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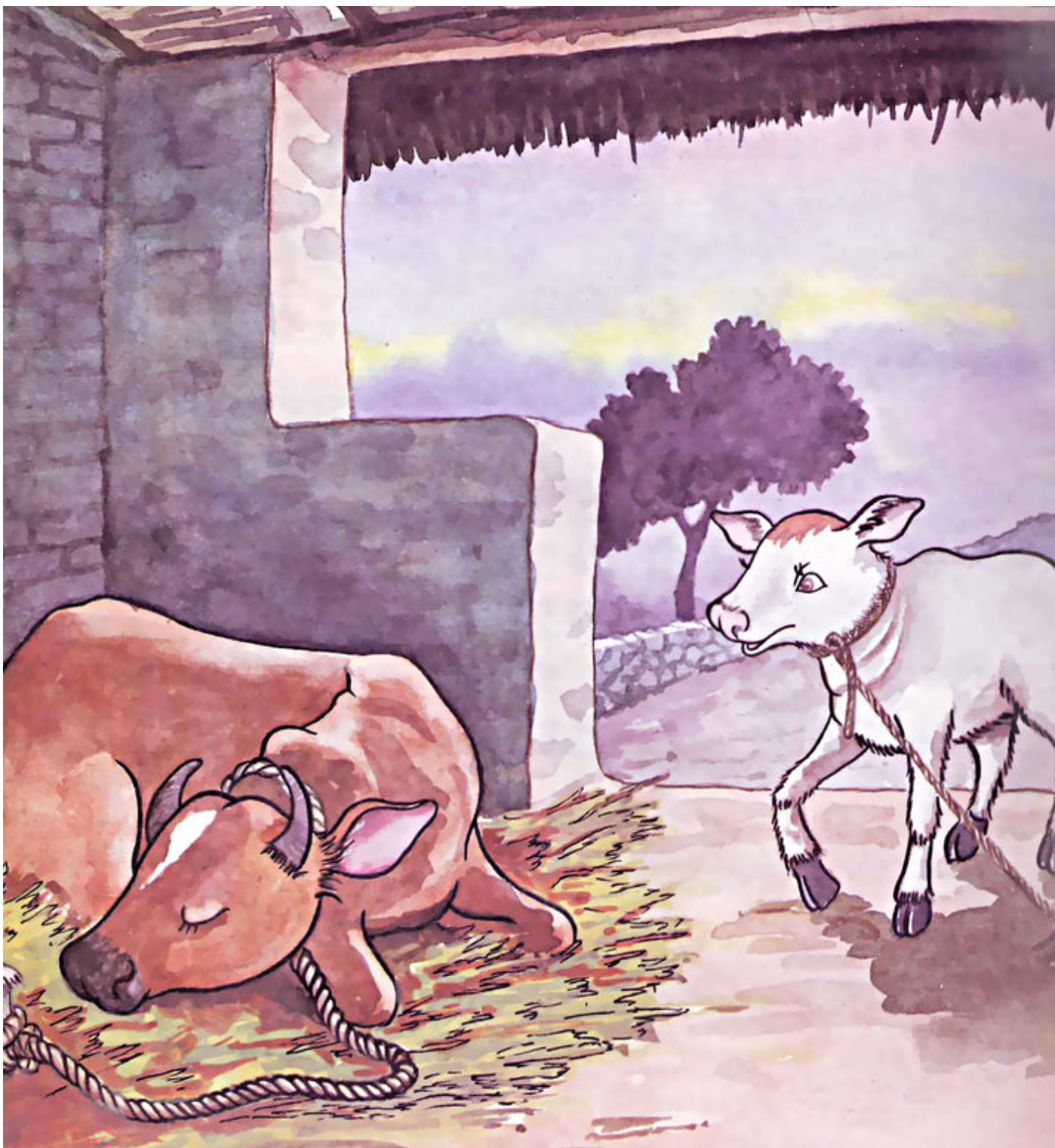
# The Calf Calls

