

Ko te Pukapuka a Paora Āpōtoro ki a Taituha Kupu Whakataki

He tauwiwi ki te whakapono Karaitiana a Taituha, ā, ka noho hei kaimahi āwhina mā Paora mō āna mahi mihinare. *Ko te Pukapuka a Paora Āpōtoro ki a Taituha* i tukunga ki tāna kaimahi kōhungahunga i Kiriti, i waihotia ia i reira ki te whakahaere i ngā mahi a te hāhi. E toru ngā tino āwangawanga o te reta.

Tuatahi, i whakamaumaharatia a Taituha me pēhea ake te āhua o ngā kaiwhakahaere o te hāhi, inā, i runga ake i te āhua kino o te maha o ngā Kiriti. Muri ake, i tohutohutia a Taituha me pēhea te ako i ngā momo rōpū o te hāhi, ngā kaumātua, ngā kuia, (ā muri atu mā rātou e ako ngā tama wahine) tama tāne, me ngā taurekareka. Hei whakamutunga, ka hoatuhia e te kaituhi he tohutohu ki a Taituha e pā ana ki te noho Karaitiana, inā, te hiahia ake mō te rangimārie, me te whakahoahoa, me te karo mauāhara, taupatupatu me te wehewehe i roto i te hāhi.

Rāpopoto o Ngā Take

Tīmatanga 1.1-4

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He Mihi

¹ Nā Paora, he pononga nā te Atua, he āpōtoro nā Īhu Karaiti.

I runga i te whakapono o te hunga whiriwhiri a te Atua, i te mātauranga hoki ki tā te pono e rite ai te karakia;

² i runga anō i te tūmanako atu ki te ora tonu, i whakaaria mai nei i mua atu o te ao e te Atua e kore nei e teka;

³ nāna nei i whakakite mai tāna kupu i ōna wā, rā te kupu i tukua mai ki ahau, he mea whakarite mai nā te Atua, nā tō tātou Kaiwhakaora.

⁴ Ki a Taituha, ki tāku tamaiti pono i runga i tō tātou whakapono tahi:

Kia tau te aroha noa me te rangimārie, he mea nā te Atua Matua, nā Karaiti Īhu, nā tō tātou Kaiwhakaora.

Te Mahi a Taituha i Kariti

⁵ Ko te mea tēnei i waiho atu ai koe e ahau ki Kariti, kia whakatikaia ai e koe ngā mea i mahue, kia whakaritea ai anō hoki he kaumātua ki ia pā, ki ia pā, kia pērā ai me tāku i whakatakoto atu ai ki a koe.

⁶ Ki te mea he tangata kāhore e ekengia e te kupu, he tahu nō te wahine kotahi, he tamariki whakapono ana, kāhore e kōrerotia tō rātou tōreretanga ki te kino, kāhore e tutū.

⁷ Ko te tikanga hoki mō te pīhopa, kia kua e ekengia e te kupu, kia rite ki tā te Atua tuari; ehara i te mea tohe ki tāna ake, kāhore ōna āritarita kāhore āna kakai wāina kāhore āna papatu, kāhore e whai i te taonga hē;

⁸ engari e atawhai ana i te manuhiri, e aroha ana ki te pai, e whai whakaaro ana, e tika ana, e tapu ana, e pēhi ana i ōna hiahia.

⁹ E ū ana te pupuri i te kupu pono i whakaakona atu nā, kia taea ai e ia, i te mea ka tika nei tāna whakaako, te whakahauhau, te turaki anō i tā te hunga e totohe mai ana.

¹⁰ He tokomaha hoki te hunga tutū, kōrero teka noa, tinihanga; nui atu ia o te hunga o te kotinga,

¹¹ me kuku ō rātou waha; riro pū hoki ētahi whare te whakaputa kē e rātou, e whakaako ana i ngā mea e kore e tika, he whakaaro hoki ki te taonga hē.

¹² I mea tētahi o rātou, he poropiti nō rātou ake, “He teka tonu tā ngā Kariti, he kararehe kino, he pukukai, he māngere.”

¹³ Ka pono tēnei kōrero. Nā reira, kia koi tāu kupu riri ki a rātou; kia ora ai tō rātou whakapono;

¹⁴ kei tahuri hoki rātou ki ngā kupu tito a ngā Hūrai, ki ngā ture a ngā tāngata e whakaputa kē ana i te pono.

¹⁵ He mā ngā mea katoa ki te hunga mā. Tēnā, ki te hunga poke, kāhore nei ō rātou whakapono, kāhore he mea mā. Heoi, he mea poke ō rātou whakaaro, ō rātou hinengaro.

¹⁶ Ki tā rātou kī, kua mātau rātou ki te Atua; heoi, ko ā rātou mahi hei whakakāhore ki a ia, he hunga whakarihariha rātou, he hunga tutū, e kore anō e tikangatia mō tētahi mahi pai.

Whakaako Ora

¹ Ko koe ia, kōrerotia ngā mea e rite ana ki tō te whakaako ora.

² Ko ngā kaumātua kia āta whakahaere i a rātou, kia tū kaumātua, kia whai whakaaro, kia ora te whakapono, te aroha, te manawanui.

