Verb: Eat:
2. Pr-ink i-kwata-xa m-kwi-t-nan.  He eats meat.
3. Ichy ayat i-kwata-xa t’owinat-nan.  This woman eats salmon.
4. Namak natash a-kwata-xa t’maanit-nan. We(inclusive) eat berries.
5. Aw pa-kwata-sha.  They are eating now.
6. Mish nam chaw kwata-sha?  Why aren’t you eating?
7. Chaw nash anawi-sha.  I’m not hungry.

Verb go:
8. Wyiyat winak1 (command)  Go away!
10. Ichy ayat wyiyat i-wina-sha.  This woman is going (far) away.
11. Mish nam a-twata-ka?  Will you go with her?
12. I-wiyat’kw-xa winat-yaw.  He is refusing to go.
13. Mish nam wyiyat wina-ta?  Will you go away?
14. Mish wyiyat i-wina-sina?  Is he going (far) away?
15. Chaw nam waawk’a wyiyat wina-ta.  Don’t go too far away.

Verb: stand up:
16. Tutiki  Stand up (command)
17. Tut-shaash.  I’m standing. / I am standing.
18. Imk nam tuti-ta.  You stand up.
19. Awna t’aayma tuti-sina.  Let us all stand up.(inclusive)
20. Namak namtik tuti-ta.  Let just us stand up. (exclusive)
   Tka’chayki  Stand up (in jumping manner)
This word is used when you need to get up in an emergency or in a hurry.

Verbs: sit down. There are two words for "sit" avik and täminayk/tamaanayk.

21. Ayik! Sit down! (command)
22. Ichna avik. Sit here.
23. Ikowna avik. Sit over there.
24. Awna täminayk-ta. Now will all sit down, (at a large gathering)
25. Awna tamaanayk-ta. (another version) usually at Longhouse gatherings.

Verbs Climbing up and climb down.

26. Panat-m! Climb up (towards me).
27. Panat-k! Climb up! (command)
28. Pa-panat-sha patat-pa. They are climbing up a tree.
30. Wiya'hayk- i m! Climb down (towards me).
31. Aw pam wiya'hayk-ta. Now you can climb down.
32. I-kk i sh-sha wiya'haykt-yaw. He is afraid to climb down.

Wiya'y'ch'u is an emphatic word for afraid. Kk i sh is more like apprehensive.

33. Tan-ma pa-hayk-shamsn. The Indians are coming down.(towards us)

This could mean the people are coming down the hill on the road, or something similar. You can say Tiihma, pa-panati-shamsn. to mean "Indians are coming up towards us."

Verb: to drink Noun: water

34. Chiish! / Chuusn! Drink water!
36. Ataw iwa chiish. Water is precious.
37. Wakishwit iwa chiish. Water is life.
38. T'aaxw tuun ina'nuw-qa chiish. Water takes care of everything.
39. T'aaxw tun i-chiit'a-xa. Everything gets thirsty.
40. T'aaxw shin i-chiit'a-xa. Everybody gets thirsty.
41. Ma l aa iwa chiish o i't'xanuk-pa. Water is clean in the mountains.
42. Kushigi na watwaa anakuwui-la i miti. We should also take care of it down here.

Verb: love, treasure, respect

43. Pa-stawii-t iwa shig. To love one another is good.

44. Atawii-taam miyanashma. Love your children.


46. Chawnam waawii’-a tanwaytt-nan awatawii-ta. Don’t treasure money too much.

47. Shiik pam i-papa-stawii-ta. Love each other in a good way.

48. Tiicham-nan pam awatawii-ta. (You folks) Treasure the land.

49. Tiimani tiicham pam awatawii-ta. (You folks) Treasure your reservation.

50. I ntaam asham “atawii-shamash.” Tell your wife “I love you.”

51. Awntaam ama-pa “atawii-shamash.” Tell the husband “I love you.”

All of you asked for a prayer. This is a general prayer. We adress the Creature as Our, Niimi.

AN EVERYDAY PRAYER TANAMUT I MT

Niimi Tamanwia. Ichna l kwii-pa, kw’al anuu-shamash inmiyaw wak’ishwit-yaw.
Our Creator, Today, I am thankful to you for my life.

Kushigi t’aaxw tun anam kunnak imk atamanwi-ya t’aaxw shimi-yay shigwi-tay.
Also for all of the things that you have created for everyone’s benefit.

Paysni nash wa wiya’kwii shiiik-i ichna tiicham-pa, pa-laak-nanim.
If I am a sinner on this earth, I ask for forgiveness.

Xtu pa-anyanima tiimna ku wak’ishwit, kunink nash awwayawshayma-ta chii’witan.
Make my soul and spirit strong, so that I might (face-up to) or (withstand) bad temptation.

Pa-ilakayx-ya nim nishayxt ku anakwmai panishaatwa ichna.
Bless my home and all of those who live here.

Watwaa naknuwi-m. Anach’aggi kw’al anuut imanak ichna l kwii-pa. Aw kwii’aw.
Take care of us all. Again I thank you today. Amen.

Note: If you use cedar, sweet grass, or juniper, bless yourself, others, and your home.

If you pray in the evening say: ichna staat-pa, anaku t’aaxw tiicham iwa staat.
Tonight, when all of the land is dark.

Instead of ichna l kwii-pa Today.