Standing beside the Baltic Sea
My companion said to me
What brings you so far from home
And why to Russia do you roam?

Why would one leave such a land
Waterfall, waves, endless sand
Coconut trees, gentle breeze
To come to Russia, tell me please?

Where I come from, there’s a word
I trust you’ve already heard
It can mean hi or farewell
And much more, as I will tell

Aloha means I will share
Joy in my heart, and I’ll bear
Your joy and pain, it is mine
Aloha is an act of kindness

And so I stand ‘fore you now
Stranger and friend, both somehow
Honor you all for your part
In leading with your brilliant hearts

Russia has been so kind to me
Just a young man from Hawai’i
Aloha brought me all this way
To see aloha on display!

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Aloha sees me in you
Aloha asks what to do
Aloha knows we all ride
In the same canoe,
on the same rising tides