

## Po Atarau (Now Is The Hour)

### Please note:

The / throughout the song is where you take a breath.

Po a - ta - rau / e moe a i - ho - nei /  
E / hae - re a - na koe / ki pa - ma - mao /  
Ha - e - re ra / ka ho - ki mai / a - no /  
Ki - i - te tau / E ta - ngi / a - tu nei. /

Now is the hour / when we must say / goodbye /  
Soon / you'll be sailing far / across the sea. /  
While you're away / Oh please / remember me /  
When you return / you'll find me / waiting here. /  
Land of the long white cloud. /

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### Pronouncing the Maori vowels:

**A** as in are

**E** as in there

**I** as in three

**O** as in or

**U** as in two

