PUAMANA

Words by Charles Kekua Farden, Music by Irmgard `Āluli

C C7

Pua Mana

Puamana

F

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Ku`u home i Lahaina

Is my home in Lahaina

G7

Me nā pua `ala onaona

With flowers so fragrant

D7

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Ku'u home i aloha 'ia

Glistening my home is so loved

Ku`u home

My home

I ka ulu o ka niu

Is surrounded by coconut trees

O ka niu kū kilakila

That stand majestically

He napenape mālie

Gently in the breezes

Home nani

A beautiful home

Home i ka `ae kai

Nestled along the shore

Ke konane a ka mahina

With the bright moon

I ke kai hāwanawana

Upon the whispering sea

Ha`ina

Told is the refrain

`Ia mai ka puana

For my beloved home

Ku`u home i Lahaina

Trees filled with much rustling

I piha me ka hau `oli

Happiness and joy



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Kani ka pila! The musical legacy of Irmgard Keali`iwahinealohanohokahaopuamana Farden `Aluli."- Composed in 1937 for the Farden family home in Lahaina. Research revealed this land was formerly owned by Chief Mana of Kaua`i. Verse 2, each child planted and nourished their own coconut tree. Translated by Hailama Farden - Copyright 1946, 57, 74, Criterion Music Corp.

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