THE ISLE OF LOVE
A Ceremony to Honor a New Worthy Matron
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Have soft humming of "Aloha Oe" as a background for Junior Past Matron's opening verse.

JUNIOR PAST MATRON:
Will the Worthy Matron please rise?

In fancy we would take you to an island set apart. Where skies are blue, and flowers bloom and folks are gay of heart. Here you will hear sweet music, no discord harsh or shrill, And you'll find scenes whose beauty will remain with you until All other thoughts are banished. And on this memorable day We welcome you to the Isle of Love and on you place this lei. The lei speaks of farewell and welcome, and these kindly people here Have fashioned yours of colors that to your heart are dear.

Sister Marshal, you will conduct our Worthy Matron through the Isle of Love where she will be acquainted with all the beauties of this land over which she will preside.

As Marshal and Worthy Matron start toward the Associate Matron's station "Aloha Oe"' music is played.

Choir or Soloist may sing the following when they have reached the West:

Now you've reached the shores of the Isle of Love,
And we welcome you with heart and voice,
May your sojourn on our Isle be sweet,
And your Members with you will now rejoice.

CHORUS:

You're welcome here! You're welcome here!
We greet our fine new Matron now today.
You're welcome here! You're welcome here!
With pride and honor ever wear our lei.

ASSOCIATE MATRON:

Our chapter room for you can be
Like an Island in a sea;
Where you will be the ruler
And your willing subjects, we.
Our wish for you on this Isle of Love
Is a pleasant reign, and then
Sweet memories of fragrant flowers
When you turn home again.
I wish for you all the soft music
Our Island songbirds can sing.
And harmony in all endeavors  
The coming year will bring.

*Marshal leads Worthy Matron to Adah, and then around labyrinth to each Star Point.*

**ADAH:**

The blue of the sky, and the blue of the surf  
Are the only boundaries our Island knows.  
The sky touches God, and the surf keeps us free  
From the influences evil bestows.

**RUTH:**

The yellow blossoms that brighten your lei  
Speak of constancy in your members.  
We'll Keep it that way!

**ESTHER:**

The white blooms show courage and  
loyalty, too.  
Wear your lei proudly. It was fashioned  
for you!

**MARTHA:**

The green garlands binding the flowers  
Show the faith we have in you  
It binds us firmly together;  
Unites us in purpose, too!

**ELECTA:**

The red you are wearing in your  
welcome lei.  
Should serve to remind you of our  
love always.

**JUNIOR PAST MATRON:**

Achievement and happiness we wish for you  
As you reign on the Isle of Love.  
May your dreams come true. May all you do  
Be favored by Him above  
Whose bright Star shines on our efforts  
And leads us from day to day;  
And may you always recall with joy  
The thoughts that made up your lei!

*Repeat theme music as Worthy Matron is escorted again to her station.*

The End