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Kawaha Point Lodge ROTORUA, NEW ZEALAND

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The Maori warrior Tutanekai lived on Mokoia Island in the middle of Lake Rotorua. When he saw the famous beauty Hinemoa on the lake shore they fell in love but her stern father forbade them to marry. Tutanekai returned home, and every night played plaintive flute music which drifted over the lake waters.

Eventually Tutanekai begged Hinemoa to escape secretly to Mokoia. Thinking she would be seen in a canoe, she attempted the dangerous swim instead, guided by his flute music. Just as she was about to perish from cold, she found a warm bubbling pool – and then Tutanekai. Forgiven by her father, Tutanekai and Hinemoa lived happily ever after.

The award-winning luxury of Kawaha Point Lodge sits serenely on the water's edge of Lake Rotorua. Your day of romance and unforgettable scenery starts by private helicopter direct from Kawaha Point Lodge to Mokoia Island where a knowledgeable guide takes you deeper into this triumphant love story. Then a luxury motor yacht takes you back across Lake Rotorua to the Kawaha Point Lodge private jetty.

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