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Rajoelina said he preferred personal sacrifice than to sacrifice the people of Madagascar. There had been fears heavy violence would break out in the May election.

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