

The Hukilau Song

Lyrics & Music: Jack Owens, 1948

Soprano Baritone

F D^m
 Oh we're going to a Hukilau
 F F^{dim} C⁷
 A huki, huki, huki, huki, Hukilau.
 G^m C⁷
 Everybody loves a Hukilau
 G^m C^{aug} F
 Where the laulau is the kau kau at the big luau.
 D⁷
 We'll throw our nets out into the sea,
 G⁷
 And all the ama ama come a-swimming to me.
 F D⁷
 Oh we're going to a Hukilau,
 C⁷ F
 A huki, huki, huki, Hukilau.
 F
 What a beautiful day for fishing,
 F^{dim} C⁷
 In the old Hawaiian way.
 G^m C⁷
 All the Hukilau nets are swishing
 G⁷ C⁷ (C^{aug})
 Down at old Laie Bay.
 F D^m
 Oh we're going to a Hukilau
 F F^{dim} C⁷
 A huki, huki, huki, huki, Hukilau.
 G^m C⁷
 Everybody loves a Hukilau
 G^m C^{aug} F
 Where the laulau is the kau kau at the big luau.
 D⁷
 We'll throw our nets out into the sea,
 G⁷
 And all the ama ama come a-swimming to me.
 F D⁷
 Oh we're going to a Hukilau,
 C⁷ F
 A huki, huki, huki; a huki, huki huki; a huki, huki, huki, Hukilau.

