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## Boyash

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00:00:00,880 --> 00:00:04,840

Șî-n, în îșkulă ai știút,

2

00:00:04,840 --> 00:00:10,480

înaînte de îșkulă ai știút ùngurêște sau nu ai știut?

3

00:00:10,480 --> 00:00:16,600

Haaa, maî dă-múlt nu bá șî șcié ùngurêșce.

4

00:00:16,600 --> 00:00:21,960

La noi înca, înca, înca băieșășce sfăté,

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00:00:21,960 --> 00:00:23,320

da gróu mi-ra mi,

6

00:00:23,320 --> 00:00:28,280

că îo úmbra, gróu mi-ra mi să sfătásc ùngurêșce.

7

00:00:28,280 --> 00:00:29,280

Nu sa nu la ásta-nvățát

8

00:00:29,280 --> 00:00:32,800

șî róu múltă dóbă, róu múltă dóbă,

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00:00:32,800 --> 00:00:37,400

cupíi, álți cupí, șî nu șcié ùngurêșce.

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00:00:37,400 --> 00:00:41,840

## English translation

1

00:00:00,880 --> 00:00:04,840

And in school,

2

00:00:04,840 --> 00:00:10,480

before school, could you speak Hungarian?

3

00:00:10,480 --> 00:00:16,600

Long ago the the Boyash could not speak Hungarian.

4

00:00:16,600 --> 00:00:21,960

We only spoke Boyash.

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00:00:21,960 --> 00:00:23,320

It was difficult for me

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00:00:23,320 --> 00:00:28,280

as I was going, difficult to speak Hungarian.

7

00:00:28,280 --> 00:00:30,120

I did not learn it.

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00:00:30,120 --> 00:00:32,800

For a long time, for a very long time,

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the children, other children could not speak Hungarian

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## VLACH Transcriptions

Acúmare iără, câr ûngurêşçe sfătêşçe,

and now, they only speak Hungarian

11

00:00:41,840 --> 00:00:46,680

câr băieşşçe nu şcîe, cupîi d-âcu.

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00:00:41,840 --> 00:00:46,680

and cannot speak Boyash.

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00:00:46,680 --> 00:00:49,120

Rôu mult nu şcîe.

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00:00:46,680 --> 00:00:49,120

So many cannot.

13

00:00:49,120 --> 00:00:50,560

Nîş a mîeu cupîl.

13

00:00:49,120 --> 00:00:50,560

Not even my child can.

14

00:00:50,560 --> 00:00:52,720

Îşçe că prişêpe

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00:00:50,560 --> 00:00:52,720

There are things he understands,

15

00:00:52,720 --> 00:00:57,640

da nu şcîe cum trêbe să-m spuîe-napôî.

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00:00:52,720 --> 00:00:57,640

but he cannot reply.

16

00:00:57,640 --> 00:01:02,320

Nu şcîe, da mîlce vôrbe dă miî-ntrăbă

16

00:00:57,640 --> 00:01:02,320

He does not know, but keeps asking,

17

00:01:02,320 --> 00:01:05,840

şéî áîe, văt ş-am zîs?

17

00:01:02,320 --> 00:01:05,840

what is this, what have I said?