



Kona Kai 'Ōpua

^{F/A} Hanohano ^{F7/A} o Kona ^{Bb/2} kai ^{D7/2} 'ōpua ^{G7} i ka la'i
^{C7} 'Ōpua hīnano kau i ka mālie
^F Pua'i nā wai i ka maka o ka ^{C7} 'ōpua
^F 'A'ole nō ^{F7} 'elua ^{Bb} a'e ^{D7} like ^{G7} aku ai
^{C7} Me Kona kai 'ōpua (Kona kai 'ōpua)
 Ke kai mā'oki'oki (kai mā'oki'oki)
^F Ke kai malino a'o Kona



^F Ha'aheo i ka mālie
^{Bb} 'O Kona kai 'ōpua i ka la'i
^F Kilakila 'o Hualālai
^F I ke kai malino a'o Kona

^F Ha'aheo Hawai'i i nā Kona
^{C7} Ka wai kau i ka maka o ka 'ōpua
 Hualālai kau mai i luna
^F Ka heke ia o nā Kona
 He 'āina wela 'i'o nō nā Kona
^{C7} He 'Eka ka makani a'e 'olu ai
 'O ka pā kolonahe a ke Kēhau
^F I ka 'ili o ka malihini

Grand is Kona of the clouds mirrored in the sea
 Puffy white clouds nestled in the calm
 Waters spill forth from the cloud banks
 There's no other that can compare
 With Kona of the mirrored seas
 A sea of mingling hues
 The calm seas of Kona

chorus:

Proud indeed in the tranquility
 Kona of mirrored seas in the calm
 Majestic is Hualālai
 The calm seas of Kona

Hawai'i island is proud of the Kona district
 The water in the face of the clouds
 Hualālai stands there above
 The finest of the Kona District
 Kona is truly a sweltering land
 The 'Eka breeze brings sweet relief
 The gentle touch of the Kēhau breeze
 Cooling on the visitor's skin

Henry Waia'u composed this for his son's graduation from Kamehameha School in 1941. This hui was not a part of the original composition.