

Key: E-G-A-F# Tempo: 124 BPM E 'Ike i Ka Nani A'o Poliahu

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intro: E/4 A6/4 E/4 A6/4 E/4 A6/4 E/4 A6/2 B7/2

Background vocals: harmonize second time each verse

2x E/4 A6/4 E/8
E 'ike i ka nani a'o Poli'ahu

A6/4 E/4 B7/4 1: E/2 B7/2 repeat
Ka wahine i ke anu, i ke kēhau o Mauna Kea

2: E/4 A6/4 E/4 A6/2 B7/2

Witness the beauty of Poli'ahu

The woman in the cold, in the snows of Mauna Kea

2x E/4 A6/4 E/8
Kehakeha ka wahine i ka 'iu o luna

A6/4 E/4 B7/4 1: E/2 B7/2 repeat
Kāhiko 'ia i ka māmane, 'ai a ka manu palila

2: E/4 A6/4 E/4 D7/4

The woman is exalted high above

Adorned with the māmane blossoms, food for the palila bird

2x G/4 C6/4 G/8
Li'a au i ka wai ho'opulu i ka 'ili

C6/4 G/4 D7/4 1: G/2 D7/2 repeat
Ka wai hu'ihu'i a ka ua Lilinoe

2: G/4 C6/4 G/4 B7/4

I yearn for the waters that wet my skin

The ice cold waters of the Lilinoe rains

2x E/4 A6/4 E/8
Noe mai kou aloha pili ku'u poli

A6/4 E/4 B7/4 1: E/2 B7/2 repeat
E ka ipo noho i ka la'i i ka malu o ka 'ōpua

2: E/4 A6/4 E/4 D7/4

Your love alights my heart like the mist

My sweetheart that dwells in the calm, protected by the clouds

1x G/4 C6/4 G/8
Puana e ka nani a'o Poli'ahu

C6/4 G/4 D7/4 G/2 E7/2
Ka wahine i ke anu i ke kēhau o Mauna Kea

Tell of the beauty of Poli'ahu

The woman in the cold, in the snows of Mauna Kea

1x A/4 D6/4 A/8
Puana e ka nani a'o Poli'ahu

D6/4 A/4 E7/4 A/4
Ka wahine i ke anu i ke kēhau o Mauna Kea

D6/4 A/8 E7/4 A6/4 B6/4 D/4 C#/4 rest/4 F#/1
Ka wahine i ke anu i ke kēhau o Mauna Kea

