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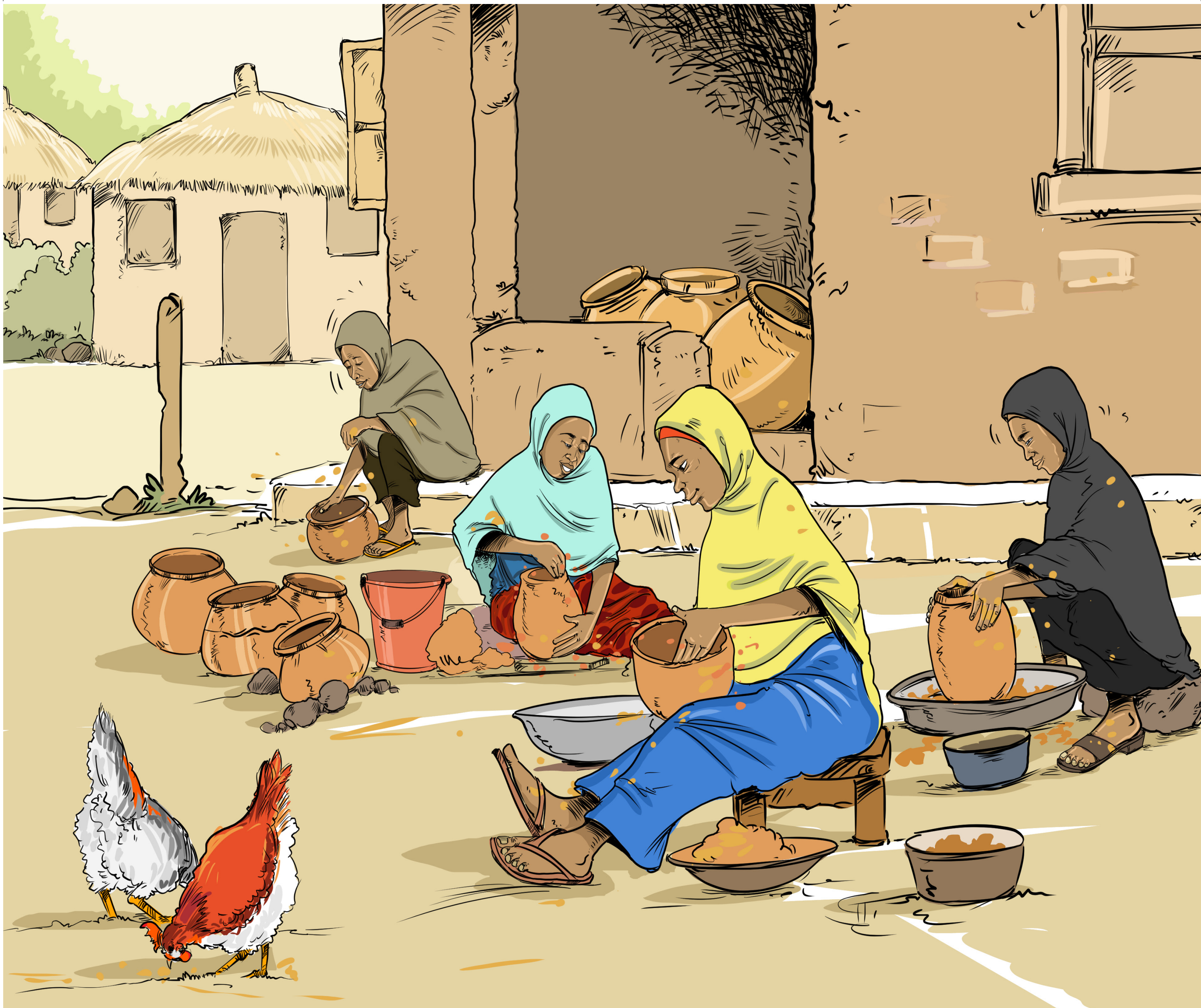


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For as long as we can remember, in a village called Kwali, women made pots.



Grandmothers and mothers
made pots in Kwali Village.



The children liked to play as the women made the pots.



One day, a young girl named Ladi made a pot.