³ Me ngā wāhine taikaumātua hoki, kia rite ngā tikanga ki ā te hunga e whakaaro ana ki te tapu, kia kua e ngautuarā, kia kua e riro hei pononga mā te wāina, kia whakaako i ngā mea pai;

⁴ kia meinga e rātou ngā wāhine taitamariki kia whai whakaaro, kia aroha ki ā rātou tāne, kia aroha ki ā rātou tamariki.

⁵ Kia whai whakaaro, kia tika, kia pukumahi i te kāinga, kia atawhai, kia ngohengohe ki ā rātou tāne, kei kōrerotia kinotia te kupu a te Atua.

⁶ Me whakahau atu hoki ngā taitamariki kia whai whakaaro.

⁷ I ngā mea katoa kia kitea koe he tauira mō ngā mahi pai; ko tāu whakaako kia tapatahi, kia tū kaumātua,

⁸ kia ora te kupu, kei taea te whakahē; kia whakamā ai te tangata tikanga kē, tē ai he mea e kōrerotia kinotia ai tātou e ia.

⁹ Ko ngā pononga kia ngohengohe ki ō rātou rangatira, kia whakamānawarekatia rātou i ngā mea katoa; kua e whakahoki kupu;

¹⁰ kua e kaiā, engari kia kitea he pai he nui tō rātou pono; kia ai rātou i ngā mea katoa hei whakapaipai i te whakaako a te Atua, a tō tātou Kaiwhakaora.

¹¹ Kua puta mai hoki te aroha noa o te Atua e ora ai ngā tāngata katoa,

¹² hei whakaako i a tātou, kia whakakāhoretia e tātou te karakiakore me ngā hiahia o te ao, kia noho whakaaro tātou, i runga anō i te tika, i te karakia pai, i tēnei ao;

¹³ me te tatari anō ki te mea whakahari e tūmanakohia atu nei, ki te putanga korōria mai o tō tātou Atua nui, o tō tātou Kaiwhakaora anō hoki, o Īhu Karaiti.

¹⁴ I tuku nei i a ia mō tātou, hei hoko i a tātou i roto i ngā kino katoa, hei horoi hoki i a tātou hei iwi māna ake, e ngākau nui ana ki ngā mahi pai.

¹⁵ Kōrerotia ēnei mea, whakahaua; kia nui tōu māia ki te riri i te hē. Kei whakahāwea tētahi ki a koe.

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Whanonga Karaitiana

¹ Whakamaharatia rātou kia ngohengohe ki ngā rangatiratanga, ki ngā mana, kia rongo ki ngā rangatira, kia takatū ki ngā mahi pai katoa;

² kia kua e kōrero kino ki tētahi tangata, kia kua e whawhai, kia ngākau ngāwari, kia nui te mähaki o te ngākau e whakaputaina ki ngā tāngata katoa.

³ He whakaarokore hoki tātou i mua, he tutū, e tinihangatia ana, he pononga nā ngā hiahia, nā ngā whakaahuareka maha, e noho ana i runga i te nanakia, i te hae, he hunga whakarihariha, e mauāhara ana tētahi ki tētahi.

⁴ Otirā, i te mea ka puta mai nei te tikanga ngāwari me te aroha o te Atua, o tō tātou Kaiwhakaora ki ngā tāngata.

⁵ Ehara i te mea, nā ngā mahi tika i mahia e tātou, engari, nā tāna mahi tohu i whakaorangia

ai tātou e ia, he meatanga nā te horoinga o te whānautanga houtanga, nā te whakahoutanga a te Wairua Tapu,

⁶ i ringihia nuitia mai nei e ia ki runga ki a tātou, he mea nā Īhu Karaiti, nā tō tātou Kaiwhakaora.

⁷ Kia whakatikaia ai tātou e tōna aroha noa, kia whiwhi ai ki te taonga, arā ki te ora tonu e tūmanakohia atu nei.

⁸ He kōrero pono tēnei.

E mea ana hoki ahau kia kaha tāu kauwhau i ēnei mea, kia mahara ai te hunga kua whakapono ki te Atua ki te mahi i ngā mahi pai. Ko ngā mea ēnei e ātaahua ana, e whai pai ana mō ngā tāngata.

⁹ Ko ngā uiuinga kūware ia, me ngā whakapapa tūpuna, whakarērea atu, me ngā totohe, me ngā whawhai ki ngā mea o te ture, kāhore hoki he pai o aua mea, he mea hanga noa.

¹⁰ Ko te tangata whakapono hē, ka kotahi, ka rua ngā whakatūpatotanga, whakarērea atu.

¹¹ E mātau ana hoki koe kua whakaputaia kētia taua tangata pērā, kei te hara anō hoki, kua mau tōna hē i a ia anō.

Poroporoaki

¹² Ka tonoa atu e ahau ki a koe a Aretema, a Tikiku rānei, kia puta tōu uaua ki te haere mai ki ahau ki Nikopori; kua takoto hoki tāku tikanga kia noho ki reira i te hōtoke.

¹³ Kia puta tōu whakaaro kia kawea mai a Hina kaiako ture, rāua ko Aporo; kei hapa tētahi mea mō rāua.

¹⁴ Me ako hoki ō tātou ki te mahi i ngā mahi pai mō ngā wā o te rawakore kei huakore rātou.

¹⁵ Tēnei te oha atu nei ki a koe ōku hoa katoa. Oha atu ki te hunga e aroha ana ki a mātou i runga i te whakapono.

Kia tau te aroha noa ki a koutou katoa.

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