

Key: D Tempo: 74 BPM

Backup vocals
harmonize underline

Waimanu I Ka Lauoha

Kuana Torres Kahele

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Intro: D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/2

D/1 rest/1 D/1 G/1 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/2

Kūmaka iā Waimanu eā mai ka lapa a‘o Muliwai

Waimanu is seen from the slopes of Muliwai

A7sus4



D/3 G/1 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/1 G/1

Kūmaka iā Waimanu eā mai ka lapa a‘o Muliwai

D/4 D7/2 G/4 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/4 E7/4 A7/4 D/3 A7/1 D/3 A7/1

‘O Waihīlau i ka pali loa eā aia nō ka wai ola a Kāne

Waihīlau on the distant cliff there, indeed, is the life-giving water of Kāne

D/2 G/1 rest/1 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2

Pāhihi mai ‘o Wai‘ili- kahi eā ka i hānai iā Ka‘ohimaunu

Wai‘ilikahi pours forth the one that nurtures Ka‘ohimaunu

D/3 G/1 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/1 G/1

Kū mā‘ohe ohe ka wauke eā ‘a‘ohe pu‘u, ‘a‘ohe ke‘e

The wauke stands tall and spindly no bumps, no bends

D/4 D7/2 G/4 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/4 E7/4 A7/4 D/3 A7/1 D/3 A7/1

A ‘ea ‘e mohala i luna eā o ke kukui o Māhoe

Streaks of silvery gray shine forth on the kukui trees of Māhoe

D/2 G/2 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2

E lei nō au i ko aloha eā i ka moena ‘ana o ka ‘āina

I will wear your love as a wreath throughout the lay of the land

D/3 G/1 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/1 G/1

‘O Waipi‘o paoa i ke ‘ala eā, ‘āina ulupō me ka hāloa

Waipi o is imbued with fragrance land dense with the lauoa taro

D/4 D7/2 G/4 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/4 E7/4 A7/4 D/3 A7/1 D/3 A7/1

Noho mai ka hale o Riroa eā i ka maka o Paka‘alana

The house of Riroa remains In the presence of Pakaalana

D/2 G/2 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2

Pā ‘eli‘eli ‘o Kānekoa eā haiwā ka huli a‘o Wahine

Kānekoa digs into the earth planting the taro shoots of Wahine

D/3 G/1 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/2 A7/2 D/1 G/1

Hāliu au i ke āukauka eā, he ‘āina wehi ohaoha

I turn and look towards the inlands, land lushly adorned



D/4 D7/2 G/4 D/3 A7sus4/1 D/4 E7/4 A7/4 D/3 A7/1 D/3 A7/1 D/3 A7/1 D/1

Puana mai ka mo‘olelo eā ‘o Waimanu i ka lauoha

The story is told Waimanu in the lushness

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