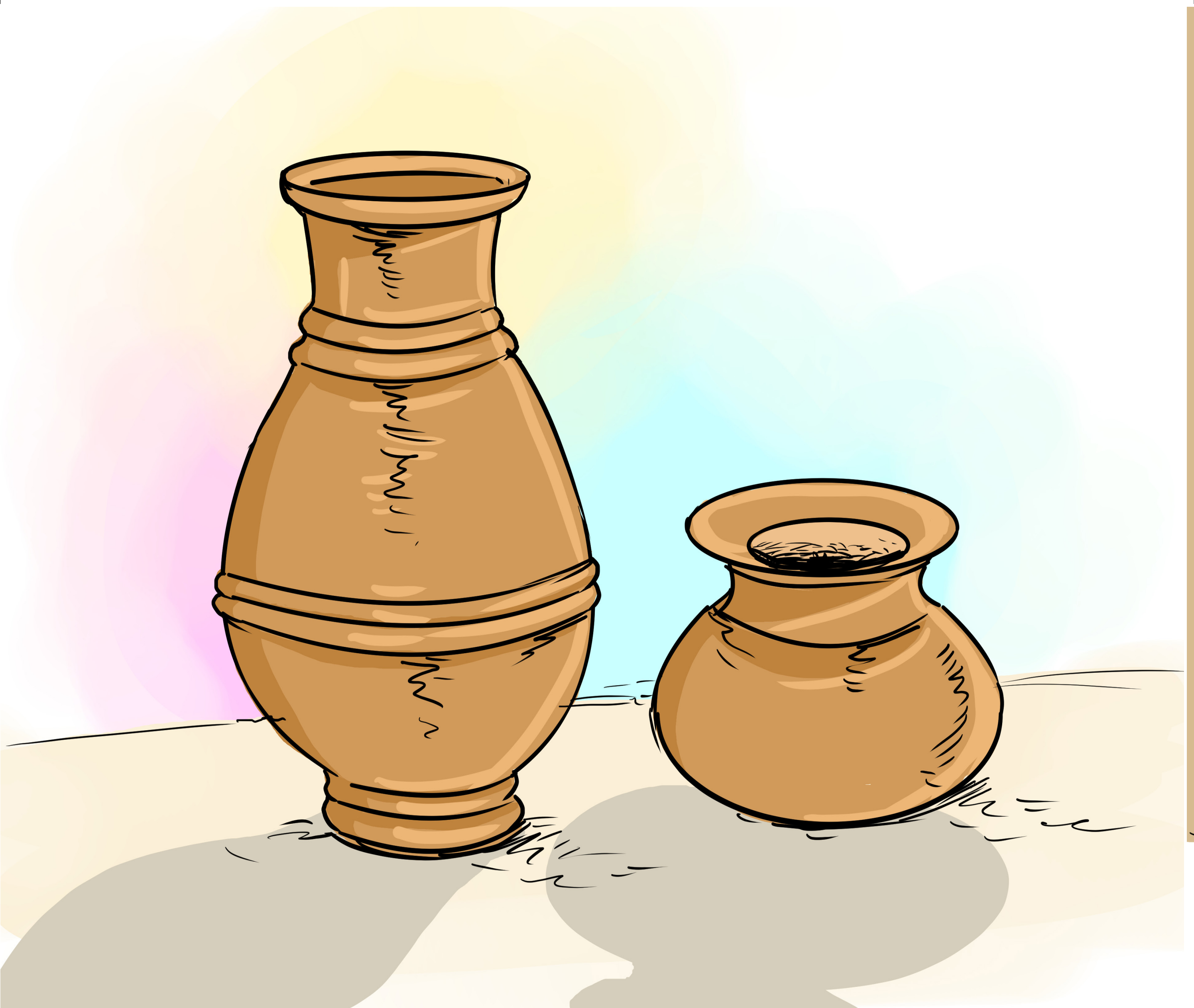
Slowly, Ladi shaped the pot.



All of the people in Kwali Village were surprised to see Ladi's pot.



Every day, Ladi made pots.



Ladi made tall pots and short pots.



Ladi made tall pots for holding water and pots with covers for cooking.



Ladi made jugs and vases.



One day, a man with a camera came to see Ladi and her pots.



“Your pots are wonderful!”
the man said.



