

Waiata 1
Nga Taonga Ake Ake –

Na Anahera Robin

Verse 1

Titiro te hikoi o nga iwi katoa
Whakarongo ki te tangi o te whenua, Aotearoa

Chorus

Mana Wahine mana tangata
Mana moana, mana whenua
Nga taonga o t iwi maori e ake

Verse 2

Kimihia nga hua o te wairua na Ihowa
Te rangimarie, me te aroha
Te whakaponu, te kotahitanga

Verse 3

Kapohia, te reo maori, manaakitanga nga tamariki
Te matauranga o nga rangatira
E tuku iho, nga tupuna

Song dedicated to all who supported the hikoi 2004

Waiata 2
Pepeha He Pounamu

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Waiata Pepeha – he poturo te mita
Ko Heretaunga, hau ku nui

Ko Heretaunga, ara rau, o Ngati Kahungunu
Pepeha he pounamu
Ko Wairarapa, ko Wairoa, nga rohe ataahua
O Ngati Kahungunu, pepeha he pounamu
Ko Kahuranaki, ko Te Mata, tena korua
nga maunga o Ngati Kahungunu, pepeha he pounamu

Song 1
The Treasures Forever and Ever

Look the march of all the people
Listen to the cry of the land, Aotearoa

Prestigious woman, prestigious man
Prestigious ocean, prestigious land
The treasures of the maori people forever

Seek the fruits of the spirit from the Lord Jesus
The peace and the love
the faith, the unity

Grasp, the maori language, care for the children
The knowledge of the chiefs
Passed down from the ancestors

Song 2
Origins of Great Value

Songs of origins – a slow rhythm
Heretaunga - the tying place of all waka
Haukunui – life giving heavy dew (fertile)
Ararau – a hundred pathways (into Heretaunga)
Origins of great value
Wairarapa, Wairoa (are also) the beautiful areas
of Ngati Kahungunu
Kahuranaki and Te Mata Katanema o Rongokako
The shining godly face of Rongokako
Acknowledgement to the mountains of Ngati
Kahungunu

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Ko Tutaekuri ko Tukituki, ko Ngaruroro, nga awa

O Ngati Kahungunu, pepeha he pounamu
Ko Tamatea Ariki Nui, he mihi atu ki te Ariki

O te waka Takitimu, pepeha he pounamu
Nga tukemata o Kahungunu kia mai, Ki manawanui

Haere tonu, Ngati Kahungunu
Tika tonu, Ngati Kahungunu

Tutaekuri, Tukituki, Ngaruroro – the rivers of
Kahungunu

Tamatea Arikinui – captain of Takitimu waka –
acknowledgement to you of the waka Takitimu
Of the canoe Kahungunu
The fine featured people of Kahungunu – hold firm
and be brave
Keep going
Tis the truth

Song dedicated to Ngati Kahungunu Iwi Incorporated

**Waiata 3
Pupuritia Tena Ahua**

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Me noho tahi, tena pea, ka tika
Pupuritia, tena ahua
Me awhina tetahi I tetahi
Me waiho mo te Atua, I tiaki
Ka pakeke te haere, mo te iwi katoa
Me mahi tahi tatou, mo te oranga
Kia kaha kia u, nga rangatira
He kotahi te korero
Kia paoho pai te reo, ki Aotearoa
He Tautoko, ki Aotearoa, he Tautoko

**Song 3
Hold on to that attitude**

Discuss things then they may come right
Hold onto that attitude
We should help one another
We should let God take care of things
The going is difficult for all people
We should work as one for the well being of all
Be strong, be stouthearted leaders
Be united in what is said
So it is heard throughout Aotearoa
A support to Aotearoa, a support

***Song dedicated to the initiators / organizers of the May 2004 hiko ki te Paremata in
particular Mereana Pitman, Ngahiwi Tomoana and Moana Jackson***

**Waiata 4
Nga Tamariki a Tane Purotu**

Na Anahera Robin

Te Purotu o nga rakau o te ngahere
Ko nga rakau katoa, nga tamariki a Tane
Pena hoki ki nga manu, nga ngarara
Me nga kararehe katoa
Kei roto enei mea, te mana o Tane Mahuta

**Song 4
The children of Tane – the beautiful**

The beauty of the trees of the forest
All of the trees are the children of Tane
Also with the birds the forest creatures
and all animals
Tane Mahuta's spiritis in all these things

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Te purotu, o nga rakau o te naghere
Ko nga rakau teitei, nga ringa o Tane
Ko Tane Mahuta, te Atua o nga here
Me tiaki I nga tamariki a Tane

The beauty of the trees of the forest
All of the tall trees are the arms of Tane
Tane Mahuta is the Lord of the forests
We should take care of Tane's children

Chorus

Song dedicated to all who take care of Tane and his children

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