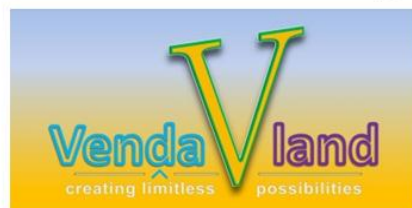


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Musidzana wa muvenda



I am Venda
daughter of the "indomitable gauls"
The last of South Africa's indigenous people
to lose their independence.
An offspring of the story tellers.
Born and raised in the mystical world of myth
and legends.

Notice my humbleness, my trader roots.
My elephant spirit that symbolises power and
brought me independence. My drum rhythm
that fortells the story of a place where the
sound of the phalaphala echoes, where the
mbila harmonises with the birds of the
Thathe-Vondo Forest.

Where the ruin of DZATA narrates the
memory of the united venda, a kindom built of
blue stone. Now that is my DNA
VENDA AND PROUD!!!



*Mukundi
Munyai*

Mukundi comes from Khubvi. She turns 6 years in November and She likes Venda tradition from food to clothing. She always feels good in Tshivenda tradition attire and colours. Little mukundi attends school at Mbulu primary school in Khubvi Village currently in Grade R.



*I am proud to be a muvenda woman
because i have been taught respect, values
and norms, I know the indigenous
knowledge because our grandmothers never
neglected where they come from, and am
glad that knowledge is being imparted to us.
I am from Nzhelele siloam...Aaaa!*

Matodzi mutsharini



*Ndi nwana wa Vhatwanamba
vha tshivhula na Vhatavhatsindi
vha Nethengwe, vhaha malowa
vhano lowa na mufhiri wa
gondo.. I am very proud of my
culture and it's rituals. Ndi
wanala kha la middelburg nga
mushumo. Hayani ndi khomele,
Folovhodwe, Thengwe na
western... Ndaa*

Tshavhuyo Marius Moses



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*Aaaaa Vhavenda vha hashu, nne
ndipfi Kgaugelo Junior ndi muPedi.
Hu to u vha uri ndi tou funesa
Zwiambaro zwa vhaVenda, nga
vhudulo ndi bva kha la Bulugwani
(Polokwane). Sialala la vhaVenda
ndila vhudi...*



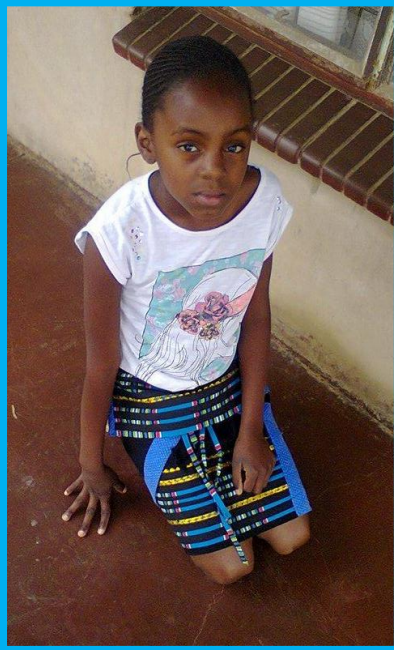
Kgaugelo Junior



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*Tulelo u dzula Makhado
haSinthumule Madombidzha. U
dovha haphu a funa zwothe zwa
Venda ngauri o aluchela hone,u
kha grade4. U dzhena tshikolo
Madombidzha primary and next
month on the 30th of October
she will be turning 10yrs...*

