

Hawai'i 78

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A F G A
Ua mau, ke ea o ka 'aina, i ka pono, o Hawai'i
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A
If just for a day our king and queen
F
Would visit all these islands and saw everything
G A
How would they feel about the changes of our land?

A
Could you just imagine if they were around
F
And saw highways on their sacred grounds
G A
How would they feel about this modern city life?

A
Tears would come from each others eyes
F
As they would stop to realize
G A
That our people are in great great danger now
A F G A
How would they feel, would their smiles be content, then cry

chorus

A
Cry for the gods, cry for the people
F
Cry for the land that was taken away
G A
And then yet you'll find, Hawai'i

A
Could you just imagine if they came back
F
And saw traffic lights and railroad tracks
G A
How would they feel about this modern city life?

A
Tears would come from each others eyes
F
As they would stop to realize
G A
That our land is in great great danger now

A
All the fighting that the king had done
F
To conquer all these islands now there's condominiums
G A
How would he feel if he saw Hawai'i nei
A F G A
How, would he feel, would his smile be content, then cry

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(The constant wet rain gives life to the land
and brings goodness to Hawai'i.)



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