## M456 The sky maiden.

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Notes.

This story is recorded in Document J (no. 1, page 1).

**Line 9**. The word  $\mathbf{D}^{-}$  is omitted in the Miao text.

**Line 10**. The word  $\dagger$ <sup>"</sup> is omitted in the Miao text.

**Line 13**. The word  $\neg_n$  is omitted in the Miao text.

**Line 86**.  $Y^{-}$  T<sub>-</sub> in the word for "buffalo" is missing in the Miao text

Line 92. The word  $L^{\circ}$ , in the expression  $L^{\circ} E^{\circ}$ , meaning "how", is missing in the Miao text.

**Line 135.** The word C<sup>5</sup>, in the expression  $\Delta^{3}$  C<sup>5</sup>, meaning "a container", is missing in the Miao text.

**Lines 144** – **145**. The two words  $\overline{L} Y^{-}$ , meaning "will do", are contracted into a single word  $L^{-}$  in the Miao text.