

Ku'u Lei Maile A'o Lanihuli

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Auhea wale ana 'oe
E ku'u lei maile o ka nāhelehele
Hele aku au, 'imi iā 'oe
I ka uka la a'o Lanihuli
E huli mai 'oe, e ka ipo,
E pili mai

Hahai aku au e ke 'ala onaona
O ku'u lei lani ka mea e li'a mau nei
Hea mai ka leo honehone i ka poli
Kani honehone a o ke kāhuli
E huli mai 'oe, e ka ipo,
E pili mai

Pili kāua i Hi'ilaniwai
Wai hu'ihu'i ho'opulu i ka ili
Ka nani kaulana o Kāne'ohe
Kau ana la i ka pali hā'uli'uli
E huli mai 'oe, e ka ipo,
E pili mai

Ha'ina ku'u ipo, e ku'u hāli'a
E ku'u lei maile o ka nāhelehele
Hele aku au, imi iā 'oe
I ka uka la a'o Lanihuli
E huli mai 'oe, e ka ipo,
E pili mai

Where are you
My maile lei of the forest
I go to look for you
On the uplands of Lanihuli
Huli to me my sweetheart,
Let's come back together

I follow the sweet fragrance
Of my heavenly lei, the one i desire
A sweet voice beckons to me/my heart
The sweet singing of the kāhuli
Huli to me my sweetheart,
Let's come back together

We meet at Hi'ilaniwai
The tingling cold waters that moisten the skin
The renown beauty of Kāne'ohe
Placed on the blue green cliffs
Huli to me my sweetheart,
Let's come back together

A refrain of my seethart, the one i reminisce
My lei maile of the forest
I go to look for you
In the uplands of lanihuli
Huli to me my sweetheart,
Let's come back together