

ŕimtii: \_\_\_\_\_

ńaas: \_\_\_\_\_

**A Prayer**

haaľap ńawaaľ,  
 ńaakoo hin ŕuyiyyiik ńaasŕii.  
 ńaakšiŕs hupii k<sup>w</sup>ačŕiiqčk.  
 ńaakoo waasiiš suutiľ.  
 čuu.

O Creator,  
 thank you for giving the day.  
 Please help me to do right.  
 I say thank you.  
 Amen.

**Words**

ciciqink	<i>tsit-tsic-kink</i>	pray
ńaas	<i>noss</i>	day, Creator
ńawiiľ	<i>hhah-wilth</i>	chief
haaľap ńawiiľ	<i>hah-thlup hhah-wilth-ee</i>	the Creator
haaľap ńawaaľ	<i>hah-thlup hhah-wolth</i>	O Creator!
waakaašuuľay	<i>wah-kah-shoo-tlye</i>	praise to the Creator
ńaakšiľ	<i>thlock-shitľ</i>	please
ńaakńaak	<i>thlock-thlock</i>	pleading
ńaakoo	<i>tlah-koe</i>	thank you
ŕuyii	<i>oo-yee</i>	give
hiniľ	<i>hin-nee</i>	give
hupii	<i>hoo-pee</i>	help
k <sup>w</sup> ačŕii	<i>kwuch-ee</i>	do right

**Phrases**

ńaakšiŕs hupii.	Please help me.
hupiiŕs ńaakšiľ.	Please help me.
ńaakoo waasiiš suutiľ.	I say thank you.
ńaakoo waaniiš suutiľ.	We say thank you.
ńaakoo ŕin tiičapiik siičiiľ.	Thank you for my life.
ńaakoo ŕin ŕuyiyyiik ńaasŕii.	Thank you for giving the day.
ńaakoo ŕin hiniyyiik ńaasŕii.	Thank you for giving the day.
ńaakšiŕin huľay ciciqkqin.	Please give us back our language.

**Exercises**

1. Write a prayer to use every day.
2. Write a prayer giving thanks for something special.