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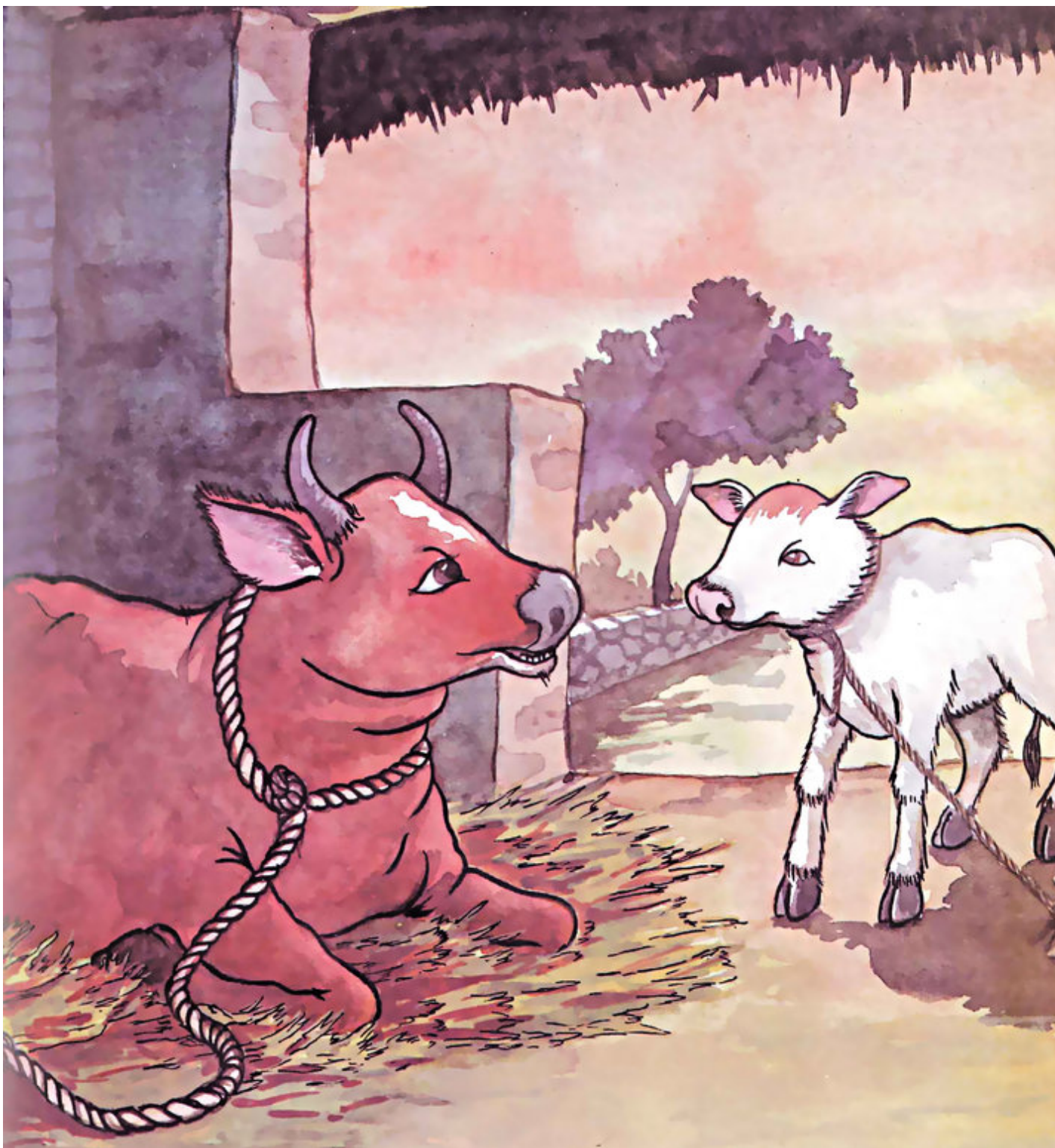




The night is gone, and  
the light is here. Good  
morning!

Sleep is gone, and  
hunger is here. Time  
for breakfast.





