

WAHINE 'ILIKEA

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CHORUS:

Pu a kala-u nu ma ke kai o Hono'u-li-wai
 Wa-hine 'i-li-kea i ka po-li o Molo-ka-i no ka
 heke. 1. Nani wale no Na
 2. Nani wale no Ka
 wai-le-le uka 'o Hi-na 'o Haha 'o Mo'o-lo-a
 'ai-na Ha-la-wa Ho-me ho'o-ki-pa a ka mali-hi-ni
 Na wai 'e-ko-lu i ka ulu-wehiwehi o Ka-na
 'Aina u-lu-we-hi i ka noe-ahi-ahi Ua la-wa-lo
 i ka ma-li-e Ho-o-lu-a. Back to Chorus
 mai e ka pa-kani Ho-o-lu-a.

TRANSLATION

CHORUS: Crown flower by the sea of Hono'uliwai
 Fair-skin woman in the bosom of Molo-ka-i, the foremost.

1. So beautiful are the upland waterfalls
 Hina, Haha and Mo'olea
 The three waterfalls in the lush greenery
 Of Kamalo, in the calm.

2. So beautiful is the land of Halawa
 Hospitable home of the newcomer
 Verdant land in the evening mist
 Brought by the Ho'olua wind of the
 North.