

# Pearly Shells (Medley)

Pearly Shells: English lyrics by Webley Edwards & Leon Pober, 1962

Pupu A O 'Ewa (hui): traditional

'O 'Āinahau (hui): Princess Miriam Kapili Kekauluohi Likelike, before 1887

Ka Inu Wai (hui): Words by William Sheldon, music by David Nape, 1899

Soprano Baritone

F F<sup>7</sup>  
Pearly shells (pearly shells), from the ocean (from the ocean),  
B<sup>b</sup>  
Shining in the sun (shining in the sun),  
C<sup>7</sup>  
Covering the shore (covering the shore),  
F F<sup>7</sup>  
When I see them, (when I see them)  
B<sup>b</sup> B<sup>bm</sup>  
My heart tells me that I love you,  
F C<sup>7</sup> F  
More than all those little pearly shells.  
C<sup>7</sup>  
For every grain of sand upon the beach,  
F  
I've got a kiss for you.  
C<sup>7</sup>  
And I've got more left over for each star  
G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup>  
That twinkles in the blue.  
F F<sup>7</sup>  
Pupu (a'o 'Ewa) i ka nu'a (nâ kânaka)  
B<sup>b</sup> C<sup>7</sup>  
E naue mai (a e 'ike), i ka mea hou (o ka 'âina)  
F B<sup>b</sup> B<sup>bm</sup>  
Ahe 'âina (ua kaulana) mai nâ kûpuna mai  
F C<sup>7</sup> F  
Alahula Pu'uloa he ala hele no Ka'ahupahau  
F F<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b</sup>  
Nani wale ku'u home, 'o 'Āinahau i ka 'iu  
C<sup>7</sup> F  
I ka holunape a ka lau o ka niu.  
F<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b</sup>  
I ka uluwehiwehi, i ke 'ala o nâ^pua  
C<sup>7</sup> F  
Ku'u home, ku'u home i ka 'iu'iu.  
C<sup>7</sup> F  
Ko aloha, ko aloha ka'u mea nui  
C<sup>7</sup> F  
He makana, he makana na ka pu'uwai.

