WIND, WING AND WAVE

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I come from a place called Moloka'i Born of Pele's fire and shaped by the sea Tiny seeds dropped by a passing bird Brought ferns and forest, fruit and mystery

CHORUS:

Wind, wing and wave, we all got here the same way Led by spirit to this paradise Hula and leis, warm aloha is our way Honihoni from our Moloka'i

Rhythms of the ancient tides Brought na kupuna to our sands In canoes from distant isles New ohana to life's circle in our land *REPEAT CHORUS*

Sea cliffs rise, the highest in the world Watching over Kalaupapa from above Native birds sing their island songs Beside the ancient ponds we tend with love *REPEAT CHORUS*

Winds in the trees, rumble of the surf You can even hear the great whales breathe Honu swims underneath the moon We will work to keep this majesty! *REPEAT CHORUS*