- (1) к1к1ирда-л1ай масхъар-ди б-ец1-е-ч1-о-б гьарк1а Karata_people-gen.pl joke-pl n-filled-pf-neg-ptcp-n eye 'Karata jokes Insatiable eye'
- (2) анщ це-б къва-пълъи-л в-окк-у идйа Мух1ама гидабда г1агарлъер time one-n moment-nM.obl-erg m-end_up-pf cop Mohamed all relatives бак1ара-б гури-р gather-n place-all 'One time Magomed went to a place where all his relatives were gathered.'
- (3) б-алъ-е идйа гьа-бай Мух1адй-а-р гъо-да hpl-begin-pf cop dem-hpl Mohamed-topo3-all speak-impf 'They began speaking to Magomed:'
- (4) гьинда-лълъи-л-ол гьошда ц1ц1ар-да къан-да кепй-а в-ук1-алъа when-nM.obl-erg-q this_way drink-impf eat-int happiness-topo3[loc] m-be-inf идйа-в сор-М 'How long can you keep enjoying yourself eating and driking this way?'
- (5) маг1ишат гагь-алъа къару б-аъ-а идйа=кье wealth do-inf moment n-reach-pf cop=quot 'The time has come for you to build a life.'
- (6) Мух1ама гале-ч1е в-угъ-о-в-хва в-ук1-а идйа хири кекь-ен идйа Моhamed speak-neg m-be-pf cop after speak-pf cop 'Having decided not to speak at first, he then said:'
- (7) гьера бишди ди-хъ-ел андук-и ден-а бишдй-а-р б-ас-инда-л now 2pl 1sg-topo5[loc]-add listen-imp[intr] 1sg-erg 2pl-topo3-all n-tell-impf-add це-б б-ик1в-а-б гьедела one-n n-be-pf-n thing 'Now you listen to me, I'll tell you a story that happened.'
- (8) в-ук1-а идйа в-ук1-а-ч1е идйа це-в гьек1ва хьогьо-б же-щу-б-да m-be-pf cop m-be-pf-neg cop one-M man good-n logo-m.obl[gen]-n-int маг1ишат идйа-в wealth cop-M 'There once was a good man with a lot of wealth.'
- (9) гьо-б гидабда ч1алг1-а-на гьо-щу-л мак1и-л к1к1ан-ан-хва гидабда dem-n all bother-pf-when.cvb dem-m.obl-erg child-add call-pf-[pf]cvb all бечелъер гьор-до-ч10 бакьи б-екъ-е идйа же-в-да-л wealth dem.pl-hpl.obl-topo1[loc] between n-share-pf cop logo-M-int-add

рах1атй-а в-ук1-а идйа quiet-topo3[loc] m-be-pf cop 'When he got tired of all of it, he called his children and divided his wealth among them, then he was at peace.'

- (10) амма гьо-щв-а рах1ат ч1алг1-ан идйа but dem-m.obl-topo3[loc] quiet annoy-pf cop 'But the peace started bothering him.'
- (11) хири-л в-алъ-е идйа гьо-в маг1ишат ге-да after-add m-begin-pf cop dem-M wealth do-impf 'So he started again accumulating wealth.'
- (12) б-ик1в-а-б гагь-о-д-о-б бечельер гьерал гьо-щв-а теь-а идйа n-be-pf-n do-pf-impf-ptcp-n wealth again dem-m.obl-topo3[loc] obtain-pf cop амма гьо-щв-а гьо-б къора-а-да б-ик1в-а гьач1е but dem-m.obl-topo3[loc] dem-n want-pf n-be-pf cop.neg 'He was successful at accumulating wealth again, but this didn't fulfil him really (lit. but he didn't receive his desire)'
- (13) ссиме-л б-аъ-а гьо-щу-л гъарди-гал унщи-л багь-е гьарк1-ай anger-add n-reach-pf dem-m.obl-erg earth[loc]-abl land-add take-pf eye-pl хъохъоб-е идйа rub-pf сор

 'Then he took the earth in his hands and rubbed his eyes with it, saying:'
- (14) p-eu1-u fumdu p-eu1-u fumdu nH+-filled-imp[intr] 2pl nH+-filled-imp[intr] 2pl 'Be satisfied, be satisfied!'
- (15) =κυe =quot
- (16) ди-рай гьарк1-ай г1агаро-бай г1анди гьинда-г1аги-да р-ец1-о-р-ай 1sg-nH+ eye-pl relative-hpl people when-indef-int nH+-filled-ptcp-nH+-pl идйа=кье б-ахъ-ан идйа гьо-щу-л ххабар cop=quot n-end-pf cop dem-m.obl-erg news '-My eyes, dear relatives, were always full, he ended his story. '