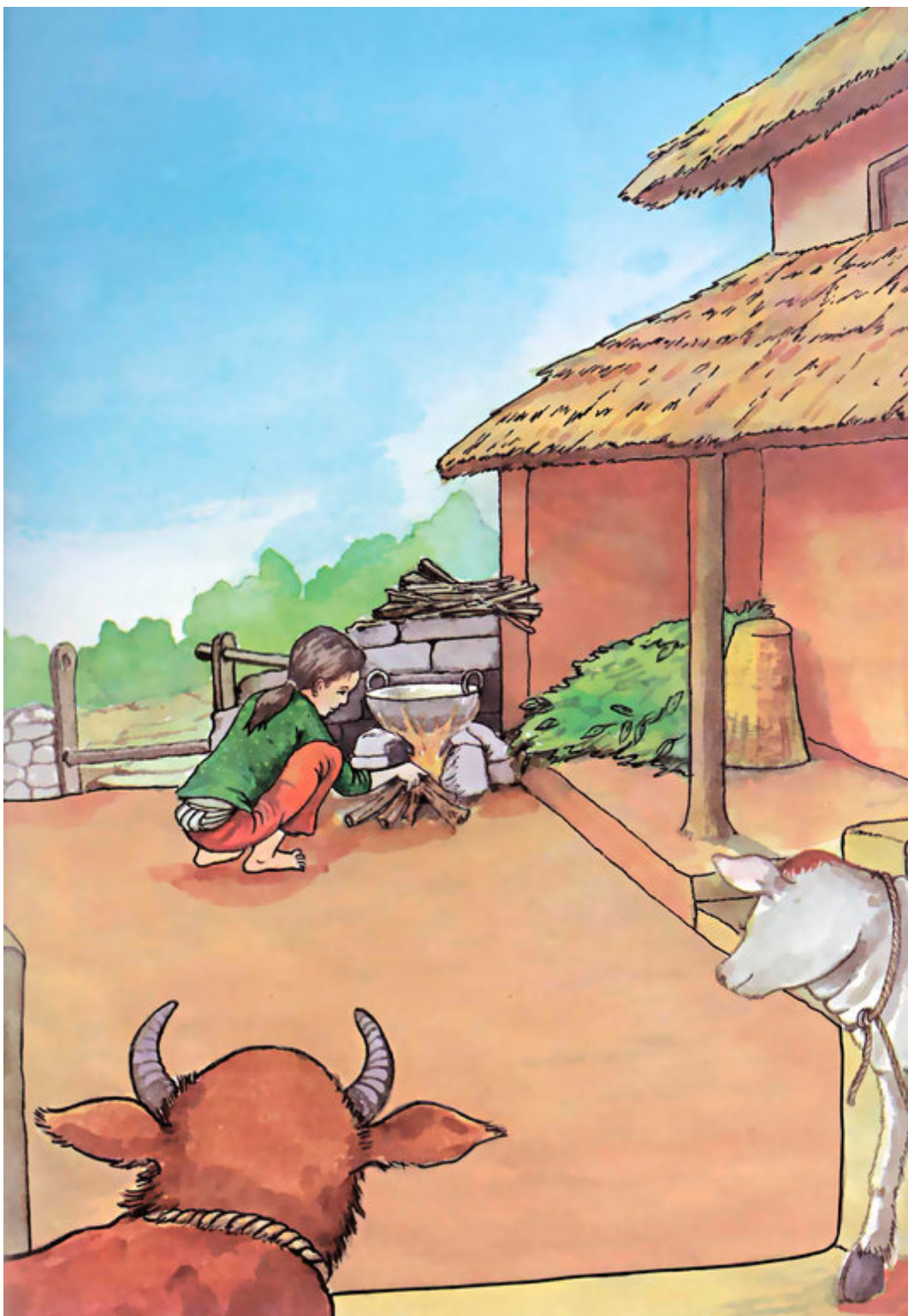
Mother says, "Thuli will come. She will unleash me. Wait, my little daughter, you may then drink my milk."





