alama! Hai Hai!

Usoshialisti? Hai!  
Ndio Jibu! Hai Hai!  
Usoshialisti? Hai!  
Ndio Jibu! Hai Hai!  
Heeita! Ta!  
Ta? Ta Ta!



Ubepari? Hai!  
Kanyaga! Hai Hai!  
Ubinafsi? Hai!  
Kanyaga! Hai Hai!  
Ukabila? Hai!  
Kanyaga! Hai Hai!  
Privatisation? Hai!  
Kanyaaga! Hai Hai!  
Heeita! Ta!  
Ta? Ta Ta!

Wafanyi Kazi? Hai!  
Ndio Mooto! Hai Hai!  
Wakulima? Hai!  
Wako haapa! Hai Hai!  
Naa makada? Hai  
Tuko Imara! Hai Hai!  
Heeeeita! Ta!  
Ta? Ta Ta!

Unemployment! Hai!  
Maliza! Hai Hai!  
Umasikini! Hai!  
Maliza! Hai Hai!  
Unyonyaji! Hai!  
Maliza! Hai Hai!  
Hata oppression? Hai!  
Maliza! Hai Hai!  
Heeeeita! Ta!  
Ta? Ta Ta!  
Heeeeita! Ta!  
Ta? Ta Ta!



**LEO NI LEO**

**CHORUS**

Leeeo, leo ni leo Kuna mambo  
Leeeo, leo ni leo mapambano!  
Vijaaana, muusilale kuna mambo  
Wamama, tusimaame mapambano!

**CHORUS**

Wafanyikaaazi, muusilale kuna mambo  
Wanafunzi, tusimame mapambano!

**CHORUS**

Wakuliima, muusilale kuna mambo  
Wafugaaji, tusimame mapambano!

**CHORUS**

Wasanii, muusilale kuna mambo  
Wasomi, tusimame mapambano!  
(Populate further with other strata of the society)



**MEKATILILI NA MUTHONI** – (Slovo na Tambo by Amaqabane)  
(Intro)

Wamama wetu! Hauss!  
Ma fighter! Hauss Hauss!  
Wasichana wetu! Hauss!  
Ma cadre! Hass Hauss!  
Wanawake wetu! Hauss!  
Imara! Hauss Hauss!!

Oh Mekatilili ma Commander (ayaiya)  
Oh Mekatilili ma Commaaaa (ayaiya)  
Oh Mekatilili ma Commander (ayaiya)  
Oh Mekatilili ma Commaaander (ayaiya)



Wa Meeenza, Wa Meeenza! (ayaiya)  
Oh Mekatilili ma Commaaa (ayaiya)  
Wa Meeenza, Wa Meeenza! (ayaiya)  
Oh Mekatilili ma Commander (ayaiya)

Muthoni Nyanjiru ma Guerilla (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Nyanjiru ma Gueriiii (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Nyanjiru ma Guerilla (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Nyanjiru ma Gueriiilla (ayaiya)

Muthooni, Muthoooni! (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Nyanjiru ma Gueriiii (ayaiya)  
Muthooni, Muthoooni! (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Nyanjiru ma Guerilla (ayaiya)

#### -Explanatory Voice-



(Tunawakumbuka wamama wetu amabo walikataa unyanyasaji na unyonyaji. Tunamkumbuka mama Syombua!  
Hatuwezi msahau mama Moraa! Walipigana na wabeberu na kutuonyesha waafrika ni lazima wapambane!  
Hatuwezi wasahau wamama wetu wa freedom corner! Tunamkumbuka Wangari Mathai! Walimwambia dikteta  
Moi hataweza na



mwishowe aling'atuka! Tunamshukuru kwa njia spesheli mama yetu Miceere Mugo! Mwanamke mkomunisti  
asiyeogopa! Mwanamke aliye wasaidia wanafunzi wengi na vijana wengi kujikomboa ki akili ili kupigania  
haki za wafanyakazi na haki za umma! Mwanamke aliyalazimika kutorokea nchi za nje lakini katu hakukata  
tamaa! Tunamkumbuka Zarina! .....populate the list further..... )

