

# List of Historical Personalities, Gods and Scholars

Alapa‘i	ruler who unified most of Hawai‘i Island in the early 1700s
I‘i, John Papa	19th-century Hawaiian historian
Ka‘ahumanu	favourite wife of Kamehameha I, and effective ruler during the reign of Kamehameha II and III
Ka‘eokulani	Kahekili of Maui’s half-brother who controlled Kaua‘i in the late 1700s in alliance with Kalanikūpule against Kamehameha
Kahahana	ruler of O‘ahu in the late 1700s who was overthrown by Maui ruler Kahekili
Kahekili	ruler of Maui in the late 1700s who conquered O‘ahu
Kalanikūpule	Maui chief who succeeded Kahekili as ruler of Maui and O‘ahu in the late 1700s until defeated by Kamehameha
Kalani‘ōpu‘u	ruler of Hawai‘i in the late 1700s who succeeded Alapa‘inui
Kamakau, Kēlou	19th-century Kānaka Maoli historian
Kamakau, Samuel M.	19th-century Kānaka Maoli historian
Kame‘eleihiwa, Lilikalā	contemporary Kānaka Maoli historian
Kamehameha	nephew of ruler of Hawai‘i, Kalani‘ōpu‘u, unified the Hawaiian chain in 1790s

Kamehameha-nui	son of Maui ruler Kekaulike and nephew of Kalani'ōpu'u, ruler of Hawai'i Island, who succeeded his father as ruler of Maui in the mid-1700s
Kanaloa	one of the four principal gods of the Kānaka Maoli pantheon
Kāne	one of the four principal gods of the Kānaka Maoli pantheon, the creator god and god of waters and irrigation, to whom kalo (taro) was sacred
Kaumuali'i	the last ruler of Kaua'i before it was taken over by Kamehameha
Keawemauihili	half-brother of Hawai'i ruler Kalani'ōpu'u and influential warrior and chief supporting Kamehameha
Ke'eaumoku	powerful chief from Kona, Hawai'i, who supported Kamehameha throughout his lifetime
Kekūhaupi'o	famous warrior of Hawai'i Island who mentored and advised Kamehameha
Keōpūolani	sacred daughter of Hawai'i chief Kīwala'ō who became royal wife of Kamehameha
Keōua Kuahu'ula	younger son of Hawai'i ruler Kalani'ōpu'u who controlled south-east Hawai'i Island as a rival to Kamehameha until killed by Kamehameha in 1791
Kepelino	19th-century Kānaka Maoli historian
Kīwala'ō	oldest son of Kalani'ōpu'u who briefly succeeded his father as ruler of Hawai'i before being killed by Ke'eaumoku at the battle of Moku'ōhai in 1782. His daughter, Keōpūolani, became the sacred wife of Kamehameha
Kūali'i	ruler of O'ahu in the late 1600s and early 1700s

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Kū‘kā‘ili-moku	war god Kū, the carver of lands
Liholiho	son of Kamehameha who succeeded his father as King Kamehameha II in 1819, but died in London in 1824
Malo, David	19th-century Kānaka Maoli historian
Osorio, Jonathon Kay Kamakawiwo‘ole	contemporary Kānaka Maoli historian
Pelei‘ōhōlani	ruler of O‘ahu and Kaua‘i in the late 1700s
Pi‘ilani	ruler of Maui in the mid-1500s
Pukai, Mary Kawena	20th-century Kānaka Maoli scholar
‘Umi-a-Liloa	first unifier of Hawai‘i Island in the late 1500s
Young, Kanalu G. Terry	modern Kānaka Maoli historian

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