The news of Ladi's wonderful pots spread throughout Nigeria.



“I must buy a pot from Ladi of Kwali Village,” said the Emir of Abuja.



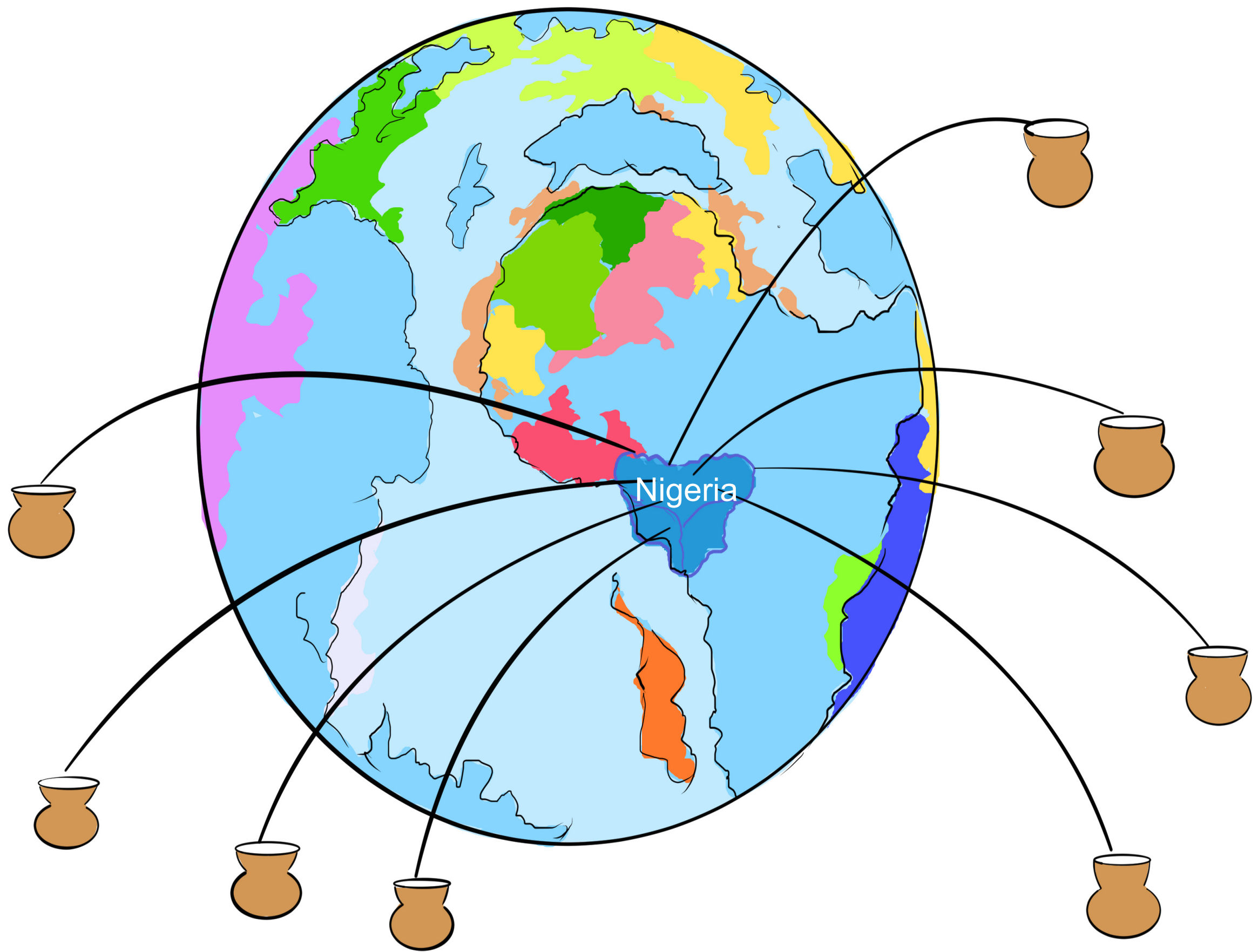
Ladi went to Abuja.



