

Ko te Pukapuka a Hona

Ka Oma atu a Hona i a Ihowā

¹ Nā, i puta mai te kupu a Ihowā ki a Hona, tama a Amitai, i mea:

² “Whakatika, haere ki Ninewe, ki taua pā nui, karangatia he hē mōna; kua tae ake hoki tō rātou kino ki tōku aroaro.”

³ Ko Hona ia i whakatika, he rere ki Tarahihi i te aroaro o Ihowā; haere ana ia ki raro, ki Hopa, ā, ka kitea e ia tētahi kaipuke e rere ana ki Tarahihi. Ka hoatu e ia te utu mō te ekenga ki runga, kia haere atu ai ia i roto i a rātou ki Tarahihi i te aroaro o Ihowā.

⁴ Nā, ka tukua e Ihowā he hau nui ki te moana, ā, he nui te āwhā i te moana, nō ka kīia ka pakaru te kaipuke.

⁵ Nā, ka wehi ngā kaiwhakatere, ka karanga ki tōna atua, ki tōna atua; ā, ākiritia ana e rātou ngā taonga o runga o te kaipuke ki te moana kia māmā ai ki a rātou.

Ko Hona ia kua riro ki roto rawa i te kaipuke, ā, ka takoto ia, ka moe, au rawa.

⁶ Nā, ko te haerenga atu o te rangatira o te kaipuke, ka mea ki a ia, “He aha tāu, e te tangata e moe nā? Maranga, karanga ki tōu Atua, me kāhore te Atua e whakaaro ki a tātou, kei ngaro tātou.”

⁷ Nā, ka mea rātou ki tōna hoa, ki tōna hoa, “Haere mai, kia makamaka rota tātou, kia mōhio

ai ko wai te take o tēnei hē ki a tātou.” Nā, kei te makamaka rota rātou, ā, ka tau te rota ki a Hona.

⁸ Kātahi rātou ka mea ki a ia, “Tēnā rā, whakaa-turia ki a mātou ko wai te take o tēnei hē ki a tātou? He mahi aha tāu? I haere mai koe i hea? Ko hea tōu whenua? Nō tēhea iwi koe?”

⁹ Anō rā ko ia ki a rātou, “He Hiperu ahau; e wehi ana hoki ahau i a Ihowā, i te Atua o ngā rangi, nāna nei i hanga te moana me te whenua maroke.”

¹⁰ Nā, nui atu te wehi i wehi ai aua tāngata, ka mea rātou ki a ia, “He aha tēnei i meatia nei e koe?” I mōhio hoki aua tāngata e rere ana ia i te aroaro o Ihowā, nāna hoki i whakaatu ki a rātou.

¹¹ Nā, ka mea rātou ki a ia, “Me aha mātou ki a koe, kia marino ai te moana ki a tātou?” E nui haere ana hoki te ngaru o te moana.

¹² Ā, ka mea ia ki a rātou, “Hāpainga ake ahau, makā ki te moana; kātahi ka marino te moana ki a koutou; e mōhio ana hoki ahau he whakaaro ki ahau i puta mai ai tēnei paroro ki a koutou.”

¹³ Heoi, hoe tonu aua tāngata kia ū ai rātou ki uta; otiia kīhai i taea. E nui haere ana hoki te ngaru o te moana hei ārai i a rātou.

¹⁴ Kātahi aua tāngata ka karanga ki a Ihowā, ka mea, “Auē, e Ihowā, kaua rā mātou e whakangaromia hei utu mō te matenga o tēnei tangata. Kaua anō e utaina he toto harakore ki runga ki a mātou. Kua mahia nā hoki e koe, e Ihowā, tāu i pai ai.”

¹⁵ Nā, hāpainga ana a Hona e rātou, makā ana ki te moana; ā, mutu ake te riri o te moana.

¹⁶ Nā, he nui te wehi i wehi ai aua tāngata i a Ihowā; patua iho e rātou he patunga tapu ki a Ihowā, puaki ana ā rātou kupu taurangi.

¹⁷ Nā, kua rite mai i a Ihowā tētahi ika nui hei horo i a Hona; ā, e toru ngā rā, e toru ngā pō o Hona i roto i te kōpū o te ika.

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Te Īnoi a Hona

¹ Kātahi a Hona ka ĭnoi ki a Ihowā, ki tōna Atua, i roto i te kōpū o te ika.

