

TAKU KURU HAUHUNGA

Taku kuru hauhunga, taku whakateitei ki ngā whenua
Me kaukau koe ki te wai puna o Tāne, he wai tea
Taku tōtara haemata, kei te rau koe o te wharenuī
E kai nei te aroha. He pakiaka te rākau i tū ai
Nā tō mana, nā tō tohu i mahue ai
Kua tara-ā-whare te parekawakawa
I tiu atu rā hoki ko te manu
Hei paki haerenga mōu
Takoto ai te marino, horahia i waho rā
Rite koe ki te takere waka nui
Taku whare kī tonu
E kore koe e ngaro, nā te rau o te iwi ka tangi tonu nei, e