Muthoni Kirima ma Commander (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Kirima ma Commaaaa (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Kirima ma Commander (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Kirima ma Commaander (ayaiya)

Muthooni, Muthoooni! (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Kirima ma Commaaa (ayaiya)  
Muthooni, Muthoooni! (ayaiya)  
Muthoni Kirima ma Commander (ayaiya)



### **AFRIKA NCHI YETU/ SIMAMA IMARA – Panafricanist Anthem**

Sisi watu wa Afriika  
Tunatakaa Kuunganaa  
Tujenge Taaifa Leetuu  
Lenye Nguvu na Umoja

Na lakini ni Lazimaaa  
Tusahau ulegevuu  
Unyang'anyii na Uchoyoo  
Hizo Zote Zinadhuruu

Twasimama kwa Ujamaaa  
Ndilo itiikadii leetu  
La kusimaama imaraaa  
Hilo ndilo lengo leetuu

#### **CHORUS**

Oh Afrika nchii yeetu  
Oh Afrika nchii yeetu  
Oh Afrika nchii yeetu  
Oh Afrika nchii yeetu  
Oh Afrika Nchi Yetu  
Sisi tu watoto wako  
Twajitoa kukulinda  
Oh Afrika nchi yetu

#### **CHORUS**

Oh Afrika nchii yeetu  
Oh Afrika nchii yeetu  
Oh Afrika nchii yeetu  
Oh Afrika nchii yeetu



## THIS MY RIFLE THIS MY GUN

(Intro)

We have to wage a big war against corruption and against tribalism in this country. We must fight neo-colonialism and imperialism until victory. For us to succeed, we must defeat Capitalism and build socialism.

for us to be sure of success, we must use two weapons; On our right hand we must hold the Constitution of our Country as our rifle, and on the left hand we must hold the Communist Party of Kenya as our gun.

This' my rifle and this' my gun!  
This' for fight and this for war!  
If I die in the battle field!  
Tell KARL MARX that I did my best!

Coz I am a Communist!  
Kwame was a great leader!  
Amilcar was a great thinker!  
Samora was a great fighter!  
Sankara was a great soldier!  
Hani was a great fighter!  
Mengey was a great leader!  
Makhan was a great leader!  
Abdurahaman was a great thinker!  
Bukaka was a great singer!  
Pinto was a great thinker!  
Castro was the greatest fighter!  
Castro was the greatest leader!

Am I right or wrong?  
(You right!)  
Am I right or wrong?  
(You're damn fucking right!)



## KAZI NGUMU TUNAYOIFANYA

Kazi ngumu tunayoifanya, na wananchi wenyewe  
Yakujenga CPK nakuieneza inchini

Kazi ngumu tunayoifanya, na wananchi wenyewe  
Yakujenga CPK nakuieneza inchini

Tunaijenga Kajiado, Tunaijenga Isiolo  
Tunaijenga Baringo nakuieneza inchini

Kazi ngumu tunayoifanya, na wananchi wenyewe  
Yakujenga CPK nakuieneza inchini

Tunaijenga Siaya, Tunaijenga Busia  
Tunaijenga Garissa nakuieneza inchini

Kazi ngumu tunayoifanya, na wananchi wenyewe  
Yakujenga CPK nakuieneza inchini

Tunaijenga Kitui, Tunaijenga Kilifi  
Tunaijenga Migori nakuieneza inchini

Kazi ngumu tunayoifanya, na wananchi wenyewe  
Yakujenga CPK nakuieneza inchini

Tunaijenga Nakuru, Tunaijenga Samburu  
Tunaijenga naMeru nakuieneza inchini

Kazi ngumu tunayoifanya, na wananchi wenyewe  
Yakujenga CPK nakuieneza inchini

Tunaijenga Nyamira, Tunaijenga Murang'a  
Tunaijenga Mombasa nakuieneza inchini

BONUS 1 (emotional---after the artists read the objectives of the Party and the Msimamo wetu)

BONUS 2 (jumpy---after the artists read the objectives of the Party and the Msimamo wetu)



