Hilo Hula
Joe Kalima

Key: G-A  Tempo: 168BPM

Intro: steel: A7/2 D7/2 all: G/4 A7/2 D7/2 G/2 F/1 F#/1

Backup vocals: harmonize second time each verse.

G/4          G7/4         C/4          G/4
Kaulana mai nei ‘o Hilo ‘eā, ka ua Kanilehua ‘eā

E7/4         A7/4         D7/4         G/4         A7/2 D7/2 G/4
Ka ua hoʻopulu ‘ili ‘eā, ka ‘ili o ka malihini ‘eā

G/4          G7/4         C/4          G/4
Nani wale hoʻi ka ‘ikena ‘eā, ka nani o Waiākea ‘eā

E7/4         A7/4         D7/4         G/4         A7/2 D7/2 G/4
Ka wai o Waiolama ‘eā, mālamalama Hawaiʻi ‘eā

G/4          G7/4         C/1 rest/3  G/4
Kaulana hoʻi Mokuola ‘eā, he moku ‘au i ke kai ‘eā

E7/4         A7/4         D7/4         G/4         A7/2 D7/2 G/4
E hoʻopulu ‘ili nei ‘eā, ka hunehune kai ‘eā

G/1 rest/3   G7/1 rest/3  C/1 rest/3  G/1 rest/3
Lei ana i ka lei nani ‘eā, ka pua o ka lehua ‘eā

E7/4         A7/4         D7/4         G/4         A7/2 D7/2 G/2 E7/2
Haʻina mai ka puana ‘eā, no ka ua Kanilehua ‘eā

A/1 rest/3   A7/1 rest/3  D/1 rest/3  A/1 rest/3
Lei ana i ka lei nani ‘eā, ka pua o ka lehua ‘eā

F#7/4        B7/4         E7/4         A/4         B7/2 E7/2 A/1 steel: G/1 G#/1 A/1
Haʻina mai ka puana ‘eā, no ka ua Kanilehua ‘eā

Famous is Hilo and its rain called Kanilehua
Rain that wets one's skin, especially those of the newcomers

Lovely is the scenery and beauty of Waiākea
The water of Waiolama brightens Hawaiʻi (the island)

Situated here is Mokuola, an island set apart in the sea
Drenching the skin the mist of the sea

Wear the lei of loveliness, the blossom of the red lehua
Tell the refrain, the rain called Kanilehua

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