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He taimana tō rite**

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tīrama - to shine, glimmer
ngā whetū - stars (plural in the Maōri version)
Kei te pēhea rā koutou? - How are you (all)?
kei runga - up, above
he taimana - a diamond (transliteration of the English word)