

Key: G Tempo: 48 BPM

Ka Wiliwiliwai

Lili'uokalani, 1890

Intro: G/8 D7/4 G/4

G/8

E ka wiliwiliwai,

D7/4 G/4

Ko'iawe i ka la'i,

G/8

A he aha kāu hana

D7/4 G/4

E naue mālie nei?

Hui:

G/8

(Ei nei,) 'eā, (ei nei,) 'eā,

Am/4 D7/4

E poahi mai nei,

G/8

(Āhea) 'oe, (āhea) 'oe,

Am/4 D7/2 G/2

'Oe kāohi mai?

G/8 D7/4 G/4

(pa'ani)

G/8

Oki pau 'o ia ala,

D7/4 G/4

Ua ninihi ka lawena,

G/8

Ku'u iki iho 'oe

D7/4 G/4

I inu aku wau.

Background vocals: sing in parentheses
harmonize underline

O lawn sprinkler
Circling quietly
What are you doing
As you silently revolve?

Chorus:
Say there, say there
You revolving object
When, oh when
Will you slow down?

Unusually active
Sending out sprays like rain
Lessen your speed
That I may drink.



Source: The Queen's Songbook