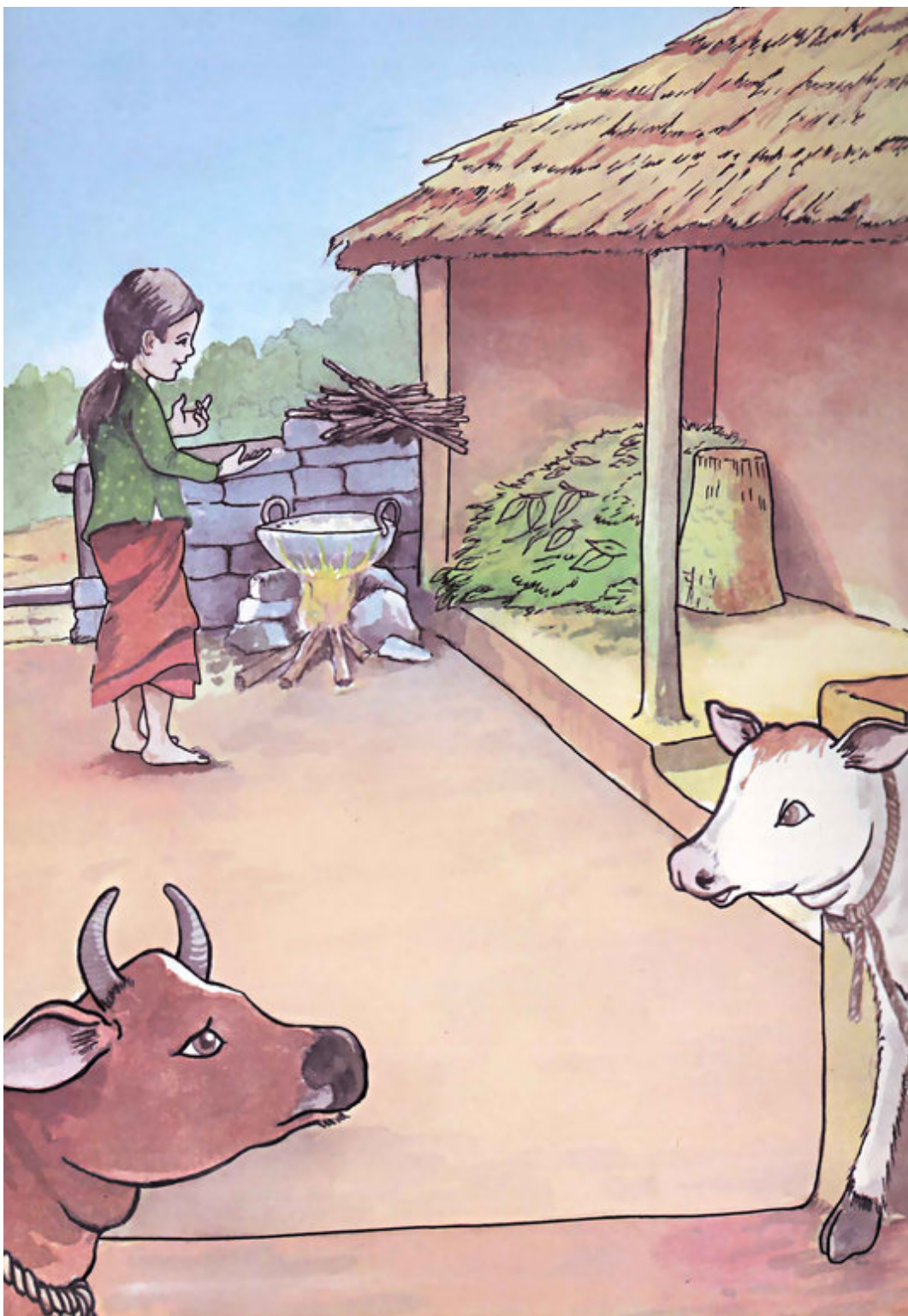
The sun rises and the door opens.

"There is Thuli, Mother. I'm hungry!" says the calf.



