

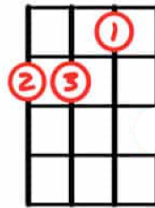
Aroha I Aotearoa

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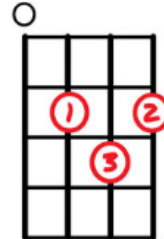
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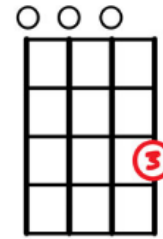
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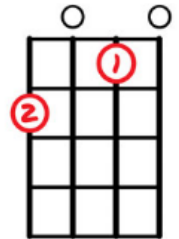
G



C



F



Intro:

Dm G C F (x 2)

Verse 1

Dm G C F Dm G C F
Hear the tui echoing the call? Drinking nectar from the kōwhai

Dm G C F Dm G C
Singing sweet songs 'bout how aroha changes who we are in Aotearoa

Chorus

F C G C F C G
It's a love story 'bout Papatūānuku and Ranginui, who created this land.

F C G C
Ricochet off the sea, and the birds will take you back, past the

F C G F C G C F C G
mountains and the trees, to the place we call our home. Ho__me, ho___me.

Verse 2

Dm G C F Dm G C F
Mānuka blooming for all the bees, toes all sandy by the beach.

Dm G C F Dm G C
Whānau gathering around the fire, can you see the aroha in Aotearoa?

Chorus

F C G C F C G
It's a love story 'bout Papatūānuku and Ranginui, who created this land.

F C G C
Ricochet off the sea, and the birds will take you back, past the

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mountains and the trees, to the place we call our home. Ho__me, ho____me.

Bridge

F C G C
Your skin tone and colour won't make a difference here, because

F C G F C
we're all special inside. Learn to see, and to hear,

G C F C G
learn to listen to your heart. It's the aroha in Aotearoa

Chorus (one strum per bar)

F C G C F C G
It's a love story 'bout Papatūānuku and Ranginui, who created this land.

(strumming pattern cont.)

F C G C
Ricochet off the sea, and the birds will take you back, past the

F C G
mountains and the trees, to the place we call our

F C G C F C G
home. Ho__me, ho____me.

Outro (one strum per bar)

F C G C F C G