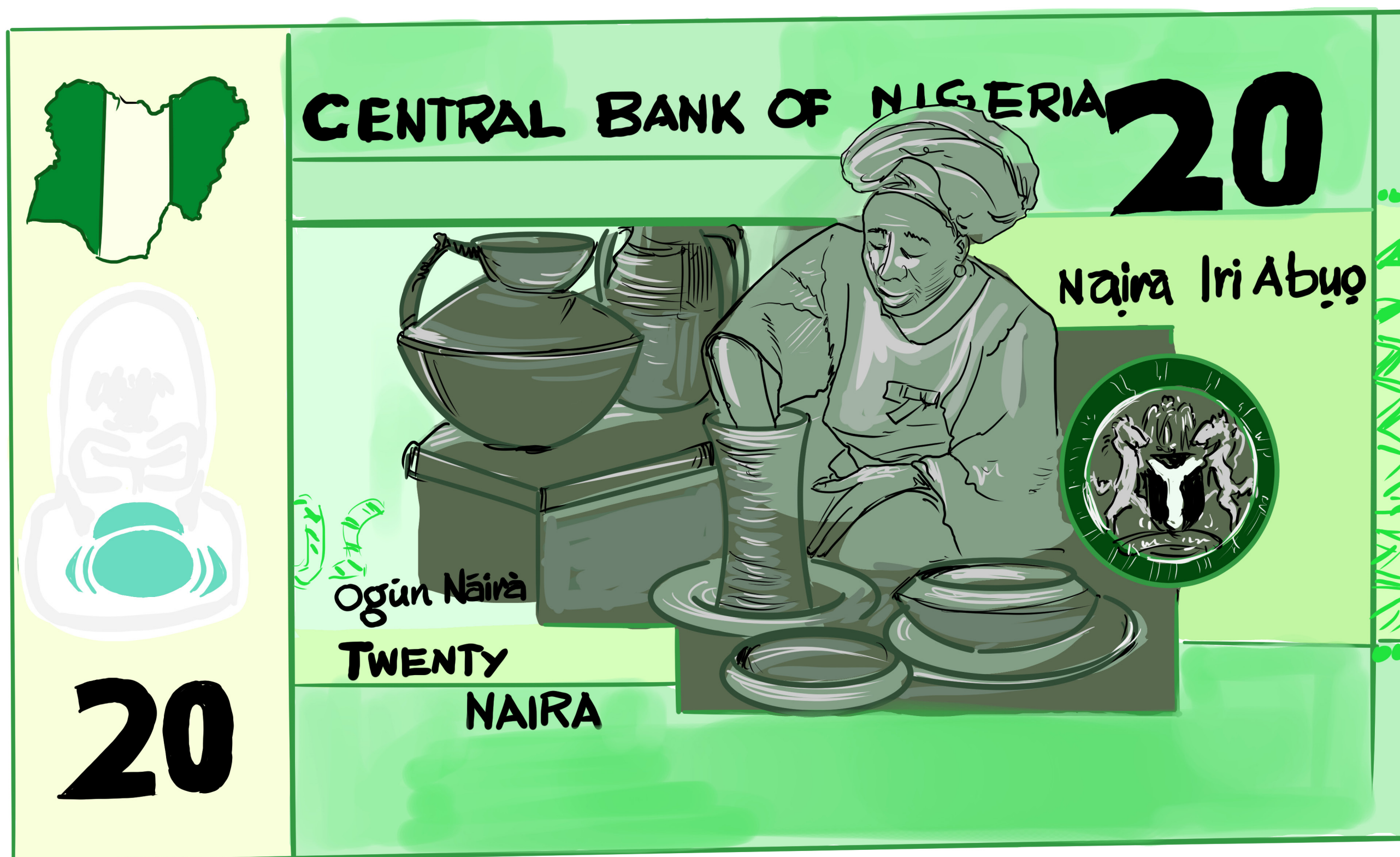
She was the first woman to join the school for potters in Abuja.



Today, Ladi Kwali's wonderful pots are everywhere in Nigeria.



People in faraway places
love Ladi Kwali's special
pots.



This is why we have a picture of Ladi Kwali on the twenty naira note.



A little girl from Kwali Village became an important potter.

List of Vocabulary

camera

slow

children

tall

emir

vase

girl

water

grandmother

women

jug

ladi

man

naira

potters

quickly

school

