Ka Wiliwiliwai
Lili’uokalani, 1890

Key: G    Tempo: 48 BPM

Intro: G/8 D7/4 G/4

G/8
E ka wiliwiliwai,
D7/4    G/4
Ko‘iawe i ka la‘i,

G/8
A he aha kāu hana
D7/4    G/4
E naue mālie nei?

Hui:

G/8
(Ei nei,) ʻeā, (ei nei,) ʻeā,
Am/4    D7/4
E poahi mai nei,

G/8
(Āhea) ʻoe, (āhea) ʻoe,
Am/4    D7/2 G/2
ʻOe kāohi mai?

G/8    D7/4    G/4
(paʻani)

G/8
Oki pau ʻo ia ala,
D7/4    G/4
Ua ninihi ka lawena,
G/8
Kuʻu iki iho ʻoe
D7/4    G/4
I inu aku wau.

Background vocals: sing in parentheses
harmonize underline

O lawn sprinkler
Circling quietly
What are you doing
As you silently revolve?

Chorus:
Say there, say there
You revolving object
When, oh when
Will you slow down?

Unusually active
Sending out sprays like rain
Lessen your speed
That I may drink.

Source: The Queen’s Songbook