² I mea ia:

“I karanga ahau, he ngākau mamae nōku, ki a Ihowā;

ā, whakahoki mai ana ia ki ahau;
i tangi atu ahau i roto i te kōpū o te rēinga,
ā, whakarongo ana koe ki tōku reo.

³ I makā hoki ahau e koe ki te rire,
ki waenga moana,
ā, karapotia ana ahau e ngā roma;
tika ana āu tūātea katoa me āu ngaru
i runga i ahau.

⁴ Nā, ka mea ahau, ‘Kua oti ahau te pei
i mua i ōu kanohi;
otiia tērā ahau e titiro atu anō
ki tōu temepara tapu.’

⁵ Karapotia ana ahau e te wai,
tae tonu iho ki te wairua;
i ōku taha katoa te rire ā taka noa;
he rimu ngā tākai o tōku māhunga.

⁶ I haere ahau ki raro ki ngā take o ngā maunga;
kopia ana ahau e te whenua me ōna tūtaki ake
ake;
heoi whakaputaina ake ana e koe tōku ora i roto
i te pōka,
e Ihowā, e tōku Atua.

⁷ “I te hemonga o tōku wairua i roto i ahau,
i mahara ahau ki a Ihowā;
i tae atu anō tāku inoi ki a koe
ki tōu temepara tapu.

⁸ “Ko te hunga e pupuri ana i ngā mea tekateka
noa
e whakarere ana i te atawhai mō rātou.

⁹ Ko ahau ia ka mea patunga tapu ki a koe
i runga i te reo whakawhetai;
ka whakamanā e ahau āku kupu taurangi.
Nā Ihowā te whakaoranga!”

¹⁰ Nā, ka kōrero a Ihowā ki te ika, ā, ka ruakina
e tērā a Hona ki te wāhi maroke.

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Te Whakahuringa o Ninewe

¹ Nā, ka puta tuarua mai te kupu a Ihowā ki a
Hona, i mea ia,

² “Whakatika, haere ki Ninewe, ki taua pā nui,
kauwhautia hoki ki reira te kauwhau e kōrerotia
e ahau ki a koe.”

³ Nā, whakatika ana a Hona haere ana ki
Ninewe, pērā ana me tā Ihowā i kōrero ai. Nā, he
pā nui rawa Ninewe, e toru ngā rā e haerea ai.

⁴ Nā, ka tīmata tā Hona haere ki roto ki te pā,
kotahi te rā i haere ai, kei te karanga, kei te mea:
“Kia whā tekau ake ngā rā, ka hurihia a Ninewe.”

⁵ Ā, whakaponu tonu ngā tāngata o Ninewe ki tā
te Atua; karangatia ana e rātou he nohopuku, he
taratara ō rātou kākahu, o ngā mea rarahi o rātou
tae rawa iho ki ngā mea ririki.

⁶ Nā, ka tae he kōrero ki te kīngi o Ninewe, ā, whakatika ana ia i runga i tōna torōna, whakarērea atu ana e ia tōna koroka, kei te hīpoki i a ia ki te kākahu taratara, noho ana i roto i te pungarehu.

⁷ I meinga anō e ia kia karangatia te kōrero i roto i Ninewe:

“He mea whakatakoto nā te kīngi rātou ko āna metararahi, i mea ia:

“Kaua te tangata, te kararehe rānei, te kau rānei, te hipi rānei e pā ki tētahi aha. Kaua rātou e kai, e inu wai rānei.

⁸ Engari, kia hīpokina te tangata me te kararehe ki te kākahu taratara, kia kaha anō tā rātou karanga ki te Atua. Āe rā, kia hoki anō ngā tātanga i tōna ara kino, i tōna ara kino, i te tutū anō o ō rātou ringa.

⁹ Ko wai ka tohu tērā pea te Atua ka tahuri, ā, ka puta kē tōna whakaaro, ka tahuri atu hoki i te muranga o tōna riri, ā, e kore tātou e ngaro?”

¹⁰ Ā, ka kite te Atua i ā rātou mahi, kua tahuri atu rātou i tō rātou ara kino; nā, ka puta kē te whakaaro o te Atua mō te kino i kīia e ia kia meatia ki a rātou; ā, kīhai i meatia e ia.

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Te Riri o Hona me te Mahi Tohu a te Atua

¹ Otiia ki tā Hona, nui atu te hē, ā, mura ana tōna riri.

