

Chant written by Mr Sam Tohilima for the blessing of Fale Tau Tāoga Niue.

Two chants; one is a blessing for the generations and the future and the other one is an old one about the meeting of the tupunas at Paluki calling for peace and prosperity for the island and its people.

It called on Maui to bless the meeting of the chief's at Paluki and to take the peace north up to Matafonua and to take it south to Muihefonua bringing the Tahiti and the Motu tribes together as one people....

FAKATU E MOTU KE FUA
TO FAI MAFOLA
KE TU HE MOTU TOFATOFA

MAUI TU KI PALUKI
TI TAHAKE E MAFOLA
KI MATA-HE -FONUAAAA

MAUI TU KI PALUKI
TI TAHIFO E MAFOLA
KI MUI HE FONUAAAA

If there is prosperity
So will there be peace
For our blessed home

Maui come to Paluki
And take this offering of peace
Up to the top of the Island' (Motu)

Maui come to Paluki
Take this peace offering
To the bottom of the island (Tafiti) ..

TI MONU HO INU E
TI MONU HO INU EAAAA
TI TUGI E MAFOLA
TI TUGI E MAFOLAAAAA