

Green Rose Hula for class

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Verse One

- (1.1) **No ka pua loke lau ke aloha** My love goes to the green rose,
(1.2) **No ka u'i kau i ka wēkiu.** The blossom I esteem the highest.

Verse Two

- (2.1) **Kō 'ala onaona i 'ane'i,** Its fragrance reaches me here,
(2.2) **Ho'olale mai ana e walea.** Inviting my thoughts to be carefree.

Verse Three

- (3.1) **E walea pū aku me 'oe,** Oh! to while the time pleasantly with you
(3.1) **I ka hana no'eau ho'oipo.** In the delightful pastime of wooing.

Verse Four

- (4.1) **A he ipo 'oe na'u i aloha** You are the sweetheart I love,
(4.2) **Ka 'ano'i a ku'u pu'uwai.** The darling of my heart.

Verse Five

- (5.1) **Ha'ina 'ia mai (ana) ka puana** This is the end of my song,
(5.2) **Nou nō Green Rose ke aloha.** For you, beloved Green Rose.

Notes on the Video:

The original choreography comes from my teacher, Bella Richards, shared with her blessing. Hula dance steps used in this number are Kāholo, Hela, 'Ami kūkū, Double Kalākaua, Ki'iwāwae right and left, 'Ōniu. Our teacher is Kumu Hula Pattye Kealohalani Kapualokeokalaniākea Wright (Kumu Kea) and our dancer is Pīkake Miyamoto.

The music used is Sandii's recording from her CD called "Sandii's Hawai'i". Sushi Records : Sushi-H1 NEOS 026

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