

The Treaty

"COME" SAYS THE KŌTUKU

Tune: KŌTUKU WINGS
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1. "Come" says the Kōtuku
"Fly to the future with grace."
"Search" says the Kōtuku
"Seek wisdom's human face."
2. We are the Kōtuku,
We are the wisdom we seek:
We are the upright Earth,
Ours are the words it speaks.
3. Follow the Treaty's call,
Borne on the heron's white wings:
Honour the Treaty's vows,
Help all the nation sing.

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