

# EVA EVA TE MANU

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Eva eva te manu

*It's the lament of the bird*

Na tatai i te pae tai

*That we hear from the beach to the reef*

Manuri'i eva imi te ora

*The bird, in quest for the life*

Manuri'iri'i teatea

*fills the space with his scream*

Rere noa atu ra

*In an infinite flight*

Imi noa ra imi noa ra

*He is searching, searching,*

Te manu i te ora

*this bird, for life.*

E ora e ora te manu

*the life, the bird*

Manu afai oaoa no te ao nei

*The bird brings happiness around the world*