

TE VARUA 'ORI PRESENTS

RERE I TE AO MOE

"JOURNEY INTO THE DREAM WORLD"





Te Varua 'Ori's **RERE I TE AO MOE** **A journey into the dream world**

written by our friend in Tahiti, Tonyo Toomaru



Act 1

This is a story of TERI'ITARIA, a woman chief of the island, Huahine. She leads her people without the connection of her customs and traditions, opting to the modern ways.

The spirits of the earth, the thunder, the land and the ocean are angry with her progressive views taking her on a whirl spin. As the spirits try to enforce the need to keep the traditions and culture alive, TERI'ITARIA ignores all the messages of the spirits. She is in a weakened and shamed state as she enters into a deep sleep.

There will be one 15-minute intermission.

Act 2

TERI'ITARIA awakens in the dream world, to the sounds of the children dancing. The children who are rooted in their ancestral heritage and culture joyfully greet her.

She finds the love of her life, Hani Tapu. He's sent to remind her of her ancestral heritage and the culture she will be leaving behind. He explains to her the importance of passing on the traditions to the children and the youth. With a strong love between them, Hani Tapu hopes that the traditions and he, would be enough to keep her rooted to her ancestral heritage and stay with him to keep their culture alive.

She wakes up from the dream world and immediately resumes to leading her people but conforming to modern ways. In this new era, her heart, her identity and her traditions fades away each passing day, until it no longer exist. Hani Tapu is forgotten.

**Are you keeping your roots, your culture, and your heritage alive?
Will your customs and traditions be carried to the generations to come?**

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A journey into the dream world *Cast*



TERI'ITARIA
Aizabel Estanislao

HANI TAPU
Brent Mendoza

'ŌRERO
Terai Teai



Sia Abito
Khloe Agbayani
Tatiare Aldama
Evelyn Amparo
April Argana
Juliet Ayech
Jasmyn Bagonghasa
Paolo Baja
Megan Baja
Raquel Balboa
Sinta Buhay
Kirsten Capps
Alana Carlsen
Jazmine Catama
Amaryss Chavez
Yvette Joy Concepcion
Brenda Contreras
Gwenevere Cruz
Alyssa Dang
Jaidyn De Castro
Rebekah de Pano
Jovian Delaisla
Kristi Delos Santos
Dhiana Dhahrulsalam
Cassie Dye
Alessandra Espinoza
Daniela Espinoza
Maria Deseo Espinoza
Isabella Mackenzie Estudillo
Vilma Estudillo
Katrina Galera
Abraham Garalde
Valerie Gascon
Anastasia Guanio
Jasmine Huynh
Krista Islas
Nelina Jackson
Dee Jovellanos

Jordan Jusay
Heather Jusay
Jodi Kim
Ayla Kong
Athena Ave Kong
Megan Lantion
Breanne Lee
Ximena Leventhal
Yaritza Leventhal
Kalisitiane Liava'a
Tevita Liava'a
Krista Lio
Alyssa Litonjua
Marissa Litvin
Zoey Lloyd-Samson
Bianca Victoriano Malunda
Valentina Martinez
Julieta Martinez
Ellia Rose Mays
Gracielle Medina
Jocelyn Mendez
Melanie Mendoza
Joshua Mercado
Josh Viray
Emily Nishina
Julien Nishina
Kymmy Okamoto
Soleize Ontal Oriundo
Melanie Payumo
Thalia Pizano
Akemi Quevedo
Alani Quevedo
Julianne Quirong
Deija Ramos
Lauren Reilly
Nataly Rivera
Jenalyn Ruiz
Jessica Ruiz

Julianna Sales
Victoria Sales
Anna Samson
Lauren San Diego
Samantha San Diego
Eryn Santa Ana
Paul Santos
Alani-Mae Santos
Anita Satele-Noa
Pe'a Satele-Noa
Rasmey Sean-Ayech
Carissa Sepulveda
Jaclyn Serna
Trina Sexton
Holly Shiohama
Ana Melissa Siazon
Charlize Siazon
Monica Siazon
Charlize Faye Siazon
Sinta Buhay
Jenelle Soller
Misha Stevenson
Mai Su'a
Annika Tagumasi
Stella Rose Tallase
Christen Teng
Jeremy Teschera
Tiffany Teschera
Elizabeth Thaw
Masina Torres
Tessa Tsai
Bonnie Tuttle
Crystal Velasco
Jerrica Villanueva
Julie Viray
Alyssa Vistro
Kristina Wong
Chelsea Yalda
Brittany Yang

***Te Varua 'Ori's* RERE I TE AO MOE**

Thank you to our Te Varua 'Ori Members for your loyalty and dedication!

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Giovany Tejeda
Alex Tsai

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Lucas Mercado

Lyricist

Tonyo Toomaru

Vocalists

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Lucas Mercado
Masina Torres

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Kristi Matira Delos Santos

Contributing Costume Designers

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Joshua Mercado
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Julien Nishina
Rasmey Sean
Monica Siazon
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Mata Toomaru
Tiffany Teschera
Bonnie Tuttle
Kristina Wong

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