



Whakatauākī

Significant, formulaic saying, aphorism - particularly those urging a type of behaviour, where the author is known.



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“Whānau tupu ngātahi – families growing together”

**Kua tawhiti kē tō haerenga mai
Kia kore e haere tonu.
He nui rawa ō mahi
Kia kore i mahi tonu.**

You have come to far not to go further.

You have done too much not to do more.

Said by Tā Hemi Hēnare / Sir Hemi Hēnare



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**Ki te kāhore he whakakitenga,
Ka ngaro te iwi.**

Without foresight or vision, the people will be lost

Said by Kīngi Tāwhiao Pōtatau te Wherowhero

To show urgency of unification

And strong Māori leadership.



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