

Ka Hae Hawaii  
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A Prophecy

(Archives of Hawaii)

*Prophecy*

To the Hae Hawaii - Greetings:

Perhaps you have heard of the prophecy uttered by Kapihe in the presence of Kamehameha I. If you have not, here is the prophecy.

Kamehameha I returned to Hawaii at the time of the Mauhau and lived at Holualoa in North Kona. Kapihe was a man belonging to Kuamoo and he was called a crazy person. He came from Kuamoo to Holualoa with a long loin cloth on and prophecied before the chief. These are his words.

The islands will be united,  
Those from the heavens will come down,  
Those from below will ascend,  
God will come down here  
To talk with men.  
Wakea and others will rise up,  
Milu will go down,  
And God will dwell with men.

Perhaps some of your enlightened people can explain this prophecy. There must be some "meat" in it. Tell us.

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