POWERFUL

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Ibukun is seated on the ground. There is a small log and a big log on one of her legs.

Ibukun: Help! Someone should please help me. Help.

Lanre: (*Comes in*) What's the problem?

Ibukun: I can't move my leg. The branches are on my leg.

Lanre: Oh! Sorry. Let me help you. (Tries to move the small branch, but

not strong enough). I'm sorry. I will try to get someone to help you.

(Leaves)

Ibukun: Why did I have to come here today? I know the rain was very heavy

overnight, but it had stopped. I really wanted to enjoy the beauty and quietness of this place. How was I to know that there were many

loose branches? (Pauses) Help!

Moni: (Comes in) Eeyah. How did this branch fall on you? Let me help

you. (Moves the first one with a little effort. Tries to move the second one but couldn't.) I'm sorry, this one is too heavy for me to move. I

have to go now. (Leaves)

Ibukun: God, please send help, someone who can move this heavy branch.

I'm in serious pain.

Henry: (Comes in) Sorry o. What happened? Let me help you move this

branch.

Ibukun: Thank you. I was walking through when the wind blew and the

branches fell on me. Someone helped remove the first one but

couldn't remove the second one.

Henry: (*Tries to move the branch but couldn't. He pauses and looks up*) Holy

Spirit please help me to help this person. (Pauses.) Thank you Holy Spirit. (He looks around and sees what he needs. He takes a big stone and carries it to where Ibukun is.) When I lift the branch, push the

stone here, near your leg. I will then lift the other side. You should be able to pull your leg out.

Ibukun: Okay.

Henry lifts the log and Ibukun put the stone. He then lifts the other side and she pulls her leg out.

Ibukun: Thank you very much.

Henry: You're welcome. Let me help you to where you can get medical help.

(He supports her, standing by the side of the leg that was injured.)