

WAIATA

RONA

Takoto ana au
I te moenga hurihuri
Tu ake au
Titiro ki te atarau
Kei runga ra
Te marama e whiti ana
Tera Rona
Kei roto ra
Piri ki te taha
Piri ki te ngaio
Aue ra...e
Rona e
Aue Rona e

And after a while get up
To look at the moonlight

It's up there
The bright moon
And there's Rona
In the middle

Holding the calabash,
Holding the ngaio tree

How sad for Rona!
Alas, all alone!

I'm lying
In my bed

