

RUMBA CHANGÓ

Wure wure ko're Ìrókò
²Ìrókò lò kéké
 Àràbà ilè kò rí ààbà nya
²ààbà nya mì tìtì
 olú kòso
 àlà màlà dé

²Iná bú káka
 mà wòó

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 Mà wòó

Iná bú káka...

Implore blessings, but not the blessings of Ìrókò
 Ìrókò is ground by the borer beetle
 the cottontree in the earth does not see the magic staple tearing at it
 The magic staple is tearing it, shaking it violently
 Chief who did not hang
 dazzling whiteness arrives

The fire roars violently
 indeed behold

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 Indeed behold

The fire roars violently...

E! E!
²Elube Changó

E! E!
 Elube amala

E! E!
 Elube ajapa

E! E!
 Elube Oyá

E! E!
 Elube batá

E! E!...

²Elube 'lube yo gbala
²*Elube 'lube yo gbala*

Elube 'lube yo gbala
Elube 'lube yo gbala...

E! E!
 Brilliant red indigo, Changó

E! E!
 Brilliant red indigo, yam porridge

E! E!
 Brilliant red indigo, turtle

E! E!
 Brilliant red indigo, tearer

E! E!
 Brilliant red indigo, batá

E! E!...

Brilliant red indigo is happy to save us
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Brilliant red indigo is happy to save us...

⁵E a
Changó bu'ti awa

⁵E a
Changó bu'ti awa

E a
Changó la ma la 'mala

E a
Changó yo nse mi

E a
Changó bu'ti awa

E a...

Ah!
Changó scoops up our wine

Ah!
Changó scoops up our wine

Ah!
Changó always licks yam porridge

Ah!
Changó is satisfied with my cooking

Ah!
Changó scoops up our wine

Ah!...

E ae ae ae
E ae, e ae

E ae ae ae
E ae, e ae...

E ae ae ae
E ae, e ae

E ae ae ae
E ae, e ae...
