

Mihi

Tihei Mauriora!

Korooria kit e Atua I runga rawa
he maungarongo ke te whenua
me te whakaaropai ki te Tangata ahakoa ko
wai.

Ka mihi raa ki nga tini aitua kua wehe atu
ki te po, haere haere, hoki atu raa.

Ki te kainga tuturu, te hono ki wairua.

No reira e te lwi whanui o to tatou koro
maunga Taranaki.

Tena kotou, tena kotou
tena hoki tatou katoa.

Ko te kaupapa I mua I te aroaro o nga
Tangata whai-ora I tamia mai ki mamae
nui, ki mamae roa, I kimi ai te orangatanga,
kia piki ake o runga te huarahi, kia kore
ratou I whakaitia ki te whakawhiu I te
Tangata, tena pea, ma te kaha o nga roopu
ki te manaaki, ki te tiaki, kia puta ki te
whaiao ki Ao marama mo ake tonu atu,
Tuturu whiti whakamoua kia tina, tina, Hui-
e Taiki-e Pai-marire.

I pay homage to the breath of life.

*Glory to God on high
peace on Earth,
good will to mankind, no matter
whom.*

*I pay respects to those that have passed on
to the spirit world.*

Journey on. Farewell to you all.

*I now turn my attention to the people of our
ancestor mountain, Taranaki.*

Greetings once, twice and thrice.

*We acknowledge people who have been
affected by health issues for a period of
time, that they have the pathway of wellness
before them, that also Discrimination and
Stigmatisation can be put aside to allow
people to be cared for in a loving way, that
they come out of the world of darkness to
the world of light and be safe.*

Mihi courtesy - Kaumatua - Te Rau Pani



Taranaki Kowhaiwhai panel - The Hammerhead shark, Mangopare - 'keep positive, see it through'