Tumelo Magwai



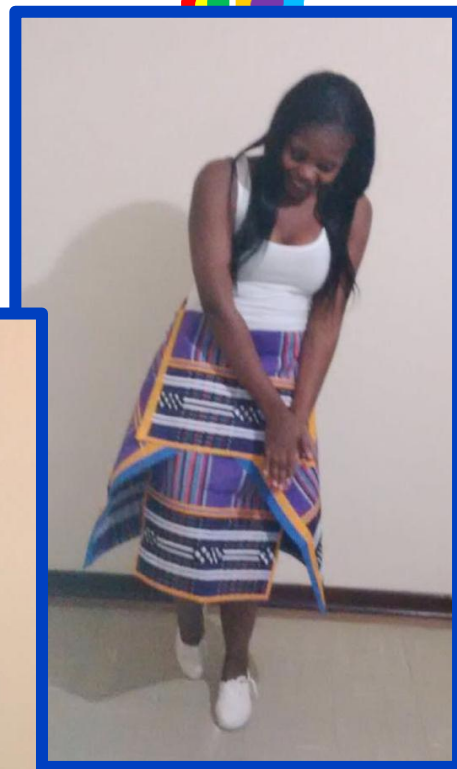
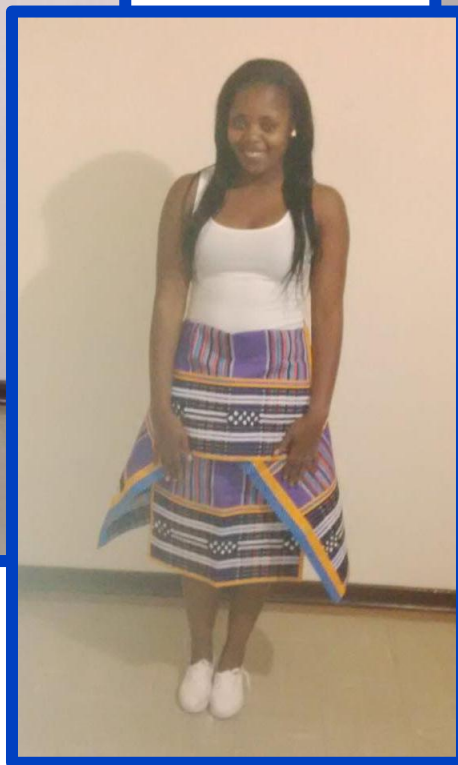
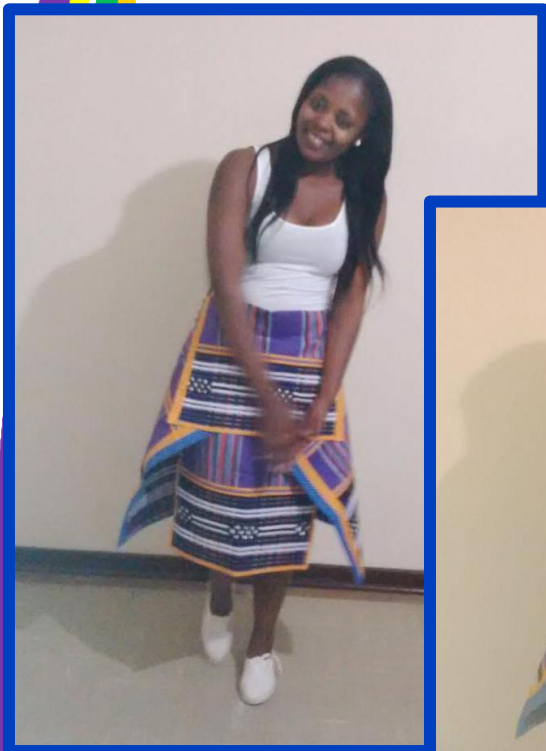
Khuthadzo madula

*Ndi muvenda anobva
tshakhuma tsha
hamadzivhandila shango
lidala lononaho lisaladzi
nwana na ndala.
Musidzana wa muvenda
wa lukanda lutsu
lupenyelelaho ngaula
miroho na mitshelo.
Muvenda anodihudza
ngauamba tshivenda
kwayo. Muvenda asa
shandukiswi nga fhethu,
nyimele na tshifhinga.
Ndidihudza ngauvha
muvenda wa
thompho,vhuthu na
vhulenda.*



Mukhethwa Ramashidzha

24 years old Mukhethwa Ramashidzha comes from Tshitandani (Louis Trichardt). She is humble, respectful and full of love. She is a true and proud Venda lady. She always finds a reason to smile.





NDIVHUWO TSHIKOTA

My name is Ndivhuwo Tshikota. Born and grew up at Mandiwana village (Nzhelele). 19 years old . Currently studying towards a law degree at the university of the Western Cape. I'm proud of my culture. I was also so proud to represent Vendas at the Students' Christian Organization- University of The Western Cape, people loved my traditional attire. Aa!

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Am Jane Mmutlane and 35yrs old, married, have one child and her name is Faith(also in the picture). She is 9 years we are from Pretoria(Nellmapius) and we now staying in Greece. We celebrated Heritage day last night.

Jane Mmutlane



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Ndi Oritonda and wa ha...Rambuda tshiwa nga matembele, tshori uwa tsha tshingamela bakoni la vhadinda. Singo, mueneulu, vhalisa vha mbudzi tshitwela vha no vhuya nga duvha u kovhela, muduhulu wa Thohoyandou...and i just love who i am and i love my culture, for it is deeply rooted and it distinguishes us from other cultures.it reminds us of who we are and that we are beautiful...

Oritonda Rambuda

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Fitting her very first traditional outfit for heritage day, Roana is 5 years old and doing grade R at sparks shool in Randburg. She is the only venda child in her class and thats why they chose to all dress in venda tradition.

Roana Mudzanani





Mudzanani Asivhonzhi

*I am just a simple , proud venda,
humble, loving , caring and fun
lady and above all God fearing ,
im always spiritual guided and
believe in Prayer that changes
everything . I stay in Cosmo and
work in Randburg...*

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