Intro: Michael ukulele G/4 C/4 G/4 C/4

A kala la tula'alehu

There's a certain way we do what we do

Day by day at work or play in these islands.

Gramma dancing her favorite hula

Brother's strumming tunes on his old guitar

Papa with the keiki laughing the night away

Hui: Life in these islands

Fun on the beach playin' in the sand

Walking ancient trails in misty uplands

Riding the surf on a rolling swell in these islands

Gathering flowers to string the lei

Being with o'hana on a special day

Sharing our aloha with everyone in these islands

Hui
Bridge:  
G  Em  C  G  
If you'd follow your heart you will understand 
Em  C  D7  
That there's no place on earth like these islands 

G  
Strolling along on a moonlit night 
F  
Telling stories by the firelight 
C  G  
Breathing the ocean breeze of these islands 
G  
Where rivers flow out to the sea 
F  
And returns to the land as it rains on me 
C  G  
There's no other feeling like life in these islands 

Tag:  
F  C  G  
Life in these islands 
F  C  G  
Life in these islands 
F  C  G  
Life in these islands 

Ending:  
Bass + ukulele  
G/13