

Matariki

Winner of open category of Compose Aotearoa! NZ 2020

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Music: Chris Artley

Very slow ♩ = 50

S.
Dark days, dark nights, Ma-ta-ri-ki, shines bright, New Year,

M-S.
Dark days, dark nights, Ma-ta-ri-ki, New Year,

A.
Dark days, dark nights, Ma-ta-ri-ki, New Year,

T.
Dark days, dark nights, Ma-ta-ri-ki, New Year,

Bar.
Dark days, dark nights, Ma-ta-ri-ki, New Year,

B.
Dark days, dark nights, Ma-ta-ri-ki, New Year,

Pno.*
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* Piano part for rehearsal only.

bring-ing light, Ma - ta - ri - ki, Ho-nour words of your tū -

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p

pu - na, and keep them close, Ah *p < mp*

pu - na, As you tra-vel the sky, *p < mp*

pu - na, Ah_ *pp < mp*

pu - na, Ah, and keep them close, Ah *pp < mp*

pu - na, Ah_ Ah_ *pp < mp*

pu - na, Ah_ Ah *pp < mp*