² Ā, ka inoi ia, ki a Ihowā, ka mea, “Auē, e Ihowā, he teka ianei ko tāku tēnei i mea ai i ahau anō i tōku whenua? Nā reira ahau i rere wawe ai ki Tarahihi; i mōhio hoki ahau he Atua atawhai

koe, he tohu tangata, he pūhoi ki te riri, he nui te aroha, e puta kē ana te whakaaro mō te kino.

³ Nā, tērā rā, e Ihowā, kia mate ahau āiane; he pai atu hoki i te ora te mate mōku.”

⁴ Anō rā ko Ihowā, “He mea pai rānei kia riri koe?”

⁵ Nā, ka puta a Hona i roto i te pā, ā, noho ana i te taha ki te rāwhiti o te pā; kei te hanga i tētahi tīhokahoka mōna ki reira, noho ana i raro i te taumarumarunga iho, kia kite rā anō ka ahatia rānei te pā.

⁶ Nā, kua rite i a Ihowā tētahi hue, meinga ana e ia kia eke ki runga ki a Hona, hei whakamarumarū mō tōna māhunga, hei whakaora mōna i a ia i mamae rā. Nā, nui atu te koa o Hona ki te hue rā.

⁷ Nā, kua rite anō i te Atua he huhu i te aonga ake o te rā, ā, ngaua iho e tērā te hue, nā, kua maroke.

⁸ Nā, i te whitinga o te rā kua rite mai anō i te Atua tētahi hau pūmāhu, he marangai; āki tonu mai te rā ki runga ki te māhunga o Hona, whakaruhi noa iho, ā, inoi ana mōna kia mate ia, i mea ia, “Pai atu i te ora te mate mōku.”

Ka Riria a Hona

⁹ Nā, ka mea te Atua ki a Hona, “He pai rānei kia riri koe ki te hue?”

Anō rā ko ia, “He pai anō kia riri ahau ā mate noa.”

¹⁰ Anō rā ko Ihowā, “I manawapā koe ki te hue kīhai nā i mahia e koe, kīhai anō i whakatupuria e koe; kotahi anō te pō i tupu ake ai, kotahi anō te pō i kore ai.

¹¹ Ā, kua ianei ahau e manawapā ki Ninewe ki taua pā nui, he tokomaha nei ōna tāngata i ngā mano e ono tekau tōpū, he hunga kāhore nei e mōhio ki ō rātou ringa matau, ki ō rātou ringa mauī, he maha anō hoki ngā kararehe?”

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ki te Putanga 2012 o te Paipera Tapu

Ko tēnei putanga o te Paipera Tapu he tautikanga roa tonu o te tānga-pukapuka o ngā Karaipiture Tapu i roto i te reo Māori.

Ko te Kawenata Hou i tā-pukapukatia i te tuatahi i te tau 1837, ā, me te Paipera katoa, te Paipera Tapu, i te tau 1868. Muri mai i te āhua maha tonu o ngā whakahoutanga whakatau wawe, he kōmiti, nā Tā Apirana Ngata i arataki, i whakaoti i te whakaputanga katoa o te tuhinga tuatahi o te paiperatanga hou me te punenga reo Māori. I tā-pukapukatia i te tuatahi i te tau 1952, ā, ka noho tonu hei tuhinga paearu i tēnei wā.

Nā tēnei putanga whakataka anō i whakarewa i te tuhinga whakahou o te Paipera Tapu i te tau 1952. Kua whakareia tōna whakatakotoranga āhua maha tonu mō te kaipānui reo Māori o nāianei: kua whakaurua ngā tohutō hei whakaatu i te roa o te oro; kua tāpiria ngā tohu kōrero, ā, kua āta whakahoutia ngā tohutuhi. Kua whakaurua ngā whiti, ā, kua tāpiria he wāhanga ūpoko. I tā-pukapuka tuatahitia tēnei Kawenata Hou i roto i tēnei whakataka ahurei i Hakihea 2008.

Ko te reo Māori tuhinga paiperatanga he whakamāori hira me te tika hoki o ngā tuhinga taketake te Kawenata Tahito me te Kawenata Hou o Hiperu, Aramaka me Kariki. Ko te tuhinga reo Māori ka taea te ki he kāhua-mō-te-kāhua whakamāori, te tino whai atu ana i te hanga o ngā haurāangi tuhituhinga taketake ki tā te reo Māori e whakaritea ana.

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