

# Manu Tiria

Nā Jasmine Dallas rāua ko Matiu Payne i tito

Manu tiria, manu tiria  
Manu werohia ki te poho o Te Rāka  
Ka tau rērere  
Ka tau mai i te ruhi  
E tau e koia  
Koia, koia ko tarauriki  
Kī mai i Māui, e hara i te Whitu, me te Waru e  
E tau e koia, koia!

The bird who plants crops  
The bird who flew into the chest of Te Raka  
Who stayed there fleetingly  
who became tired  
and rested there  
Indeed it was there that we sourced Tarauriki  
Māui taught us to plant in the seventh and eight  
month, and so it is!