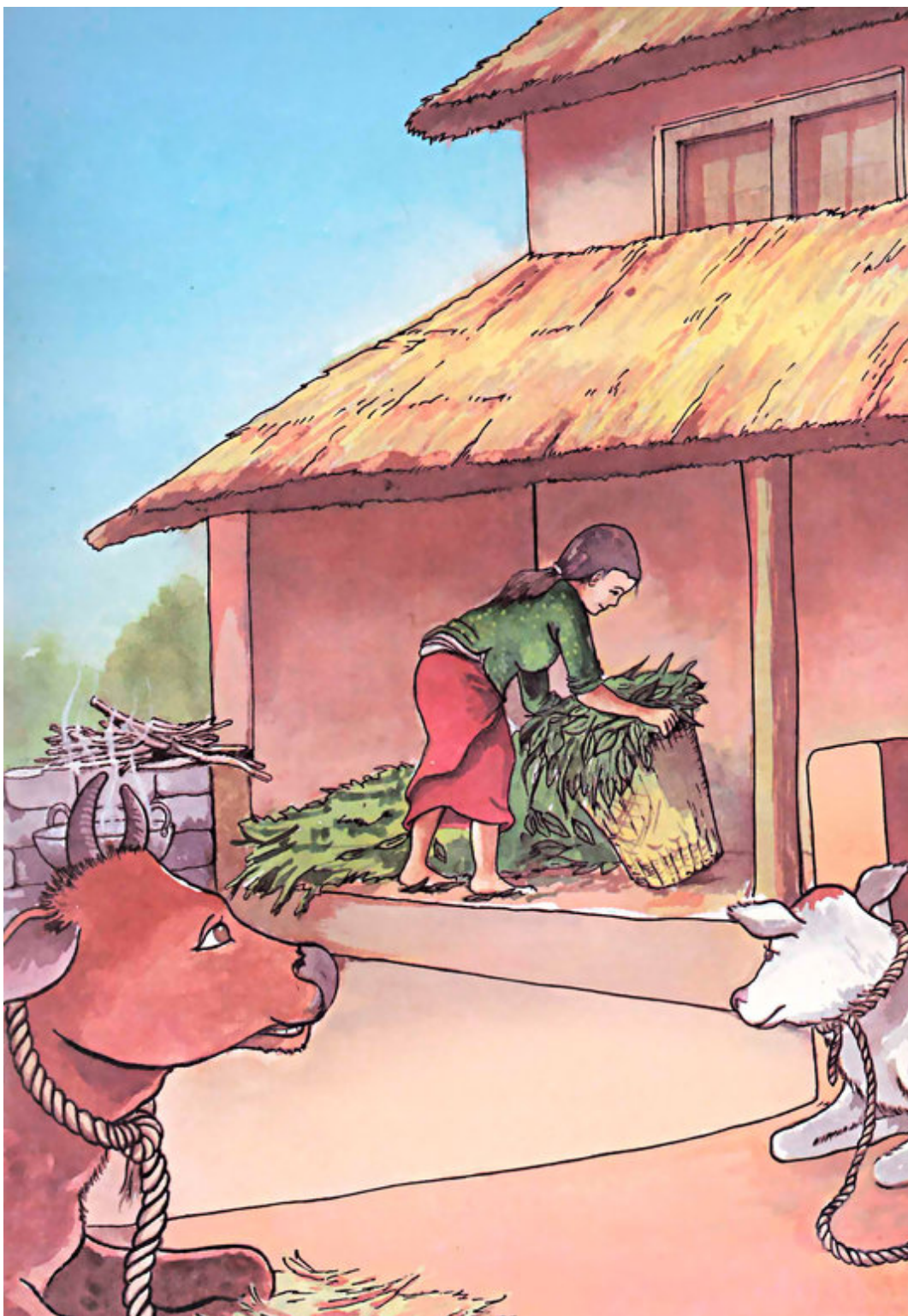
Thuli prepares the the fire to boil the feed for the cows. She hums to herself while she works.





Thuli lights up the fire and puts the feed on top to boil.

When will breakfast be ready?



Thuli begins to fill the basket with grass for the cows. They are getting hungrier and hungrier.



