

I AM A HICATEE HERO

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I am a Hero, A Hicatee Hero

The Hicatee turtle is our critically endangered friend

This means that if we don't help them now

There will be no more for the children after you and me to see

They live in deep rivers and I am here to talk to you about them

Because if not now, then when?

People hunt Hicatee turtles for its meat

Some take them out of our rivers using nets

While others use spears

The Hicatee should be allowed to swim happily in this land of the free

Why would one person need three?

Eat Hicatee meat? Never! Not me.

For I am a Hero, A Hicatee Hero

I promise to save the Hicatees!

I am a hero, A Hicatee Hero

You can be one too, its super easy

Just be like me and say no to eating Hicatee

And say YES to making it our national reptile in Belize!

The Hicatee is disappearing but together we can save it!

Because the Hicatee da fi u, fi me, fi all ah we.