

## ገዳ

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<sup>ˈ</sup>*āye* subst. ወበሃልሰት ፣ ዕለት ፣ ይጥዕም ፣  
 ጅ ፣ ጎጠተ ፣ እምፍሬ ፣ ዳዕሮ ፣ ወእምአኮ ፣ ጅ ፣ ፍሬ ፣  
 ገዳ ። ‘On the third day he would eat five grains of  
*sycamore’s* fruit or else five fruits of <sup>ˈ</sup>*āye*.’ Tedros  
 Abraha 2015, 30 (326) l. 7-9 (ed.); 31 (327) l. 10-11  
 (tr.) (‘I could not retrieve <sup>ˈ</sup>*āye* in Gəʿəz, nor in  
 Arabic. It is attested in Təgrəñña (but it cannot  
 be excluded that the source is Gəʿəz), meaning  
 “*diospyros mepsiliformis*”, a very large tree with  
 broad shiny leaves and edible, date-like fruit”,  
 Da Bassano 1918, 703. It is otherwise known  
 as Jackalberry or African Ebony or *diospyros*  
*abyssinica*. The corresponding Amharic entries  
 are *särćin* {ሰርቲን}, cf. Kane 1990, 490 or  
*säläccäñ* {ሰለቸን}, cf. Kebede Tadesse 2012,  
 104-105.’ Tedros Abraha 2015, 31 (327) n. 16)

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