

You have been called to witness

si'em'tun, si'em'tun si'em' nu shhwum'nikw' hwiiyuneem'stam 'ukw' sqwel si'em' .
si'em'tun, si'em'tun my respected uncle you have been called to witness.

q'ulisuluq, q'ulisuluq, nu shhw'aqw'a' hwiiyuneem'stam 'ukw' sqwel.
q'ulisuluq, q'ulisuluq my brother you have been called to witness.

ey'uluq, ey'uluq nu stiwun hwiiyuneem'stam.
ey'uluq, ey'uluq you will listen

Calling their attention

**hay' kwu'elh tu lhwulup ni' hwiiyuneem'stam. yuw'en' yuhw tse' kwunus
ts'uyulhnamutstuhw tu shqweluwuns nu shhwum'ne'lukw,nu shhw'a'luqw'a' 'u tun'a
hwune'nut.**

*to all those called to witness. First I will thank you on behalf of my aunts,uncles and my brothers
and sisters this evening.*

One work

Ah sii'em' tu lhwulup ni' hwiiyuneem'stam. 'uw' nuts'a' 'ul' syaays tun'a hwune'nut.
to all those called to witness. There will be one work tonight.

He/she will lay down the respect

**nilh tse' lheq'ut tu hay 'ul' si'em' shqweluwuns, q'unq'in'umel's shqweluwuns,
ts'ets'uwlhtun' shqweluwuns. skw'ey' kwus 'i' 'uw' 'uwu stutul'een'u, sii'em' nu siiye'yu.**
*He/she will lay down the respected feelings. Returning feelings, helping feelings. We can't go
without informing you My respected relatives.*