

River Between

1. Two ridges (Makuyu and Kameno) introduced
2. Kamau and Kinuthia fight, Waiyaki breaks it up. Introduces Chege
3. Waiyaki's re-birth ceremony
4. Waiyaki and Chege go to the sacred grove
5. at the sacred grove, Chege shares prophecy with Waiyaki and sends home to mission school
6. Muthoni tells Nyambura she wants to be circumcised and then drops the water barrel.
7. introduce Joshua and his beliefs about circumcision and other things.
8. Muthoni runs away. Nyambura explains that she went to be circumcised. Joshua disowns Muthoni.
9. Chege's views on circumcision, his hopes for Waiyaki; the pre-initiation dance, Waiyaki meets Muthoni
10. Circumcisions performed, Muthoni's ill, goes to the hospital
11. Everyone reacts internally to Muthoni's death
12. Circumcised children now not allowed at mission school, Chege dies
13. Rainy day at Waiyaki's new school. Conversation with Kamau and Kinuthia about encroaching whites. Introduces the Kiama. Establishes a tension between Kamau and Waiyaki. Introduces Kabonyi (Kamau's father), in his new anti-Christian role.
14. Waiyaki's position as "The Teacher" explained.
15. Waiyaki and Nyambura meet on nighttime walk.
16. Nyambura stands up Waiyaki at his school. Environmental problems (bad rain cycles), Kinuthia visits, tells Waiyaki to be aware of Kabonyi, tells him that Kamau spotted him on Makuyu previous night.
17. Waiyaki visits Joshua's church service, leaves, runs into Kamau. They see Nyambura. Kamau says how beautiful she is, Waiyaki is jealous. Waiyaki and Nyambura meet briefly.
18. Open house night at the school. Kabonyi speaks. Waiyaki speaks. People love him and name him "The Teacher." But he forgot to speak of reconciliation. Kabonyi's hatred of Waiyaki illustrated.
19. Joshua opens schools too. Christian gathering near Waiyaki's house. Nyambura's internal monologue. Waiyaki and Nyambura meet by the river. He proposes, she rejects the offer. Kamau sees the whole thing from hiding place and is jealous
20. Kinuthia confronts Waiyaki about Nyambura and the rumors of him joining with Joshua. One of Joshua's followers has his house burned. Waiyaki regrets resigning from the Kiama.
21. Nyambura mourns her decision. Her father threatens her if she's seen with Waiyaki.
22. Waiyaki returns from Siriana with a promise of more teachers. Kinuthia seems to worship him. Waiyaki ponders the prophecy. Can't sleep. Is going to go out when mother confronts him about marrying Nyambura, warning him not to. Kamau comes, telling Waiyaki to come to a meeting of the Kiama.

23. The Kiama accuse Waiyaki of belonging to Joshua's church, of being unclean from Muthoni's death, and of proposing to Nyambura. Waiyaki tries to defend himself. Some in the Kiama propose forced circumcision on the Christians.
24. Kinuthia tells Waiyaki that Kabonyi and the Kiama have removed Waiyaki from his position and that they may do something bad to Joshua's followers. Waiyaki goes to warn Joshua. Kamau sees him there. Nyambura professes her love and support of Waiyaki and leaves with him while her father disowns her. Waiyaki tells Kinuthia to gather the people for a meeting the following day.
25. Waiyaki seeks a vision at the sacred grove. Comes back to the meeting to find many gathered. "They had thought he wouldn't show." Kinuthia didn't watch over Nyambura effectively and she was taken by the kiama and Kabonyi.
26. Waiyaki speaks, and people listen supportively but then Kabonyi takes the floor and turns everyone against him. The people leave. Waiyaki and Nyambura's fate rests in the hands of the kiama.