



Restoring the cloak of Tane



The main purpose of forests is to cover the whenua, the earth.





**The aim of Tāne's
Tree Trust is to
restore the cloak
of Tane.**



**We continue to
manipulate the
landscape to
maximise our
capital gain.**



We will not find the answer to today's crisis in the thinking that created it.

We need a fresh start, based on a different set of priorities.



*All life on earth depends on
Papatuanuku.*

*When the earth is
well, we are well.*

**Ka ora te whenua,
ka ora te tangata.**



**We are not the centre of the Universe,
we are part of it.**



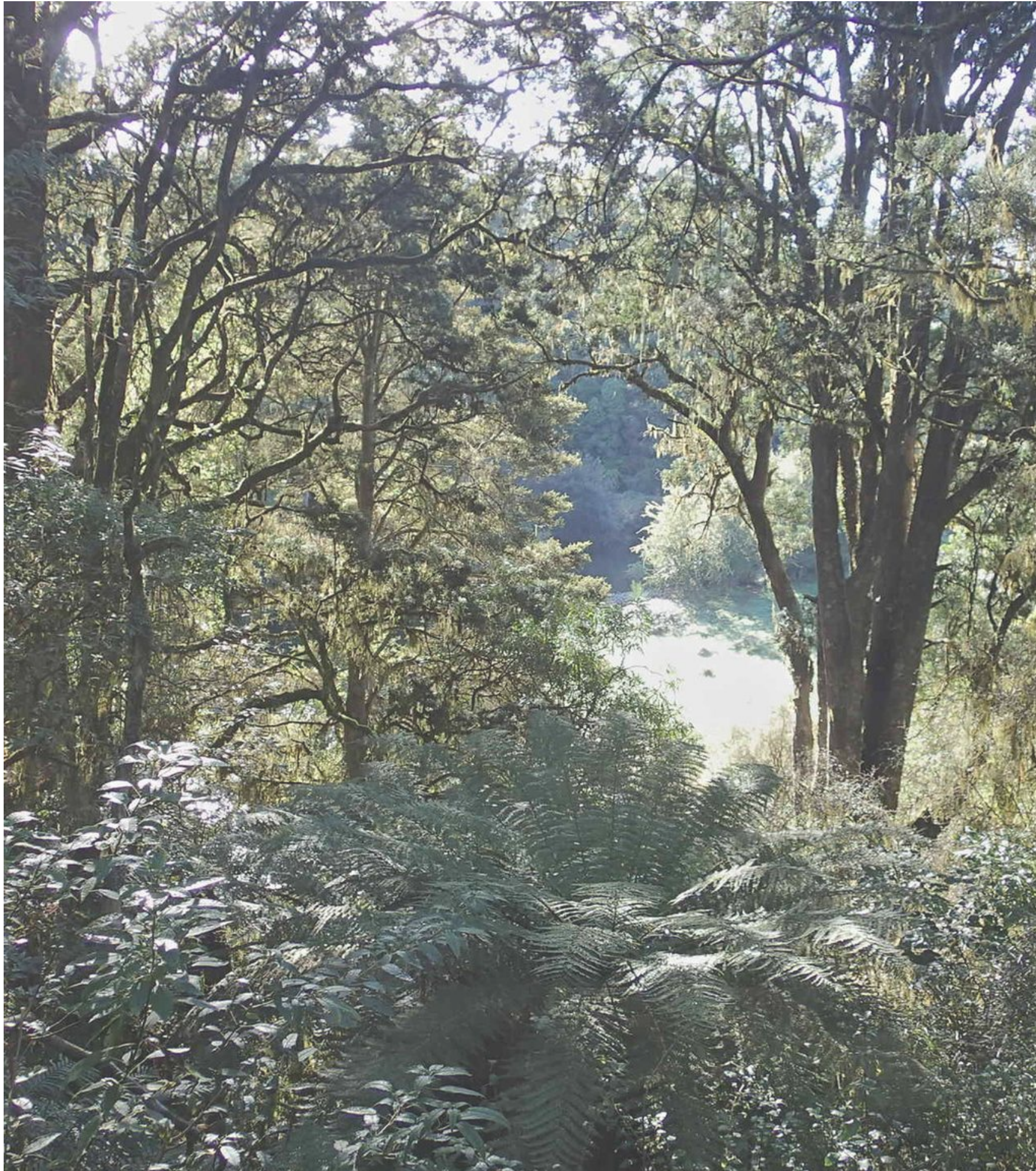


The mauri is found in the web of connections that sustains life.

Our role is to care for the Mauri - look after the connections.

**Te tangata, people,
are not the masters of the mauri:
we are part of the mauri and embraced
by it.**





**The special
privileges that we
claim as the top of
the evolutionary
table have put us
on an inevitable
confrontation with
extinction.**



**We give special care
to the tiniest living creatures.**



**Our survival
depends on microbes.**



**Ka ora te
whenua, ka ora
te tangata.**

**When the land is
well, people are
well.**



Tiwaiwaka

Healing the mauri of the whenua

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Tiwaiwaka principles

1. Te whenua, Papatuanuku, is the source of all life. She is the Mother. Ka ora te Whenua, ka ora te tangata.

2. We are not the centre of the Universe but we are part of it.

3. The mauri is the web of connections that sustains life.

4. Te tangata, people, are not the masters of the mauri; we are part of the mauri and embraced by it.

5. No individual person is more important than any other.

6. We give special care to the tiniest living creatures.





**Our future
depends on our
ability to work
together.**





**Ka ora te Whenua,
Ka ora te Tangata.**

*When the land is well,
The people will be well.*

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