

Lyrics for 'Wakili' by Seckou Keita, from Homeland: Chapter 1

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Ya mira ita no la
hakilo ye nio soso
Ni man wili silo sé dianfa

Ka la ila lana ya la
kala ifan ma la
Kana la béla bi

Chorus

Issi wakili bi tilo
Issi wakili sama Tilo
Issi wakili wato bé changer
changer changer

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Fan dioubé yé fan Kanu
ni téw no ye fan bougna
Ni téw no ye fan dia yii
Ka fanko kafou ifan ma

I dioubé yé dioubé yé fan Kanu
A dioubé yé dioubé yé fan dia yii
A dioubé yé dioubé yé fan bougna
Ka fanko kafou ifan ma

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Wili yé diato dioubé
Ka ta yé fan samba
Kana guoma l nia lo
Sin coumba kan

Ka la ila lana ya la
kala ifan ma la
Kana la béla bi

Chorus

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You think you can't
You have some doubts
Your journey might take longer
if you don't get up and stand up for yourself

Believe in your own instincts
Believe in yourself
Don't always believe others, nowadays

Chorus

Try it today
Try it tomorrow
Try it everyday
Go through the changes

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2/

Look up to yourself and love yourself
If you can't, then respect yourself
If you can't do that then encourage yourself
Or at least try to lift yourself up.

Stand up and look forward
Go for it
Carry yourself again
Don't look back
Keep looking up and forward

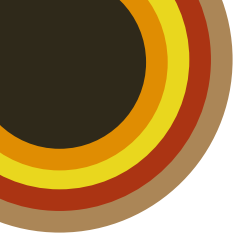
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4 bars instrumental

I can do it
You can do it
We can do it
They can do it

I can do it
You can do it
We can do it
They can do it

4/

Kilin wolo kili tin bulu dian
Fula fula ba la koré to
Saba won tara na sabaro to
Nani nben na nané to

Chorus

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SOLO VOCAL

I can do it
You can do it
We can do it
They can do it

I can do it
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We can do it
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One I don't have the right one
Two I need two moments to turn -
Three I will lay under this tree
Four push forward and be happy where I am

Chorus

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