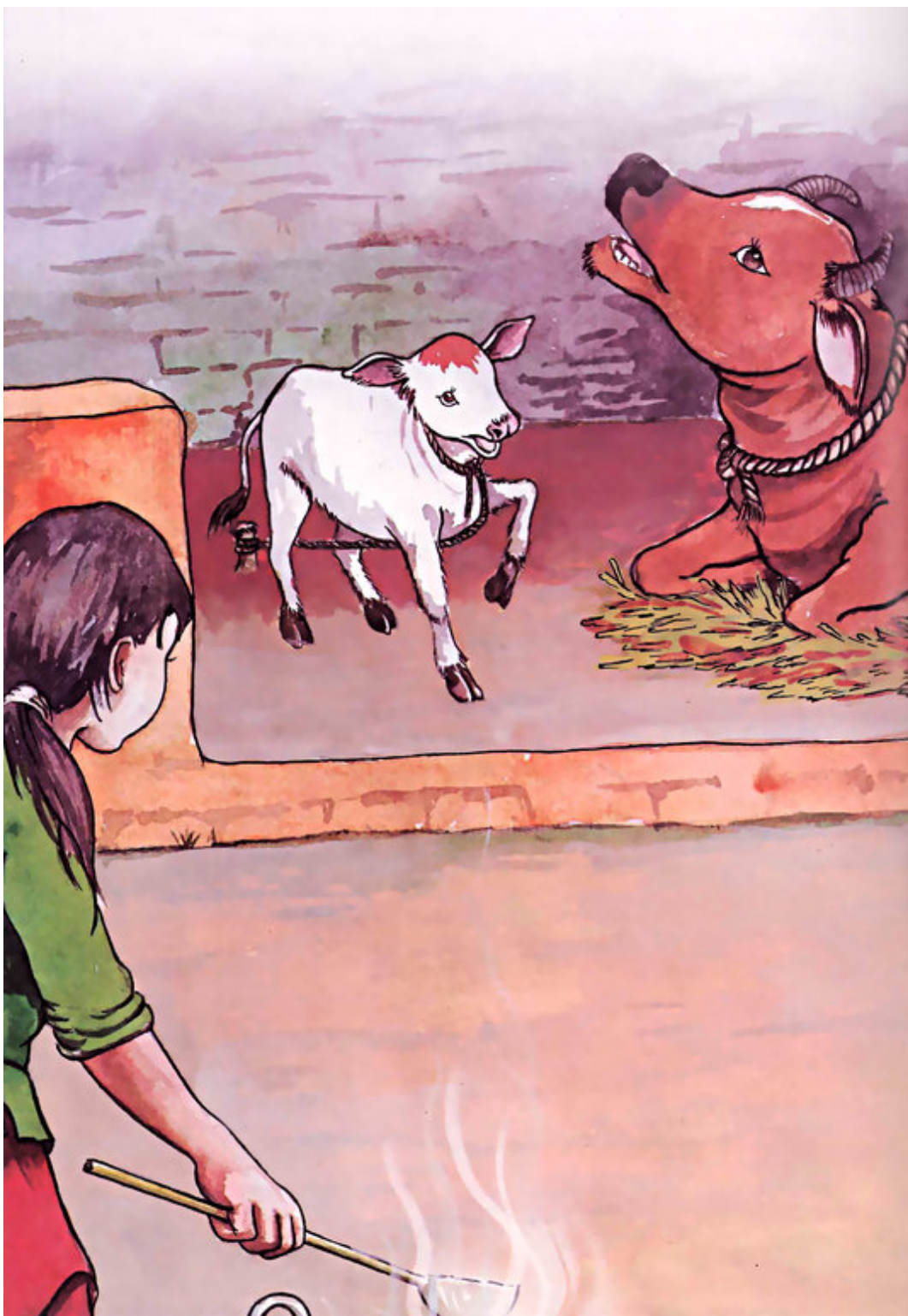


"I am getting hungrier and my heart is beating faster," says the calf. "She has not come yet! Mother, what will we do now?"





"Let's moo and moo and raise our heads," Mother says. "She will then remember, and then she will come."



"Moo, moo, moo! Thuli, where are you? I am hungry! Please come here now."





Finally, Thuli comes. She unleashes the cow and sets down the grass, and watches while the calf suckles her breakfast.





When the calf is full,  
it's time to milk the  
cow.

Now, when is lunch?



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# The Calf Calls

(English)

A little calf is hungry and is waiting for her mother, the cow, to feed her. But someone has to come to unleash the cow first! How long will the calf wait for her breakfast?

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